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HON. JOHN CESSNA,

the Republican candidate for Congress, will speak in

GETTYSBURG,

On Wednesday Evening next, at 7½ o'clock.

An Excursion Train will leave Littlestown on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock, passing Hanover at 6.30, reaching Gettysburg in time for the meeting, and return after the meeting. Mr. CESSNA will also speak at

FAIRFIELD, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28.
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LITTLESTOWN, FRIDAY, " 2.

All the Meetings will be held in the Evening at 7½ o'clock.

There will be the only opportunities to hear Mr. CESSNA before the election. Let the people turn out in force to hear this eloquent champion of our principles.

VERMONT AND MAINE HAVE SPOKEN—PENNSYLVANIA WILL SPEAK NEXT.

By order of the County Committee.

EDWARD MCPHERSON, Chairman.

Sept. 18, 1868.

MEETING OF CONGRESS.

It will be recollected that Congress took a recess until Sept. 21, with the understanding that unless some special trouble should arise requiring a meeting, the members would not attend, the presiding officers in such case to adjourn both houses to December—the decision of the question being left with Senator MORGAN and Representative SCHENCK. These gentlemen had a conference in Washington on Tuesday, and in view of the threatened Rebellion in the South and the uncertain purposes of the President, it was not deemed safe to adjourn over to December.—Accordingly, in a circular issued by Messrs. MORGAN and SCHENCK, they recommend that there be a full attendance in both Houses on Monday, whilst at the same time they express the opinion that it will not be necessary to enter upon the transaction of general business, nor to prolong the session longer than may be necessary to provide for another adjournment. Senator MORGAN and Mr. SCHENCK are understood to be in favor of an adjournment over until the 21st of October.

TOOMBS of Georgia, in his speech of September 4, in Georgia, said "*it was a matter of indifference to him if everybody in the land* KNEW *that he would hear of the repudiation of the National debt with great equanimity. He wouldn't lose a dollar by it!*"

That is one reason why he, and those like him, so sternly resist acquiescence in the adoption of the XIVth Amendment to the Constitution. With that adopted, the Union Debt can never be repudiated, nor the Rebel Debt assumed.

OLD KNOW NOTHINGS are getting high places in the Copperhead ranks. TOM SWANN, Chief of the Plug Uglies, is their nominee for Congress in Baltimore; and another like him, THEO. F. RANDOLPH, is their candidate for Governor of New Jersey.

MONARCHISTS AT HEART!

An honest Confession of the truth!!

The prevalence of aristocratic, and even monarchial principles, among a large circle of the Copperhead politicians—especially those of the South—is a matter of notoriety among those who have had the opportunity of ascertaining their private opinions which personal and social intercourse gives. We have often heard them expressed, publicly as well as privately, by that class; and occasionally have seen these views defended in Southern papers.

But this poison is penetrating the Northern Copperheads. The *Round Table*, a New York journal of that persuasion, has often intimated its disgust with popular government, and is constantly sneering at what it considers the "failure of our form of Government."

We have had recently a striking illustration of this tendency nearer home, in the person of a no less distinguished "Democrat" than Hon. JEREMIAH S. BLACK, Mr. Buchanan's Attorney General, and the ablest of his party's leaders in the State, if not in the Nation. In his speech in York, August 24th, 1868, printed in the York *Gazette* of September 1, we find this paragraph, near the close:

"Rather than see General Grant elected President with the understanding that he is to administer the government on the congressional plan of disregarding all constitutional obligations it would be far better to let him or somebody else be proclaimed ABSOLUTE DICTATOR AND ABOLISH THE CONSTITUTION AT ONCE. For myself, if I must choose between the two most frightful evils that ever scourged the human race, I WILL, WITHOUT HESITATION, TAKE AN UNLIMITED MONARCHY, IN PREFERENCE TO A ROTTEN REPUBLIC."

The evidence required by him that the republic is "rotten," and deserves to be overthrown, will be the election of GRANT, on the principles laid down in the Chicago Platform, and in his letter of acceptance! In that event, Judge BLACK declares that he prefers that some body shall revolutionize the Government, declare himself dictator, and establish an "unlimited monarchy" on its ruins.

This reminds us of a recent declaration of one of the Rebel Chiefs that he will honor the flag of the Republic, when it again symbolizes a Nation governed by the "Democratic" Party. But that while it represents a Nation with "Democratic" principles ignored, and Copperhead leaders deprived of power, he will continue to hate it!

Judge BLACK, and his open Rebel friend, are logical in their position.—They don't believe in the principles of the declaration of Independence. They have no faith in Universal Liberty.—They have no appreciation for the comprehensive words of LINCOLN at Gettysburg: "A government *of* the people, *for* the people and *by* the people." The people are to be respected, as long as they willingly bow to the loads put upon them by Rebel policy and Copperhead leaders. But if the *people* shall turn against them, they will turn against the people; and declare for a MONARCHY, AN UNLIMITED MONARCHY—consenting to be governed without constitutional protection, without law, and at the will of one man!

What, no doubt, reconciles them to this, is their conviction that they are the *born governors of the people;* and that they will have higher places at the Court of the Monarch, than they have had in the assemblies of the people.

LET NO SUCH MEN BE TRUSTED.

"LET US HAVE PEACE!"—VERMONT AND MAINE.

GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE has given it out that nothing prevents prosperity in the South except the Constitutional Amendment disqualifying certain conspicuous and perjured Rebels from office.

This shows that the great anxiety of the old slaveholders is not to go to work to retrieve their fortunes, but to get in position to *hold office*, and plot new mischief.

One thing is certain that if the XIVth Constitutional Amendment be overthrown, and the disabilities therein affixed be removed, nothing will then stand in the way of making LEE Secretary of War, WISE Attorney General, and restoring the whole brood of traitors to the places from which they ran away in 1861.

That's what they are after; and Frank Blair, in his speech accepting the New York nomination, said that it would be *uncivilized* in us not to share our rights, honors and dignities with such men as LEE and JOHNSTON. *We* are so uncivilized as to prefer GRANT and SHERMAN.

GEN. ROSECRANS wrote, February 18, 1863, as follows:

"The leaders of this rebellion are perfidious, treacherous, unscrupulous and cruel; their leaders never will nor can be peaceable, or true friends and neighbors. We should rejoice to see the power of these leaders fall by the hand of their own people whom they oppress; the people for whose rights we fight in common with our own; but unless it does this they must destroy it, or it will destroy our nation."

Electing SEYMOUR will be the restoration of these leaders to their old places of influence and power.

DID you hear that thunder down in Maine?

PERCY WALKER, of Alabama, who earned a title in the Rebel service, highly eulogizes the Northern Democracy:

"This is the first time (referring to the Democratic Convention) since the day when Robert E. Lee, the great commander of our armies, was compelled to give up the contest gallantly waged for four years, that I have seen a light in the clouds hanging ever the South. At last *the great National Democratic party has taken up our cause!*"

COPPERHEADS bawl about the horrors of "Negro domination" in the South.

There are nine millions of whites, and three and a half millions of blacks, in the Rebel States. What's got over these nine millions, that they can't hold their own, with the three and a half? Before the war, a Rebel could whip five Yankees! Now, he can't cope, in voting, with his former slave. Rather a tough story.

THE Beginning of the End—Maine Election.

SAM. COX, who is to be in Pennsylvania soon, a SEYMOUR stumper, said lately to a man whom he considered a Democrat:

"I tell you, sir, it is no use shutting our eyes to plain facts. The popular enthusiasm for Grant is irresistible. He will sweep everything before him."

Cox is smart enough to know; and was incautious enough to tell. "Get out of the way, ye snakes!"

PENDLETON is scared about Ohio, September 1, he telegraphed to Gen. McClernand:

"Just arrived at home. The condition of our canvass in Ohio requires me to withdraw all my appointments in Illinois."

The "Buckeyes" are "wide awake."

"ONLY A BLACKSMITH."

We have alluded elsewhere to the manifest tendency to aristocratic, and even monarchial, notions among the Democratic politicians of the country, and have given two marked illustrations of it. We did not expect, so soon, to have another illustration of it, and in our own county.

It has been reported to us that the Democratic candidate for Assembly—Dr. DILL of York Springs,—when he heard of the nomination of Capt. C. G. MILLER as his competitor, ridiculed the idea of the Republicans putting up a poor "blacksmith" against him!

Dr. DILL may be a very intelligent man; but, if this statement be true, he is certainly not a very wise one. Doubtless, he has had educational advantages superior to those enjoyed by Capt. MILLER. His wealth enabled him to study a profession. But we are at a loss to preceive that this circumstance, of itself, entitles him to popular favor.

For our own part we have no doubt that Capt. MILLER is a gentleman of superior natural ability to Dr. DILL; and that if he had had the advantages of a thorough training his superior powers would now be unquestioned.—But most of his youth was spent in work; and of his early manhood, in the tented field, serving his country against which Dr. DILL's friends were making War.

Capt. MILLER is a blacksmith, and earns his living by hard manual work. We honor him for it. Probably Dr. DILL is not aware that the wisest and best of the men who framed our National Constitution were mechanics, and that in those days a man was not "hooted at" because he was a mechanic. At that time, the present mean type of counterfeit *aristocratic* Democracy had not arisen.

The growth of this class of ideas, although to be anticipated, as the professional classes increase in power over society, is very much deprecated, for they set up a false standard of merit, and are apt to mislead the public judgment.

We shall vote for Capt. MILLER the sensible, intelligent mechanic, if for no other reason, as a rebuke of the contemptible spirit which decries him because he is a son of labor.

Let the County honor itself by sending him to Harrisburg to represent us!

WONDER whether Seymour had heard of Maine when he said his friends were "plunging him into a sea of troubles!"

As some of the more reckless Copperhead papers continue their infamous slanders as to Gen. GRANT's personal habits, we are glad to find in a late number of the Lutheran *Observer* a notice of the slanders by its Washington correspondent. The writer is the Rev. Dr. BUTLER, an active member of the Board of Trustees of Pa. College and of the Theological Seminary in this place—well known to our citizens as a Christian minister of high personal character, whose statements can be implicitly relied on. Writing from Washington under date of Aug. 7, he says:

"An esteemed Christian minister, for himself and for 'many' whom he represents, writes me, asking, 'Is it a fact that General Grant is a drinking man? Does he drink intoxicating liquors to excess? Is he a drunkard?' Many of us (ministers) want to know whether these charges are true, and are willing to rest the question on your decision.'

"It is proper that the people of this land should know whether these things are so, and these questions have been thoroughly investigated by men at the Capital, interested in all that pertains to the well being of the Republic. Their unequivocal and emphatic answer is, that they are not true. No—General Grant's appearance indicates nothing of the kind. I have seen him repeatedly in his office, upon the street, and at his own residence, and have seen nothing upon which to give these charges the shadow of foundation. Those who know him best—total abstinence men, and Christian men, soldiers and civilians, say that he does not taste even wine—that his habits are strictly in accordance with the temperance principles of the day.

"It is my duty, for me to add, that Hon. Schuyler Colfax punctiliously abstains from all appearance of evil, in this respect. He is a communicant in the Reformed (Dutch) Church, a denomination not represented by a church organization at the Capital. He is a pew holder in St. Paul's Lutheran church, of which the writer of this is Pastor. The Lord hasten the time when all American statesmen and soldiers shall keep God's Sabbaths and reverence His sanctuaries.

Glad that I am able to furnish this testimony, I am very truly yours," B * * *

"CAUGHT up in a Whirlwind"—the Democracy of Maine.

JERRY S. BLACK, Buchanan's Attorney General, who couldn't find any Constitutional power to prevent the South from seceding and destroying the Union, has quarelled with Secretary SEWARD, because the latter persists in not endorsing the claims of some of Jerry's clients to the Alta Vega islands, writes a letter to President Johnson, demanding the removal of the Secretary. The letter is written in Judge Black's peculiarly offensive style. It is hard to say whether the President or his Secretary is most complimented in this extract:

"And you keep this drivelling charlatan in office. Nay, you keep him at the head of your Administration and give him an influence only equalled by that which in former times some old strumpet might have exercised over the mind of an imbecile monarch. Madame de Pompadour used her power with Louis XV. to fill the Bastiles of France with the best and most innocent men of that generation, and she kept them there until her cruel spite was appeased by their sufferings. Thus far your favorite bears a frightful resemblance to the mistress of Louis XV.; but she would have blushed to invent false excuses for foreign robbers who had plundered her countrymen by wholesale. The King of Bavaria, in the most infatuated hour of his life, would have turned Lola Montez from his bed and board if she had dared to urge upon him an act of injustice so gross as this."

COL. J. B. SWEITZER, a lawyer of high standing in Pittsburg and a prominent leader of the Democracy in Allegheny county, has pronounced for GRANT and COLFAX. Two years ago he ran as the Democratic candidate for Congress against Gen. MOOREHEAD.—On Thursday evening last he presided at a Grant and Colfax meeting in Pittsburg and made a telling speech. He is a Democrat but can't go Seymour and Blair. A gallant soldier during the war, he refuses to train with Rebels and Traitors. So it goes all over the country—honest Democrats recoiling from the revolutionary programme of Seymour, Blair & Co., and wheeling into the support of Grant and Colfax to secure Peace and the fruits of victory. So it was in Vermont and Maine. So it will be in Pennsylvania. Push on the column!

THE Bedford county *Press*, published at Bloody Run, hitherto neutral, has come out for GRANT, COLFAX, and the Republican State, District and County ticket.

Thus the good work goes on!

IF THE negroes in the South had had a vote in 1861, there would have been no secession, and no Rebellion.

White Rebels ought to be modest, when claiming for themselves the exclusive possession of every civic virtue.

AN INTERESTING TABLE.

—The Copperheads are extremely anxious to cover up the past record of their party and candidates, and are flooding the country with pamphlets on the National Debt, Taxation, Extravagance, the Nigger, &c., abounding in gross misrepresentations and huge falsehoods. We have before us one which has been liberally circulated in Adams county, containing, among other things, what purports to be "An interesting table for Tax-Payers." In this "interesting" table Adams county's share of the National Debt is put at $4,817,032, and its share of the annual interest thereon at $280,021.92! When a man sets out to *lie*, he may as well tell a "whopper." Why these same Copperhead leaders know that all the National Taxes put together in Adams county do not amount to *one-tenth* of that sum annually. But suppose it were so, WHO IS RESPONSIBLE? Every dollar of the National Debt is a Democratic Debt, created in putting down a Rebellion begun and carried on by Democrats. Every Greenback and every Dollar of National Tax paid are practical reminders of Democratic perfidy, treason and rebellion! And yet these same "Democrats" have the impudence to ask the people who pay these taxes to restore them to the political power they so shamelessly abused and betrayed. Circulate the documents!

"HAVE you heard the news from Maine?"

COLONIZING VOTES....LOOK OUT!

We find the following despatch in the Philadelphia papers, which may merit the attention of our Republican friends in the townships bordering on Maryland:

BALTIMORE, Sept. 11.—Additional discoveries are being made regarding the plot to transport Maryland voters into York, Lancaster, Berks, ADAMS, Franklin and other counties in Pennsylvania, to carry the October election for the Democrats.

We have received intimations that a similar game is to be played in the townships bordering on York county. In consequence of the heavy Democratic majority in York, voters are to be transferred to Adams county ten days before the October election, to control, if possible, the result in this county and district. We advise the Republicans in these townships to keep a sharp look-out, and see to it that this infamous project of "colonizing" voters is frustrated.

WALLACE, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, understands thoroughly the whole business of ballot-stuffing, fraudulent naturalization papers and cheating generally, nor will he scruple to advise anything calculated to help the lost cause. The law inflicts imprisonment and fine on any person who casts a fraudulent vote, and on any election officer who receives such vote. A citizen to be a qualified voter must reside in the State *one year*, or six months if he at any time before had been a citizen. Let our friends along the border scrutinize the assessments and watch the ballot-box, resolved to have a fair and honest election.

THE NEW REBELLION.

FRANK BLAIR'S revolutionary scheme is in process of development.—This telegram from a Republican Member of Congress from Louisiana, tells the whole story:

"NEW ORLEANS, September 9, 1868.

"*To T. L. Tullock, Secretary of the National Union Committee:*

"My house in St. Francisville was mobbed by armed democrats on the 29th of August.

"They [illegible] hands in my blood and would have my life. They levelled their guns at my wife, and threw burning torches upon my gallery. I was not in the house at the time.

"J. P. NEWSHAN, M. C."

JOHN R. EDES, Copperhead candidate for Governor of Illinois, declared in his recent speech in Chicago that "the Democratic Party, upon reaching power, would *abolish* the National Banks."

Ex-Senator PUGH of Ohio, lately declared the same thing. All the votes cast in Congress indicate this purpose on the part of the Democratic leaders, though there is no specific declaration in the platform on the subject.

The National Banks were established to help the Nation through the struggle with the Rebellion. They loaned many millions of dollars to the government, and were otherwise useful in sustaining the Nation's finances.—Of course, the Copperhead leaders, north and south, feel resentful at this; and a cry for their punishment, by overthrow, may reasonably be expected to follow the accession of that part to power. Fortunately for every interest, the probability of that calamity is quite remote.

MAINE has sent another stormy wave across HORATIO SEYMOUR'S "sea of troubles."

THE Republicans of Philadelphia had a grand demonstration on Tuesday night in front of the Union League House. The Invincibles and other campaign clubs turned out in large numbers, and the whole square was densely filled. Speaking took place from five stands. General SICKLES, Senator SHERMAN, and Hon. EDWARD MCPHERSON were among the speakers. Philadelphia is all ablaze, and will not only wipe out the Democratic majority of last fall but will roll up a rousing majority for GRANT and COLFAX.—The Philadelphia *Daily News*, for a long time the leading representative of "my policy" in that city, and a Democratic organ, has taken ground in favor of GRANT and COLFAX.

THE Tammany platform demands "equal taxation of every species of property according to its real value, including government bonds and other public securities." So they propose to tax every acre of land in Adams county, and every poor man's little town lot, at its full value, in order to carry out Democratic doctrine. They want bonds taxed but they want to balance the bondholders' tax with the plowholders' tax. We commend this plank to the farmers of Pennsylvania.

SOME of the more reckless Copperhead papers are trying to figure a "Democratic victory" out of the returns from Maine. The New York *Herald*, neutral, thus lifts off this new kind of cyphering:

"The newspaper organ of Messrs. Belmont and Barlow claims heavy Democratic gains in the Maine election, and that proportionate gains will give them the States of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana by handsome majorities. *If a frog at the bottom of a well jumps up four feet and falls back six every jump, how many jumps will bring him out?*"

THE Republicans of Franklin county will hold a grand mass meeting in Chambersburg, Pa. on Friday the 25th inst. Hon. HENRY WILSON, of Massachusetts, Hon. W. H. BURLEIGH, of New York, Hon. EDWARD MCPHERSON, of Gettysburg, and Hon. JOHN CESSNA, are announced as the speakers.

THE SECOND GUN!

MAINE ELECTION.

GRAND AND GLORIOUS VICTORY!

TRAMP, TRAMP, TRAMP—THE BOYS ARE MARCHING!

GRANT AND COLFAX ENDORSED.

TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND MAJORITY!

VERMONT FIRED THE FIRST SHOT.

MAINE RESPONDS WITH A BROADSIDE!

FIRING ALL ALONG THE LINE!

RESPONSE FROM THE WEST.

COLORADO AND NEW MEXICO O. K.

"Have you heard the news from Maine?"
'Tis a question old, you know;
They asked it ere the boys were born,
Some thirty years ago.
It meant that men had heard
Of overwhelming gain;
And for me and you it still is true:
WE HAVE HEARD the news from Maine!

Now, boys! a final bumper,
While we all in chorus chant—
"For next President we nominate
Our own Ulysses Grant!"
And if asked what State he hails from,
This our sole reply shall be—
"From near Appomattox Court House,
With its famous apple tree!"
For 'twas to our Ulysses
That Lee gave up the fight—
Now, boys, "To Grant for President.
And God defend the right!"

The election in MAINE on Monday last resulted in a glorious Republican triumph. From all sections of the State there come tidings of heavy gains and glorious victory. Hundreds of life-long Democrats openly voted the Republican ticket, unwilling to follow the party in its shameless alliance with blatant and unrepenting Rebels. The Republicans carry every county in the State—elect all the Congressmen—every State Senator—nearly all the members of the House—and roll up a majority of **20,000!** The following despatch tells the whole story:

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 14.

The election of to-day closed the most exciting and most energetic campaign ever witnessed in Maine. The vote is larger by some thousands than ever before thrown. We have carried every Congressional district, the closest by 2,500 majority.

We have carried every county; regaining the three that were carried by the Democrats last year. We have elected EVERY Senator and seven-eighths of the House of Representatives, and have rolled up a popular majority for Governor Chamberlain of **20,000!** Our majority last year was 11,300, and our average majority for the past twelve years has been 13,600. In our great triumph of 1860 we had 16,000, and in 1864 we had 18,000.

"They [illegible] hands in my blood and would have my life. [illegible] the most brilliant fight that was ever won by the Republican party in Maine, and it has been achieved over the most persistent and maddened efforts of the Democracy.

MAINE WILL THROW **30,000** MAJORITY FOR GRANT AND COLFAX IN NOVEMBER.

JAMES G. BLAINE,
Chairman Republican Committee of Maine.

Maine has tolled the death-knell of the Democratic party. It has been the index State in every Presidential campaign for thirty-five years. From the days of Jackson to the days of Lincoln its voice has been recognized as a prophecy. But at no previous time has the Star of the East shone with a grander significance, or lighted the way to a sublimer or more substantial victory than on Monday last. That Pennsylvania will respond to the magnificent verdict of Maine is as certain as that she re-elected in her October elections the voice of the same State in favor of Andrew Jackson in 1832 and in favor of Abraham Lincoln in 1860 and 1864.

This significance of this victory can best be read in the disappointed expectations of the enemy. As late as the 7th of September, the New York *World*, the leading organ of the Democracy, had an editorial article reviewing the canvass in Maine, which closed with this prediction:

"That the approaching election will REPUBLICAN majority to SOME FIVE THOUSAND, is, we think, as certain as the election day comes, notwithstanding the great exertions and the enormous amount of money which the Radicals are sending to that State to contest the result."

The following despatch was sent to Gen. Grant at Galena, Ill.:

"Maine stands by you in peace as she stood by you in war. She gives Chamberlain 20,000 majority to-day, and will give you 30,000 in November.

"JAMES G. BLAINE,

"Chairman State Committee."

Later—Better Still!

As the returns come in the figures go up, the Republican majority having risen above **23,000!** The telegrams from Maine are something like Gen. GRANT's despatches describing the capture of LEE's army, every fresh one increasing the number of prisoners and the amount of captured material of war. The rebels in both cases seem to have been taken front, flank, and rear!

REPUBLICAN VICTORY IN COLORADO.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 9.—A Denver dispatch says, the election in Colorado yesterday resulted in the election of Allen A. Bradford (Republican) as delegate to Congress, by an increased majority. The Legislature will undoubtedly be largely Republican.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY IN NEW MEXICO.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 9.—A Santa Fe dispatch of yesterday says: The Legislative election yesterday resulted in a Republican victory. The Legislature will be two-thirds Republican.

REJOICINGS.

"Rally Round the Flag, Boys."

CONCORD, N. H., September 14.—The Republicans of Concord are firing one hundred guns, and have bonfires in front of the State House in honor of the victory in Maine.

NEW YORK, September 14.—One hundred guns are being fired in honor of the result of the Maine election.

ALBANY, September 14.—The Republicans here are firing a salute of one hundred guns in honor of the triumph in Maine.

TROY, N. Y., September 15.—The Republicans of this city are rejoicing over the result in Maine. They had to-night a torch-light procession, flag raising, national salute, speeches, &c.

HARTFORD, Ct., September 15.—The Republicans here fired one hundred guns over the Maine election, and the "Boys in Blue" paraded to-night with torchlights.

OF THE 2,018,200 white soldiers of the Union Army from the loyal States and Territories, it has been ascertained that 1,523,300 (or over 75 per cent) were American born. 175,800 (over 8 per cent.) were Germans; and 144,200 (over 7 per cent.) Irish.

SOME Copperheads say that the colored men of the South should not vote, because they are ignorant.

When did the Copperheads exclude a man from the polls, because of his stupidity?

TERRIBLE EARTHQUAKE ON THE COST OF PERU AND EQUADOR.

Destruction of Whole Cities and over 30,000 Lives.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The steamship Guiding Star, from Aspinwall, bring the following intelligence:

On the 13th ult, a terrible earthquake visited the cities along the coast of Peru and Equador, whereby thirty-two thousand lives were lost, and property valued at $300,000,000 was destroyed. A rumbling sound preceded the earthquake, and the sea was terribly agitated, and flooded the land for a great distance.

Arequipa, a city of 35,000 inhabitants, has passed away, scarcely a vestige of it being left. Only 400 lives were lost there. Arica, a town of 12,000 inhabitants, was also destroyed, not a house being left standing; in this town 500 persons perished. A tidal wave, forty feet high, rolled with terrific force on shore, carrying ships futher on land than was ever before known. The United States storeship Fredonia capsized and all on board were lost; she had on board naval stores valued at $1,800,000; she was rolled over and smashed to atoms.

The United States steamer Wateree was carried half a mile inland, left high and dry, but only one sailor was drowned.—Owing to her great distance from the sea, she can never be got afloat again.

The Peruvian corvette America was also carried ashore, and thirty-three of her crew were drowned. The American merchantman Rosa Rivera, the English ship Chancellor, and the French bark Edwards were also lost.

The towns of Iquique, Moquega, Locumbia and Pisaqua were all utterly destroyed. Over 600 people perished at Iquique. The Americans lost heavily, and are nearly totally ruined.

The towns of Ibarra, San Pablo, Atumtabui and Imutad are in ruins. Where the town Coaticachi formerly stood is now a lake. The people of these towns were almost entirely destroyed. The towns of Pancho, Puellaro and Cachiquanjo were also destroyed. The dead bodies are so numerous that the survivors have been forced to fly from the stench of the putrefying bodies. The shocks occurred on the 16th of August, and lasted only five minutes.

POLITICAL ITEMS.

O. J. DICKY, Esq., has been nominated for Congress by the Republicans of Lancaster, as successor to Mr. Stevens.

LETTERS from General Schenck give the most encouraging accounts of the progress of the campaign in Ohio, and promises a glorious Republican success in that State.

REBEL FORREST says that in the event of another contest he will burn no powder on blacks while he can find a white Radical to bestow it on. He will need several large kegs to treat the crowd in November.

HUNDREDS of clerks in Washington who have heretofore been uncertain as to where they stand politically have become ardent Republicans since the Maine election. Still they come.

Is the Republican procession at Bangor, Maine, on Thursday last, was a wagon filled with mutilated Union soldiers, bearing the motto. "This is what we owe to the Democratic party."

THE result of the Maine election has given rise to a report that an effort will be made by leading Democrats to prevail upon Mr. Seymour to withdraw, and at the same time force Blair off the ticket.

ADMIRAL POINTER, says the New York *Herald*, passed through Utica on Thursday, on his way to Niagara. The Admiral does not in the least conceal his preferences for Grant, and is outspoken a and decided on all the great issues of the day.

GEN. Henry C. Deming told the Republicans of Hartford a day or two ago, that he "would as soon trust a sheep to the tender mercies of wolves, a dove to the talon of a hawk, or his family to the guidance of a felon, as turn the Government over to the men who fought four years to destoy it."

In nearly every section of the South, Democratic leaders are endeavoring to gole the black man to vote the Democratic ticket. At the North the black man is held up by Democratic leaders as but one remove from a ring-tailed baboon, and unfit for political rights.

IN a recent speech Wade Hampton said, "The old Government was honored at home, and respected abroad; taxation was light, and plenty blessed the land."

If this were so, then why did Hampton wage a furious, bloody and protracted war to destroy "the old Government?"

THE leading Democrats of Ohio say that the nomination of Vallandigham for Congress will cost them ten thousand votes in that State. If he loses the party ten thousand votes in Ohio he ought to lose them two hundred thousand in the Union.—Every movement made by the Democrats since the 4th of July has been a blunder.

THE N. Y. *Sun* (Independent) thus speaks of the state of the political betting market:

"Immediately after his nomination, the betting was two on Grant to one on Seymour. Then it changed to 120 on Grant to 80 on Seymour, and this is the best show Seymour has ever had. Since then his stock has gone back dreadfully in the betting market, till now the quotations among betting men are three on Grant to one on Seymour."

THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES.—A well-informed gentleman, who has spent the last ten days travelling through Pennsylvania, says that the Keystone State is certain to give a round Republican majority in October. From present indications Seymour will not carry a single Northern State.—The tide is setting in strongly every day for Grant and Colfax. Kentucky and Maryland are the only States to be relied on—even little Delaware wavers. It looks as if the Democracy would distanced in the race in November.

In a conversation with the *Herald* correspondent during a stage-coach ride in Virginia recently, General Lee stated that unless the Democracy were successful in the Presidential election the country would be ruined.

Of course. The party that with Lee at its head tried to destroy the country, is just the party to save it! With Hampton, Forrest, Lee, and other sympathizers in supreme power, not a wave of trouble would ever again roll across its peaceful breast.

PATRIOTIC GEMS FROM THE NEXT PRESIDENT.

"I CARE NOTHING FOR PROMOTION, SO LONG AS OUR ARMS ARE SUCCESSFUL."—Grant to Sherman, February, 1862.

"IF MY COURSE IS NOT SATISFACTORY, REMOVE ME AT ONCE. I DO NOT WISH IN ANY WAY TO IMPEDE THE SUCCESS OF OUR ARMS."—Grant to Halleck, February 6, 1862.

"NO THEORY OF MY OWN WILL EVER STAND IN THE WAY OF MY EXECUTING IN GOOD FAITH ANY ORDER I MAY RECEIVE FROM THOSE IN AUTHORITY OVER ME."—Grant to Secretary Chase, May 29, 1863.

"THIS IS A REPUBLIC WHERE THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE IS THE LAW OF THE LAND."—Grant's Letter to President Johnson, August, 1867.

"I SHALL HAVE NO POLICY OF MY OWN TO INTERFERE AGAINST THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE."—Grant's letter, May 29, 1868.

"HUMAN LIBERTY THE ONLY TRUE FOUNDATION OF HUMAN GOVERNMENT."—Grant's letter to the citizens of Memphis.

"LET US HAVE PEACE."—Grant's letter, May 29, 1868.

Ex-GOVERNOR Tod, of Ohio, tells a good story of Mr. Lincoln, apropos of the letter of thanks sent by the President to Governor Seymour after the Pennsylvania invasion. The Governor says that he sent twice as many troops as Governor Seymour, and that he took Mr. Lincoln to task for complimenting the latter, but saying nothing to himself or Governor Morton of Indiana. "Why Tod," replied Mr. Lincoln, "I never thanked Mrs. Lincoln for a cup of tea in my life." This answer illustrated so perfectly the fact that most Governors were expected to do their duty, while there was some doubt of Governor Seymour, that it was perfectly satisfactory to the gentleman to whom it was addressed.

THE Detroit *Post* has the following:

I.
Seymour, he
Did climb a tree,
His chance in Vermont for to see.
Come down, Horatio.

II.
The tree was tall,
And he did fall,
He didn't see a chance at all.
Come down, Horatio.

III.
Then Franky Blair
Did curse and swear,
His carpet-bag he would prepare—
Keep cool, Franky.

IV.
If Maine went worse,
He would "disperse"
Himself and Seymour in a hearse.
Keep cool, Franky.

V.
Maine *has* went worse,
Now, Frank, "disperse"
Yourself and Seymour in a hearse.
All's up, Franky.

REV. R. L. Dashiell, D. D., has been unanimously elected President of Dickinson College. Dr. Dashiell graduated from Dickinson College in 1846.

THE President, Vice President, and every member of the Rebel Government was a Democrat. Every soldier who, after being educated at the expense of the Government, basely deserted the flag of his country and took up arms against it was a Democrat.—Every member of both branches of the Rebel Congress was a Democrat. Every man in the North who sympathized with traitors and treason in the South during the late civil war was a Democrat.

SEYMOUR'S "friends" are intent on riot and disorder North as well as South. In Philadelphia on Monday night they attacked a Republican procession and five Republicans were seriously injured, four being shot and another cut with an axe. At Troy, New York, on the same evening a Republican procession was assailed by the opponents of peace.

GENERAL N. B. Forrest, a negro trader of Tennessee, thus speaks of the Union men of the South: "I am ashamed to own it that they were nurtured on this soil. They are too low for me to speak about, and I have no words to express my contempt for them." This talk reminds us of the dark days of 1861.

JUDGE George W. Woodward recently said in substance in a speech at Great Bend, Susquehanna county: "Schuyler Colfax is the best presiding officer it has ever been my fortune to know. He is a gentleman and a scholar. The only fault I have to find with him is that he is a Republican."

Special Notices.

ADDRESS TO THE NERVOUS AND DEBILITATED, whose sufferings have been protracted from hidden causes, and whose cases require prompt treatment to render existence desirable: If you are suffering, or have suffered, from involuntary discharges, what effect does it produce upon your general health? Do you feel weak, debilitated, easily tired? Does a little extra exertion produce palpitation of the heart? Does your liver, or urinary organs, or your kidneys, frequently get out of order? Is your urine sometimes thick, milky, or ropy, or is it ropy on settling? Or does a thick scum rise to the top? Or is a sediment at the bottom after it has stood awhile? Do you have spells of short breathing or dyspepsia? Is your bowels constipated? Do you have spells of fainting, or rushes of blood to the head? Is your memory impaired? Is your mind constantly dwelling upon this subject? Do you feel alarmed, nervous, fretful, timid, fearful of company, of life? Do you wish to be left alone, to run away from everybody? Does any little thing make you start or jump? Is your sleep broken or restless? Is the lustre of your eyes brilliant? The bloom on your cheek as bright? Do you enjoy yourself in society as well? Do you pursue your business with the same energy? Do you feel as much confidence in yourself? Are your spirits dull and flagging, given to fits of melancholy? If so, do not lay it to your liver or dyspepsia. Have you restless nights? Your back weak, your knees weak, and have but little appetite, and you attribute this to dyspepsia or liver complaint?

Now, reader, self-abuse, venereal diseases badly cured, and sexual excesses, are all capable of producing a weakness of the generative organs. The organs of generation, when in perfect health, make the man. Do you ever think that those bold, defiant, energetic, persevering, successful business men are ways those who are generative organs are in perfect health? You never hear such men complain of being melancholy, of nervousness, of palpitation of the heart. They are never afraid they cannot succeed in business; they don't become sad and discouraged; they are always polite and pleasant in the company of ladies, and look cast looks or any other meanness. Gentlemen, I do not mean those who keep the organs inflated by running to excess. These will not only ruin their constitutions, but also those they do business with or for.

How many men, from badly cured diseases, from the effects of self-abuse and excesses, have brought about that state of weakness in those organs that has reduced the general system so much as to induce all sorts of other diseases—idiocy, lunacy, paralysis, epileptic affections, suicide, and almost every other form of disease which humanity is heir to, and the real cause of the trouble scarcely ever suspected, and have doctored for all but the right one.

Diseases of these organs