

I know of no mode in which... can so well demonstrate his devotion to his country as by sustaining the Flag, the Constitution and the Union, under all circumstances, and under every administration regardless of party politics, against all assailants, at home and abroad.

The State Elections.—Congress.

The results of elections in the several States last week give the Republicans complete control of Congress by more than a two-third vote. It will be useless therefore for the President to object to any measure Congress may agree upon.

Massachusetts, 70,000; New York, 12,000; New Jersey, 3,000; Illinois, 40,000; Michigan, 30,000; Wisconsin, 18,000; Missouri, 20,000; Kansas, 10,000; Minnesota, 6,000.

Maryland gave a Democratic or Conservative majority of 5000. Delaware gave 1000 majority in the same direction.

The Maryland election was held under the old board of election officers. The new Commissioners having been detained in jail until after the election, they did not succeed in reorganizing new boards—still the election resulted in their favor.

A GLEAM OF SENSE.—There are journals in some of the Southern States that occasionally have lucid intervals, and we are inclined to think the ablest of them are published in New Orleans.

While indorsing the idea that "the prosperity and development of power in the country were the results of sixty years of Southern statesmanship," it makes this confession: "But we have made indifferent local statesmen, and as politics was the medium of our ruin, let us try and get along without it."

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The Right Spirit.—Already the more conservative Republican press are preaching moderation. They feel that the gross abuse of the President by many leading men of their party must injure the character of their party as well as their party.

A society in Canada to the Union of the United States has just been organized at Toronto.

The Baltimore Difficulty.

The Commissioners and the Sheriff... by Governor Swann were arrested on Thursday morning... and were taken before Court...

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THANKSGIVING DAY.

Proclamation of Governor Curtin. Twenty-ninth Day of November Appointed as a Day of Thanksgiving.

In the Name and by the Authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ANDREW G. CURTIN, GOVERNOR OF THE SAID COMMONWEALTH.

Whereas, It hath been the good and worthy custom of the Commonwealth to set apart annually, a day for the special acknowledgment of the goodness of the Almighty, and for expressing, by the whole people, at one time and with a common voice, the thanks and praise which throughout the year are springing from the hearts of men; therefore,

I, Andrew G. Curtin, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do, by this my proclamation, recommend that the good people of the Commonwealth observe Thursday, the 29th day of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and do then assemble in their respective churches and places of worship, and make their humble thank offering to Almighty God for all His blessings during the past year.

For the abundant gathered fruits of the earth. For the thus far continued activity of industry; For the general preservation of health; And especially for that, in His divine mercy, He hath stayed the threatened pestilence.

And, moreover, that they do beseech Him to continue unto us all His blessings, and to confirm the hearts of the people of these United States, that by the lawful force of their will, deeds of good justice, wisdom, and mercy may be done.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the Commonwealth, at Harrisburg, this twenty-ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and of the Commonwealth the ninety-first.

ELI SLIFER, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

GEN. GEARY'S CABINET.—The Harrisburg correspondent of the Chambersburg Repository says: "There is still much speculation as to Gen. Geary's cabinet. It is not probable that Mr. Meredith will want to continue in the Attorney General's office, and the name of Hon. John Scott, of Huntingdon, is now freely spoken of."

The President and the Elections.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—A good deal of speculation is indulged in here as to the feelings and opinions of the President with regard to the result of the elections of Tuesday. Those who have visited Mr. Johnson this evening find him in very good spirits, and not at all disturbed by the political aspect. Many suppose that in view of the results of yesterday's voting the President has some intention of recommending the Southern States to adopt the proposed amendment to the Constitution; but those who look for such action on the part of the Executive will be disappointed.

Mr. Johnson does not regard it as his duty to make any recommendation on this subject whatever. He will leave the matter in the hands of the Southern people, to be disposed of by them without interference or suggestion from him. If the constitutional number of States shall adopt the amendment, Mr. Johnson will bow to the will of the people thus lawfully expressed. Should the amendment fail, the President may suggest for adoption, the two amendments to the Constitution as to taxation and representation heretofore set forth in these despatches.—New York Times.

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The Washington Republican of Friday casts charges that Secretary Stanton withheld from the President an important dispatch from Gen. Baird, sent two days previous to the New Orleans riot, and alleges that if the President had received the dispatch the riot would not have occurred.

The Radicals of Massachusetts at their late election elected two negroes to seats in the Legislature. This is progressive Radicalism, and will be followed in other States as soon as the people can be educated to believe in political negro equality.

The Legislature of the State of Texas having, by a vote of seventy to five, rejected the Constitutional Amendment, has placed itself outside of argument on that question.

General Rosecrans has purchased 3,000 feet of mining territory in California.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

Under this head we give opinions of leading journals, that our readers may see more than one side of a question.

The Nation's Peril.

There is much in the condition of our national affairs, at the present time, to excite the concern of every patriotic citizen...

Until that result is obtained, there surely rests upon the Legislative majorities in the States recently heard from a heavy responsibility to use their power with the utmost discretion. It must be a very confident man who will affirm that the anxieties and difficulties which affect our Government center alone upon the question of admitting or refusing to admit certain States upon their individual conformity to given Congressional enactments.

What they Say. The New York World, (Democratic) has a long article on "elections headed 'What of the future?' of which the subjoined is the gist: These unfortunate elections deprive President Johnson of what ought to have been the chief glory of his administration—the glory of a noble and successful career.

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"Now that the fall elections are over and the verdict of the people has been rendered upon the great issues of the hour, we trust that the acquiescence of all parties in the result, and the obliteration of all the acrimonious feeling engendered during the contest—

"A good many people, and not a few newspapers, will feel ashamed, or ought to feel ashamed, of the part they have played. While there is now opportunity for them to repent and perform penance, there will also be an opportunity for the allotment of those passions which they have attempted to work up."

"Intelligent foreign observers have frequently predicted the breaking down of popular institutions in this country. From the time of the late election, and the deep passions aroused by our off-recurring elections, there are certain characteristics of our recent elections that have a more dangerous and threatening appearance than anything in our previous experience."

Responsibility.

One thing to be steadily kept in view by the party which has been victorious in this election is their responsibility for the good government of the country. They do not stand in the position of an ordinary legislative majority. In all that appertains to national affairs, their will is supreme.

A forthcoming exhibition of wet nurses is announced in the Paris papers. The points to be considered will be the amount and quality of the milk, the age and temperament of the nurses, the kinds of food used by them, &c.

Speech of Governor Swann.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 7.—There is universal joy among the conservatives at the complete triumph they have gained at the election, in spite of the efforts of the radical party. One sees nothing but shaking of hands and congratulations on all sides.

In coming here this morning I did not expect to be followed by so large a crowd of my fellow-citizens. For the last two weeks I have been struggling in the interests of peace and of the Constitution to secure the people of Baltimore their just rights.

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY has sold the marine hospital at Charleston, S. C., to the Protestant Episcopal Church South of that city, to be used as an orphan's home and school for the education of freedmen's children.

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