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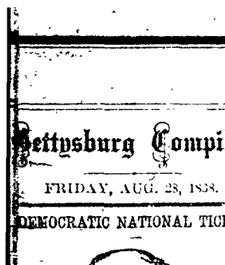
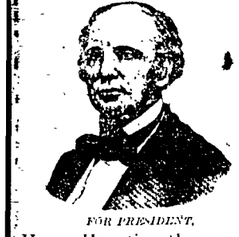
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL TICKET.



FOR PRESIDENT,

Hon. Horatio Seymour,

OF NEW YORK.



FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

Gen. F. P. Blair, Jr.,

OF MISSOURI.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

AUDITOR GENERAL,

Hon. Charles E. Boyle, Fayette co.

SURVEYOR GENERAL,

Gen. Wellington H. Ent, Columbia co.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

CONGRESS,

HON. F. M. KIMMELL, of Franklin county.

SENATOR,

CALVIN S. DUNCAN, Esq., of Franklin co.

ASSEMBLY,

DR. A. B. DILL, of Petersburg, (York Springs.)

PROTHONOTARY,

JACOB MELHORN, Esq., of Mountpleasant tp.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE,

GEN. JOSEPH J. KUHN, of East Berlin.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY,

WILLIAM A. DUNCAN, Esq., of Gettysburg.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER,

JONAS HARTMAN, Esq., of Mountjoy twp.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR,

BENJAMIN DEARDORFF, of Franklin twp.

COUNTY AUDITOR,

CAPT. E. G. HEAGY, of Straban township.

COUNTY SURVEYOR,

JESSE D. KELLER, Esq., of Conewago twp.

CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR.

The Democratic Senatorial Conferees of this district met at Graeffenberg Springs on Monday, and, after twenty odd ballots, nominated Calvin S. Duncan, Esq., of Franklin county. Though the session was a protracted one, there was no ill-feeling—and when a decision was reached, all cordially joined in the determination to give the nominee the largest majority possible. Whilst recognizing the merit and ability of Mr McDivit, the Conferees thought it *proper* to give Mr. Duncan another opportunity to go before the people of the district, in order thus to rebuke the wrong perpetrated upon him by McConaughy and the equally unprincipled Radicals of the Senate three years ago.

It now becomes the duty of every Democratic and Conservative voter in Adams and Franklin to prepare for a vigorous canvass, and rescue these counties from longer *misrepresentation* in the Senate of the State. *It can be done.* LET IT BE WELL DONE!

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION.

A despatch from Bedford, received last evening, announces the nomination of Hon. Francis M. Kimmell, of Chambersburg, as the Democratic candidate for Congress in this district. Let Cessna challenge him to the stump if he dare. He will find Judge Kimmell a *very* heavy "team," with a *very* "cross dog under the wagon."

THE MONTANA ELECTION.

Last year Montana elected James M. Cavanaugh, Democrat, to Congress, by a majority of 1,105. This year the Democratic majority in the Territory is about 2,500—a clear Democratic gain of about 1,400 in a single year. This marked and emphatic change is attributed almost wholly to the fact that many Republicans, becoming disgusted with the excesses of their party leaders, have forsaken that organization and given their votes and influence to the cause of the Democracy.

IDAHO ALSO DEMOCRATIC!

All the Territories—to say nothing of the States—in which elections have recently been held, have declared emphatically against Grant and Colfax, and for Seymour and Blair. Idaho, the latest recent, has elected Judge Schaeffer, the Democratic candidate, to Congress, by a *majority of from* our hundred to six hundred. The people are demanding a CHANGE—and *will* have it.

GIVING IT UP!

The New York *Herald*, which, six weeks ago, predicted the election of Grant and Colfax, now takes that back, and declares that Seymour and Blair will sweep the country. The ninety thousand Democratic majority in Kentucky has brought the *Herald* to its senses.

NOT ON THE DEFENSIVE.

The Democratic party, be it understood, is not on the defence in this campaign. We are the attacking party. We mean to drive the enemy from pillar to post, from post to the last ditch, and above all, we mean to drive them from the Treasury, which they are plundering. In such a campaign we have no time to stop and bandy words, or to reply to epithets. Concession is everything, and at the start let us concede that Democrats are "copperheads," "rebels," "traitors," "disloil," anything that they may be called, and that Radicalism is everything it claims to be, "loil," "moral," and so on. Only "loilty" and "moral ideas" are too expensive luxuries; they cost too much money; the country cannot afford them; "copperheadism" is cheaper, and will leave a margin for food, coal, clothes, house-rent, shoes for the children, and other things which are as essential as "loilty," and cost far less money. This campaign is a matter of taxes, wages, and bread and butter, not "moral ideas."

DEMOCRATS in New York are offering to bet that that State will give Seymour and Blair 75,000 majority, but find no takers.

RADICAL EXTRAVAGANCE.

The attempts of the Radical press to screen their party from the charge of extravagance and waste are vain, and against the facts, wherever power has been in their hands. Both in the management of the affairs of the nation and of States, their authority, in every department, is marked by the most astonishing increase of expenditures. Take the House of Representatives at Washington as an example, as exhibited in the annexed table, made up from official records:

A statement showing the Expenses of the House of Representatives for the years ending June 30, 1861, 1862, 1866, 1867 and 1868.

Year ending June 30, 1861,	$335,499 00
Year " " 1866,	491,884 00
Year " " 1867,	662,148 00
Year " " 1868,	892,091 00
Additional compensation,	725,565 00
	100,000 00
Total	$2,625,588 00

The ratio of increase here is unprecedented; and when we look into the items, there is no explanation to be found among them that does not scandalize the House and the party that fills it with profligate men. For instance: for the second session of the Fortieth Congress the whole amount of "stationery" would equal an allowance of $520 to each member; there were $5,085 worth of pens for the House; the penknives amounted to $5,620, equal to fifteen knives, at $375.00 for each member.

Of the same character are the expenditures of our State Legislature. The Harrisburg *Patriot* has compiled from the public records the following tables:

Expenses of the Legislature per annum during the nine years preceding the accession of the Republicans to power.

Year.	Amount.
1852,	$193,331 05
1853,	97,951 17
1854,	125,409 61
1855,	141,621 67
1856,	175,192 07
1857,	199,541 98
1858,	172,692 15
1859,	175,798 22
	$1,281,274 40

Expenses of the Legislature per annum during the nine years of Republican ascendency:

Year.	Amount.
1860,	$177,548 65
1861,	209,920 31
1862,	181,674 07
1863,	183,560 62
1864,	201,815 71
1865,	252,930 26
1866,	272,977 25
1867,	331,852 27
1868,*	350,000 00
	$2,251,744 14
	1,281,274 40
Excess of Radical expenses,	$1,120,469 74

These tables embrace only the current expenses of the Legislature, pay of the members, employees, light, fuel, *stationery, &c., &c.*, and present a most scandalous commentary upon the proclivities of the Radical leaders to wanton extravagance, waste, pillage, and their inevitable consequences—increased taxation. Let them boast of diminishing the debt—with such facts before them voters will be incredulous

GOV. CURTIN ENDORSES SEYMOUR.

One of our exchanges gives a report of a conversation between Gov. Curtin and a personal and political friend of his, which recently occurred in the Union League Club House in Philadelphia. The inquiry was made: "Well, Governor, what is your opinion of the Democratic Convention?" "I think," said the Governor, "that a stronger ticket might have been selected, such as Hendricks and Hancock, for example." "But," continued the questioner, "what is your *opinion of Governor Seymour?*" Mr. Curtin replied: "Well, sir, if I were asked to mention a man who, in my estimation, possessed the attributes of a perfect gentleman, a cultivated scholar, a thorough statesman and a sincere Christian, I could, without hesitation, name Horatio Seymour, of New York." "How about Seymour's loyalty?" "After the dispatches that I sent Seymour at the time of the rebel raid into Pennsylvania," replied the Governor, "it would hardly become me to impugn his loyalty; the fact is, I have never doubted it. I understand that Belmont is having all the dispatches sent by Stanton and myself printed, and I have no doubt they will be in the hands of every Democratic stump speaker through the campaign. We had better give up attacking Seymour's loyalty, for the opposition hold the trump card in that matter."

NOW, YOU CAN SEE!

The mouth-piece of the Radicals, Tom Marshall, at their meeting on Saturday night of last week, declared that his party is in favor of compelling the people of eleven States to have Negro Suffrage, and that it must also be established in the Northern States. Now, Republicans, you can see what your leaders are driving at! They have riveted their odious policy upon the Southern States, and now, with Grant as an instrument to deceive you, they want to fasten it upon you! They are getting bolder. They imagine the people will tolerate any *thing they* choose to do. They think Grant's military cloak will cover their infamous purposes from your sight. Even now, there is snugly filed away in one of the committee rooms of Congress, Sumner's bill to *Legislate Negro Suffrage into all the States.* Elect men like John Cessna, or, in fact, any Radical, to Congress, and they will pass this bill at once. Should Grant be elected and veto it, they will pass it over his veto. If they carry the election, they will say *the people endorsed Negro Suffrage at the polls and demand such a law from Congress.* This is plainly foreshadowed in the speech of Tom. Marshall. The Radical party is openly committed to this purpose. Grant stands upon their platform and accepts their doctrines. He is tarred with the same stick as Sumner, Kelly, Wade and the rest. Let every Republican who is opposed to Universal Negro Suffrage act out his principles, and either not vote at all, or vote for Seymour and Blair.—*Bedford Gazette.*

HOWL, WHY DON'T YOU?

Seventy-seven white soldiers, belonging to the 12th Infantry, residing in the Fifth Ward in Washington city, whose votes in the last election were not counted because they were cast for the Democratic candidate, have petitioned Congress, praying for the same rights as are granted to negroes. Grant's keeper, Washburne, and the rest of those wonderful Radical friends of the soldier, are keeping very quiet about this petition. Why don't somebody howl about this disfranchisement of the soldier?

THE White Boys in Blue are all aglow with enthusiasm. They declare that they will have the Union for which they fought, and nothing less. This they say they can secure only by the election of Seymour and Blair, and they are going to elect him. "Let us have peace."

THE Chicago *Times*, which hitherto has reckoned Illinois for Grant, begins to believe it is going for Seymour and Blair. Messrs. Radicals, your cake is dough.

THE POPULAR UPRISING!

Let Radicalism Stand from Under!

Reports of changes from Radicalism to Democracy reach us from all quarters. We cannot find room for a tenth of them. As an example of the many, we give the following:

REPUDIATION!—*An Honest Man Leaves the Corrupt Party—Don't Want Office or Honor from Such a Source—Black Republicanism at a Discount in Wyoming County.*—The following note handed us for publication speaks for itself, and shows unmistakably how the wind is blowing in this region:

To the Editor of the Wyoming Democrat: Having been nominated by the late Republican convention as its candidate for the office of treasurer of Wyoming county, I desire to tender my thanks to said convention for this token of its esteem, but most respectfully decline the acceptance of a nomination at the hands of a party with which I have no longer any sympathy, and with which I have therefore ceased to act. FLETCHER DICKSON.

Tunk., Aug. 17, 1868.

A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE OUT FOR SEYMOUR.—John Eichelberger, Esq., the Radical nominee for County Surveyor of York county, not only declines to run on that ticket, but comes out openly in denunciation of the foul party and declares his intention to vote for Seymour and Blair. This is an evidence of the way the tide is running in Pennsylvania. Look out for thunder in October, and still louder peals in November.

ANOTHER "TRAITOR."—Adam Hoy, Esq., one of the leading attorneys of Bellefonte and law partner of the Hon. Jas. T. Hale, has become disgusted with the dirty dogmas and thieving principles of the Radical party, and on Saturday evening last at the Democratic club rooms, made a telling speech in favor of Seymour and Blair.

MORE CHANGES.—Among the political changes throughout Pennsylvania, the Snyder county papers state that George Sennure, Esq., President of the First National Bank, at Selinsgrove, and Judge Middleswarth, son *of the late Hon. Ner. Middleswarth,* who have heretofore acted with the Republican party, are now working energetically for Seymour and Blair. So we go over the whole country.

AUBURN, N. Y.—The Democrats of Auburn, N. Y., held a meeting last Monday night. Many Democrats and every Republican present were surprised to hear a speech from General George D. Robinson. The General has heretofore been an extreme Radical, and has stumped Cayuga county in behalf of the Republican cause. General B. is an educated man, of strong reasoning powers, fearless in the expression of his sentiments and always ready to give a reason for his faith. He entered the Seventy-fifth regiment of New York State volunteers as a private, and worked his way to the rank of Brevet Brigadier General. He is lame now, *from the effects of wounds received in* the war. He was a delegate to the Radical Soldiers' Convention at Pittsburg, and has heretofore been fawned upon by the Republicans; but now they turn their backs upon him, as they find he is of no *use* to them. The General was made a convert to Democracy by living in Florida, where he has been for the past eighteen months, and has had the acts of the carpet-baggers daily before his eyes.—*Albany Argus.*

STEPHEN J. MEANY, the victim of a British dungeon, who spoke at Washington a few evenings since in denunciation of the refusal of Congress to protect American citizens abroad, and at the same time declared for Seymour and Blair, has heretofore been a Republican and used to edit a Republican paper at Toledo, Ohio.

GENERAL A. S. PIATT, of West Liberty, Ohio, a brother of Col. Don Piatt, has left the Radical party, and, in an able speech, announces his determination to support Seymour and Blair. He has hitherto been an active Republican. The true soldiers everywhere are tearing themselves from the foul embrace of Radicalism.

FROM Missouri we learn that Richard Dalton, a young and talented lawyer of Ralls county, and a prominent Radical, in a speech delivered before the Democratic convention at New London, formally announced his abandonment of the old Radical faith, and united his fortunes with the white man's party.

A YOUNG AND PROMISING LAWYER ABANDONS THE FOUL PARTY.—Robert S. Morrison, Esq., a young and brilliant lawyer, son of ex-Mayor Morrison, of Allegheny City, addressed a Democratic meeting in that city on Tuesday evening last. Mr. Morrison stated that it was his first appearance in what he had always supposed was the camp of the enemy, but he could think so no longer. He was now with the Democracy heart and soul, as he could not stand idly by and see the country ruined by the party that had gained its ascendency by deceiving the people.

GEN. HALPINE'S OPINION.

Among the last written words of the late Gen. Halpine were his opinions of Blair and Seymour, as follows:

On the whole muster roll of our army no name shone more conspicuously for personal gallantry than that of Frank Blair; few officers have been more desperately wounded, and no officer has been more gloriously conspicuous for never saying 'go' to his men, but 'follow me.'" * * * "Knowing Seymour well, and having had opportunities to know him thoroughly, officially and personally during the war, we *reluctantly but firmly* apply to whomsoever shall question his active and practical loyalty the famous words of the great Radical chief who answers every charge which he deem unfounded by this striking phrase of the pure Saxon dialect, 'You lie, you villain, you lie;' and—what the great Radical philosopher does not do—we are willing to be held responsible for these words."

PRESIDENT JOHNSON.—The Radicals have been industriously circulating the report that President Johnson will not support Seymour and Blair. The *Ledger's* Washington correspondent says:

"The reports sent hence relative to the feeling of the Administration toward the Democratic nominees for *President and Vice President are erroneous.* There has been no formal consideration of this subject in Cabinet. So far as Mr. Johnson is concerned, it is certain he will support Seymour and Blair; and several members of the Cabinet are as *decidedly in favor of* those candidates."

Nobody of sense ever supposed that the President would or could consistently do anything else.

THE MARCH TO DESPOTISM.

No election in Virginia,
No election in Mississippi,
No election in Texas,
No election in Florida.

ESCAPED.—The *Rev.* Henry Wendt, formerly superintendent of the Lutheran Orphans' Home at Germantown and who, about two years ago, was arrested, convicted and sentenced to a term of fifteen years in the Eastern Penitentiary for having outraged a number of little girls under his care in the Home, we see has succeeded in effecting his escape from prison, and it is said has gone to Europe.

DEXTER, a few days ago, at New York, trotted a mile in two minutes and fourteen seconds—the fastest time on record. One quarter was made in thirty seconds, or at the rate of a mile in two minutes.

Is the Union restored? Not according to the Grant Reconstruction platform.

SENATORIAL CONFERENCE.

At a meeting of the Conferees appointed by the several Democratic Conventions of the Seventeenth Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Adams and Franklin, held at Graeffenberg Springs, August 24th, 1868, Dr. Maxwell Kennedy, of Franklin, was chosen President, and S. H. Eicholtz, of Adams, Secretary. The following were the Conferees:

Adams—Hon. Moses McClean, Adam Rebert, Esq., and S. H. Eicholtz.

Franklin—Capt. G. W. Skinner, G. W. Welsh, Esq., and Dr. Maxwell Kennedy.

Nominations for a candidate for the State Senate were then made, Mr. McClean naming Joseph P. McDivit, Esq., of Adams, and Capt. Skinner naming Calvin M. Duncan, Esq., of Franklin.

Twenty-two ballots were had without a choice—each resulting 3 for McDivit and 3 for Duncan. On the 23d ballot, (Tuesday,) C. M. Duncan received a majority of the votes, and was thereupon unanimously declared the nominee.

Capt. Skinner then offered the following preamble and resolution, which were adopted, also unanimously:

WHEREAS C. M. Duncan, Esq., of Franklin county, was, three years ago, chosen by a majority of the people of the Senatorial District composed of Franklin and Adams to represent them in the Senate of Pennsylvania; and whereas a partisan committee of that body did, in defiance of every sense of right and justice, deprive him of his seat—therefore,

Resolved, That while we recognize in the candidate offered by Adams, Mr. McDivit, a gentleman of acknowledged merit and ability, and one who would make a faithful representative, we deem it but just, and a fitting rebuke to Radical unfairness, to nominate, as the unanimous choice of the Conference, for re-election, the candidate of three years ago, C. M. Duncan.

On motion, the Conference adjourned *sine die.*

MAX. KENNEDY, Pres't.
S. H. EICHOLTZ, Sec'y.

THE PLAN OF THE RADICALS.

The Radical National Committee had a meeting at Washington recently—called to devise some plan for the guidance of their party in the Presidential campaign. The elections in Oregon, Kentucky and Montana have completely terrified them, and they are in a strait as to how they can extricate themselves. It was in this frame of mind they met. Horace Greely was in favor of concentrating all their power on the three great States of New York, Pennsylvania, and Ohio, but the other members of the Committee overruled him. It was agreed that no power could take New York from Seymour and Blair, and that labor and money used in that State would only be thrown away. They therefore resolved to devote all their energy and money to Pennsylvania and Ohio in the October election, and carry them if possible. Here, then, Democrats, is the Radical plan of campaign. This and the adjoining State of Ohio are to be made the battle ground, *and there and here they will spare no* effort to beat us. They well know that as these great States go in October, so will they go in November—and that they will settle the Presidential contest in advance of the election for Electors. Democrats of Adams county, are you ready for the contest? Your enemy has thrown down to you the gage of battle, and say that here, on your own soil, the great battle is to be fought. Are you prepared to meet them? Remember that no amount of time, or money, or energy will be spared to compass your defeat. With them defeat is death, and they know it—hence the desperation with which they will contest every inch of ground. Your and our cause, Democrats, is just, and can and will lead to certain victory if properly pressed, while theirs is the cause of tyrants and despotism, negro supremacy and grinding taxes. *He is thrice armed whose cause is just*—but we must not rely entirely on the justice of our cause to give us victory. Much work is required—work early and work late, from now until the day of the election, and the closing of the polls. They are already half beaten by fear, and united effort will accomplish their entire overthrow.

HOW LONG?

How long will the patience of the American people endure? How long will they consent to bear the enormous burthen of taxation, imposed upon them because necessary to the continuation of Radical misrule; and oppressing them, that their oppressors may retain power? During the war the people bore their burthen without complaint, that the life of the nation might be preserved. In this they were faithful to duty. But the war is over, has been over for three years, and yet we are compelled to pay the enormous sum of four hundred and sixty millions of dollars a year in taxes! No nation on the face of the earth levies and collects such taxes as does our own. We are taxed from the cradle to the grave. Fully one half, if not more, of our earnings are absorbed by the *great cancer* of Radicalism which is eating away the very heart of the nation. We are told that a reduction of our taxes has been made, to the extent say of one hundred millions of dollars. Who among us has been relieved of any part of that burthen? Not one. The manufacturers of the Eastern States have, we suppose on account of their superior loyalty, been relieved. They make money, and we pay the piper! Thank Heaven, the working people, the Mechanic, Farmer, and Laborer are becoming awake to their *interests; to the peril of further faith* in Radicalism, and the result of the next election will prove that they have not studied the situation in vain. The voice of the people will declare against feeding the lazy and worthless negroes of the South, and keeping under pay a standing army, useless and unnecessary. We need no Freedmen's Bureau, we require no standing army. Away with both these excrescences—away with the idle herd fed by them. And, as Radicalism cannot exist without the support of these and kindred causes and impositions, we pray fervently that it may be wiped out and be no longer a plague and torment to the people.—*Herald*

GEN. WM. H. IRWIN, of Mifflin county, an influential Republican soldier, will make a Seymour and Blair speech at Altoona to-morrow evening. The Radicals cannot afford to lose many such "traitors."

WILLIAMS, the impeacher, has been defeated for a re-nomination in the Pittsburg district. Thus is "traitor Andy" endorsed even by Radicals.

MR. PENDLETON addressed a meeting of 25,000 people at Portland, Maine, a few days ago. Extraordinary enthusiasm prevailed.

Local Department.

TOWN, COUNTY AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES

Parade.—The Gettysburg Zouaves will meet at their Armory, for parade and drill, on Saturday, August the 29th, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Pic Nic.—A Grand Jubilee and Basket Pic Nic is announced to come off in the grove near Mummasburg, on Saturday, September 12th.

Eagle Shot.—Mr. Wm. Furney, on Wednesday, near the head of Horner's dam, shot a large Bald Eagle, measuring five feet five inches from tip to tip of the wings.

Sickness at York.—It is reported that a malarious fever, of a malignant type, has broken out at York—especially in that section east of Main street bridge—and that hundreds of persons are down with it. Dr. John Hay, a leading physician, died of the disease on Wednesday. We have no doubt, however, that many of the reports are exaggerated.

Big Canteloups.—We are indebted to Mr. James McBride, the clever gardener at Mt. St. Mary's, near Emmittsburg, for the present of several mammoth canteloups, a lot of okra, &c. One of the canteloups measured 2 feet one way and 2 feet 8 inches the other, and weighed 10 pounds! In quality they were all first-rate. Mr. McBride has the thanks of the editor and his household.

Camp Meeting.—The colored Camp Meeting, at Wolf's Spring, near this place, commenced on Wednesday. Quite a number of tents are up, and seats are provided for twelve or thirteen hundred people. The attendance is expected to be very large to-morrow and Sunday. A train from town to the Camp and back, is now running every hour.

More Horses Stolen.—Two fine horses were stolen from Mr. Emanuel Weikert, in Cumberland township, on Sunday night. Two stragglers seen in the neighborhood the day previous, no doubt committed the theft.

We hear it reported that the parties supposed to have stolen Col. John Waugh's horses, several weeks ago, have been arrested in Baltimore. If guilty, too severe an example cannot be made of them. In the West they hang horse thieves.

Railroad Meeting.—A meeting of all interested in the building of the Emmittsburg Railroad, will be held at the Western Maryland Railroad Hotel, in Emmittsburg, on Saturday, September 5th, at 2 o'clock, P. M. It will be addressed by Capt. Robert Irwin, Augustus Schriver, Esq., Mr. Wills, of Baltimore, and others. Mayor Banks and President Bollman will also be present. We are requested to urge upon the friends of the enterprise a full attendance at the meeting.

Court Doings.—The following cases were disposed of in Court after our report for last week had been made up:

COMMON PLEAS.

James G. Spaulding vs. Levi A. Caskey.—Action on a sealed note.—Verdict for the plaintiff for $143.87.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Commonwealth vs. Margaret Palm.—Assault and battery on James Green. Defendant plead guilty, and was sentenced to pay the costs.

Com vs. George W. Slonaker.—Larceny of $13 and a pocket book from Henry Monfort. Verdict guilty, and defendant sent to the House of Refuge at Philadelphia.

Com. vs. John Smith.—Larceny of $10 and a pocket book from Robert S. Paxton. Verdict not guilty.

Com. vs. James Green.—Assault and battery on Alfred Palm. Verdict guilty, and defendant sentenced to pay a fine of $5 and the costs.

Com. vs. Mary Zelner.—Assault and battery on Lena Betzel. Bill ignored by Grand Jury, and prosecutrix to pay the costs.

Com. vs. Mary Betzel and Lena Betzel—Assault and battery on Mary Zelner. Bill ignored by Grand Jury, and prosecutrix to pay the costs.

Philomathean Re-Union.—The Philomathean Society of the College had a Re-Union of Thursday of Commencement week, Hon. John E. Smith presiding. An address of welcome was delivered by the President of the Society, and interesting letters were read from former members. A sketch of the organization, progress and present condition of the Society was read by Edward T. Horn, one of the present members. It was organized in 1831 with 16 members, and has now on its roll over 90. The Library contains 4,800 volumes, which is annually replenished by the interest of the "$1000 Library Fund," besides a Reading Room for the use of the members, where the leading journals of the country may be found. The Society has also $200 invested, to be applied to the refitting of the Hall in future. Addresses were made by a number of honorary members, formerly in active connection with the Society, detailing *interesting reminiscences of its past* history.

Selling Off.—It will be seen by their advertisement in another column, that Buehorn & Hoffman, corner of Carlisle street and the Diamond, are selling off their large stock at cost, with a view to changing their business. They invite the public generally to call, and promise most astonishing bargains. 7t

A Full Assortment.—The attention of Farmers, Builders, Contractors, and others is invited to the large assortment of LUMBER of all kinds suitable for building purposes, to be found at Col. C. H. BUEHLER'S Lumber Yard, at corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets, including Boards, Planks, Flooring, Siding, Laths, Pickets, Shingles, &c. Also Posts, hewed and sawed, with prime Fencing Boards, White Pine and Hemlock. His stock is not only large, but his arrangements are such that he can sell at the very lowest cash rates. Also, constantly on hand, Blacksmith, Lime-burners' and Stove COAL. tf

Speer's "Standard Wine Bitters."—The undeniable fact that these Bitters are composed in the main of Speer's pure wine analysed, and recommended to invalids and the Medical Profession, by the best Chemists in the United States, cannot fail in inspiring confidence in the public, in the use of the "Wine Bitters."

Sold by Fred. Brown, corner of 5th and Chestnut sts., and other Druggists.

AN exchange says with great truth that in good old Democratic times the poor man might go to market with his money in his pocket and bring back his purchase in a basket. Now the order of things is reversed. He may take money to market in a basket and bring back the purchase in his pocket.

Seymour and Blair Meeting in the Court-house.—A meeting of the friends of Seymour and Blair was held in the Court-house, in this place, on Thursday evening of last week. H. J. Stahle called the meeting to order, and proposed the following list of officers, which was unanimously adopted:

President, Capt. Robert McCurdy.

Vice Presidents, Messrs. Daniel Geiselman, Jacob Hull, Isaac Lightner, William Dutters, Wm. Bittinger, S. S. Bishop, Lewis Will, Wm. B. Gardner, Thomas N. Dicks, Peter Orndorf, Edward Menchy, Philip A. Myers, Jacob, Troxel, and Jacob Benner.

Secretaries, Capt. S. H. Eicholtz, Capt. Henry Chritzman, J. W. Lott, and John A. Atwell.

Wm. A. Duncan, Wm. McClean and E. B. Buehler, Esqs., successively *addressed the meeting—all dealing in* telling facts and convincing arguments, which elicited frequent and hearty applause.

Though held on short notice, the meeting was largely attended. When the last speaker closed, cheers were proposed for the Democratic standard bearers, and responded to with a will that gave earnest of the determination of the masses to rid the country of Radical misrule and extravagance.

Club Meetings.—The Seymour and Blair Club will meet next Monday evening, at 7½ o'clock, in the Arbitration Room—when several speeches may be expected. All friends of the good cause are cordially invited to attend.

The Club will meet every Monday evening during the campaign at the same place.

Lives of Seymour and Blair.—Elsewhere we publish an advertisement for Agents to take subscriptions for the Lives of Horatio Seymour and Francis P. Blair, Democratic candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. The work is written by James B. McCabe, Jr., and is published by the United States Publishing Company, New York. The publishers say that "Agents in all parts of the country are finding this great standard work the best opportunity to make money ever offered, as its large size, low price, and great popularity have made a positive *demand* which canvassers only have to supply."

Thomas G. Lee requests us to mention that he has secured an agency for this work, and will canvass the country.

Radical Meeting.—The Radicals had a meeting in the Court-house on Friday evening. Notwithstanding their majority in the borough, the gathering was slim. McPherson and McConaughy made speeches. The former is the holder of a *very* "fat" office, and wants to keep it; the latter is after something of "the same sort," but would jump at any bone thrown to him. Patriotic chaps, both!

Radical Candidate for State Senator.—The Radical Conferees of this district met at Graeffenberg on Wednesday. As both counties had instructed for W. D. Dixon, of Franklin county, he was unanimously nominated. The Radicals do not manifest any enthusiasm over this choice, but are glad that McConaughy has been shelved.

Surveyor Appointed.—Capt. Henry Chritzman, of this place, has been appointed United States Surveyor of Distilleries for the 16th district. This is a meritorious appointment—one which gives us genuine pleasure to chronicle

Housekeepers and others wanting good Cooking Stoves, the best in the market, warranted to bake and give satisfaction, or any thing in the line of Tin Ware, Japan Ware, Hollow Ware, Chamber Sets, Bread and Spice Boxes, Ice Cream Freezers, Water Coolers, Coffee Mills, Bird Cages, Fruit Jars and Cans, Waiters, &c., &c, will find just what they want at the Ware-room of Col. C. H. Buehler, corner of Railroad and Carlisle street, opposite the Passenger Depot, and at prices which defy competition. tf

More Economical, Remarkable Certainty of prompt action, in fact, every good quality is guaranteed for Mrs. S. A. ALLEN'S IMPROVED (*new style*) HAIR RESTORER OR DRESSING, (*in one bottle.*) Every Druggist sells it. Price One Dollar. Aug 7. 4t

If our friends will use preparations for restoring gray hair they should use the best in the market. Our attention has lately been call to an article which has an excentive sale and a very high reputation, known as Ring's Vegetable Ambrosia, and we are inclined to think that it possesses more desirable and less objectionable qualities than any other in the market. It restores gray or faded hair to its original color in a most remarkable manner, and by its invigorating and soothing properties removes all dandruff and humors from the scalp. Give it a fair trial and you cannot fail to like it. Aug 7. 4t

"THE next election will turn upon this question: Can the Congressional party succeed in their efforts to excite and array the industrial *and money interests against each other, or will* these unite and turn out the authors of the mischief under which they are all suffering."—HORATIO SEYMOUR.

THE Cattle Disease is creating consternation in different parts of the country. It first broke out among a lot of Texas cattle at Chicago; spreading rapidly, it soon affected other herds there. By transportation, it has reached Philadelphia and New York; several cases are also reported at Baltimore. Farmers around the two former cities are losing large numbers of cows and other cattle. In the West it is spreading from State to State, and is dreaded as much as is the Rinderpest in Europe. Farmers everywhere are beginning to manifest deep concern in regard to this, thus far, uncontrollable disease

WHEN the pretended Legislature of Florida was about to take from the people the right to vote for Presidential electors, a loil Floridian from Kansas thus gave the grounds and reasons for the law:

"The Republicans," said he, "have the power, and they are going to keep it as long as there is a bayonet to back them. They will not go before the people on an issue, the result of which may deprive them of power."

MUCH alarm is felt in Louisiana. The negroes are drilling in country districts, and threatening to rise against the whites. They say they were promised land and mules, and mean to have them. This is a result of Radicalism.

A CORRESPONDENT has been at the vain task of pumping Seward. He asked him whether he should support Grant. Seward replied, "I don't know how you can ask such a question."

WISCONSIN is going for Seymour and Blair—sure. It is probable even that it will go Democratic by a sufficient majority to overcome a gerrymandered Legislature, and send Doolittle back to the Senate.

The Appraisement of Damages.—We copy the following from the *Franklin Repository*, (Radical,) published at Chambersburg, as a matter of interest to the people of this county:

The Commission appointed under the act of the Legislature of last winter, to appraise the damages suffered by the citizens of Franklin, Fulton, Bedford, Adams, York, and Cumberland counties, sat in Chambersburg, on Thursday of last week, [6th inst.] We are loth to say anything unfavorable towards any movement which promises in the slightest degree to afford compensation for the great losses our people sustained by the war. Many of them were seriously crippled in their means, and some rendered absolutely pennyless, and we hold that a great and prosperous State like the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, no mean empire in itself, should not fail to make full compensation to the sufferers.

But this is not contemplated *in the* action of the Legislature. The law says:

"When such claims have been fully adjudicated, reported and filed, it shall then be the duty of the proper officer of the Commonwealth, to be designated by the Governor, to proceed to recover compensation for said losses from the general government, and when so collected, and not till then, shall the amount so recovered be paid, *pro rata*, to the sufferers of said counties in accordance with the report of the said commissioners of their claims, and their receipting in full to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania."

We know that this Commission has been rendered popular by means of the impression having been spread abroad that the State proposes to pay these losses. It is entirely without *foundation*. The law contemplates nothing more than the making of an estimate of the losses and submitting it to the General Government, and even then does our people the injustice to provide that they must receipt in full to the State, no matter what proportion of the losses be paid. The action of the Commission itself, while performing the duty intrusted to it by His Excellency Gov. Geary, was such as to discourage and disgust applicants, but whether this arose from circumstances against which they could not provide or was the result of their own complicity with bad men, we do not pretend to say. It was impossible to prepare and examine with any care and correctness the statements of losses of a thousand men in one day, even if the best opportunity had been given, but the Commission sat in a hotel and were surrounded by Justices of the Peace and cross-road lawyers from other counties, like scavengers in the wake of an army, who plundered without stint the unfortunate victim who had already suffered greater losses than he could bear. We *still recollect* with pride the dignified and manly body which sat in the Court House in the spring of 1866 to adjudicate the losses of the citizens of Chambersburg occasioned by the burning of the town by rebels. No one could say aught against them. No breath of suspicion was ever whispered against the purity and integrity of their action. It was in the power of the present Commission to have done as well.

We would not be willing to say one word to discourage any one from making every effort to recover a claim, so just as these we have mentioned, from the Commonwealth or the General Government, but we do not hesitate to say that the General Government will never pay a cent upon the present appraisement. If Congress ever does, and we sincerely hope she will, conclude to compensate us, an estimate of the losses will be made in a careful and judicious manner; the best testimony will be had, an abundance of time will be taken, and a just and impartial decision will be made. The labor of this Commission will be thrown aside as so much waste paper, and the expenses incident to its execution will be so much lost to the State, while that filched from our citizens, in the shape of fees, will go to make an apex to the monument erected to our former loses.

WHO boasted that they would not vote a man nor a dollar to put down the Rebellion? The Democratic Party.—*New York Tribune.*

"You lie, you villain, you lie!" Had it not been for Democratic soldiers and Democratic contributions of money, the rebellion could not have been subdued, and you know it, you white faced hypocrite. But who declared that if the Cotton States chose to secede, it would be criminal to coerce them into the Union? *Horace Greely, who dares not deny it.*

HON. WM. A. WALLACE has been nominated for a third term in the State Senate, and will be elected by a larger majority than ever.

THE Democrats of the Cambria district have nominated Col. John P. Linton for Congress. An excellent choice.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian HAIR RENEWER.

The basis of its remedial properties is a vegetable compound.

IT WILL RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR.

It will keep the hair from falling out.

It cleanses the scalp and makes the hair soft, lustrous and silken.

It is a splendid hair dressing.

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Treated, with the utmost success, by Dr. J. ISAACS, Oculist and Aurist, (formerly of Leyden, Holland,) No. 405 ARCH Street, Philadelphia. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the City and Country can be seen at his office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No charges made for examination.

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Females specularily situated, or those supposing themselves so, are cautioned against using these Pills while in that condition lest they "invite miscarriage," after