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VIRTUE LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE

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CARLISLE CLUB, ATTENTION!

The Democratic Club of Carlisle will meet at the Club room (Cumberland engine house,) on *Thursday morning, Oct. 8*, at 9 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a procession to join in the Mass meeting parade. It is hoped that every member of the Club and all others who desire to join in the parade, will meet promptly at the hour named.

A. KERR, *President.*
J. U. WUNDERLICH, *Secretary.*

DEMOCRATIC

E PLURIBUS UNUM

MASS MEETING!

"THE CONSTITUTION AS IT IS—THE UNION AS IT WAS!"

WOODWARD AND VICTORY!

RALLY, FREEMEN, RALLY!

On Thursday, October 8, 1863.

IN CARLISLE.

In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Democratic County Meeting, held in the Court House, in Carlisle, on the evening of the 25th of August, and the action of the Democratic Central Club of Carlisle, a

MASS MEETING,

of the Democracy and conservative men of Cumberland County will be held in the

Borough of Carlisle,

ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1863,

AT 1½ O'CLOCK, P. M.,

to endorse the nominations of WOODWARD and LOWRIE, and to re-affirm the everlasting principles and truths of the great Democratic party. Let all who are in favor of the restoration of the Union, the supremacy of the Laws, the right of Free Speech and Free Press, and the enjoyment of Constitutional Liberty, turn out and hear the issues of the day clearly expressed. Let every one who wishes to see the return of Peace and Prosperity, turn out on that day, and with one voice protest against Tyranny and assert their devotion to the glorious old Union as "the Fathers" made it. Let our noble Democracy and other Constitutional Union men awake—arouse! The enemies of our Country, who trample under foot the Constitution and Laws, and our rights as freemen, must be put down at the ballot-box. INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS, FREE SPEECH, and a FREE PRESS MUST AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED!

Rally, rally, friends of the Union as it was, and the Constitution as it is.

Eminent speakers from abroad will be present. Their names will be announced in the posters and through the columns of the Democratic county papers in due time.

By order of the Democratic County Meeting, and the Democratic Central Club of Carlisle.

JOHN B. BRATTON,
H. NEWSHAM,
RUFUS E. SHAPLEY,
Committee.

EXTRA TRAIN!

We learn that an extra train of cars will leave Carlisle, up and down, on Thursday night, about 9 o'clock. This will enable many to go home on the same day of our meeting.

DEMOCRATS!

☞ Turn out to a man to the Grand Democratic MASS MEETING, to be held to-day, (Thursday, Oct. 8,) in Carlisle. Five or six of the ablest speakers in the State will be here. Lovers of your country, come one and all!

☞ One of these days the Southern people will get their eyes open to the deceptions and falsehoods of the Rebel press.—*Phil. Inquirer.*

Indeed will they. And "one of these days" the *Northern* people will get *their* eyes open to the deceptions and falsehoods of the Abolition press. The Rebel press and the Abolition press brought on the war, and by their joint efforts they continue it.

WOODWARD AND CIVIL LIBERTY
VERSUS
CURTIN AND KIDNAPPING!

WHY DON'T HE SIGN IT?—The shoddy candidate, Curtin, recommended the passage of a law to prevent the payment of laborers at iron works, &c., in store orders. The law was passed. The manufacturers came down upon him and threatened him with their opposition if he signed it and made it a law. The Governor's knees got weak before their power and he has refused thus far to do this act of justice for the working man. Working men *can* you vote for Andrew G. Curtin?

WOODWARD AND WISDOM
AGAINST
CURTIN AND CONSCRIPTION.

Curtin's Treatment of a Wounded Soldier.

The following affidavit of our brave young townsman, Mr. WILLIAM WALTON, who served faithfully in the army of the Potomac for a year and a-half, and who was honorably discharged on account of a severe wound he received in battle, will be read with indignation by patriotic men of all parties, and particularly by our brave soldiers who have been falsely told that *Shoddy* CURTIN is the "soldier's friend." This poor young man, who had been robbed of his hard earned money by some intensely "loyal" thief in Baltimore, arrived in Harrisburg, wounded, penniless and hungry, and so sick that he was scarcely able to walk on crutches. He made his way to the Executive Department, to appeal to the so-called "soldier's friend" for assistance. All the aid he asked, and which he was entitled to receive, was "transportation home." CURTIN ORDERED THE WOUNDED SOLDIER FROM HIS OFFICE, called him a "loafer," and said to him "if you want to go home, go on the *freight train!*"

We have heretofore said that CURTIN was a cold-blooded, unfeeling man—a selfish, calculating plotter—who is now attempting to use the soldier for a stepping stone to power and plunder; but we did not suppose that he or any other man could be so heartless as to treat a wounded soldier as he treated our respected young townsman. Had WALTON been a *black* soldier—"an American citizen of African descent"—or had he been a shoddy contractor, or a "loyal" thief, the favor he asked would have been cheerfully granted; but he is a white man, and therefore left the Executive chamber branded by Gov. CURTIN "A LOAFER." And this is the CURTIN who is paraded before the people as the "soldier's friend!" He is about such a friend as the wolf is to the lamb.—But to the affidavit of Mr. WALTON:

Cumberland County, ss.

Personally appeared before me, M. Holcomb, a Justice of the Peace in and for Cumberland county, WILLIAM WALTON, who upon his solemn oath says, that I (Walton) belonged to the army of the United States; 11th Pa. Vol., Company A, for the term of eighteen months, which I served. On my way home to Carlisle, I lost forty-five dollars in Baltimore, and had money enough left to bring me to Harrisburg, Pa. I called on Andrew G. Curtin, Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, with my discharge, to get transportation home to Carlisle. When I laid in my complaint to Andrew G. Curtin, he said "*get out of my office; I want no loafing here; if you want to go home, go on the freight train,*" and then I went to Bridgeport, and my brother gave me money to go home.

WILLIAM WALTON.

Sworn before me the 3d day of October, 1863. M. HOLCOMB, J. P.

☞ Mr. LEMUEL TODD has "a way of his own" to get out of a scrape. Having asserted in a speech at Mount Holly, that a certain Judge HALL or HALE had said that in a conversation with Judge WOODWARD, the latter had avowed himself a "believer in the doctrine of secession," and this slander having been branded by Judge WOODWARD himself as a base calumny, Mr. TODD now attempts to screen himself by a lame and futile explanation. In doing so, however, he not only confesses his own mistake, but exhibits a great want of candor and fair dealing. He now admits that "Judge HALL" is a myth, and gives the name of Hon. HENDRICK B. WRIGHT as the author of the falsehood related by him at Mount Holly! According to Mr. TODD's explanation, Mr. WRIGHT had said that he had been told by somebody that somebody else had told Judge HALE that somebody had told Judge LINN that he had heard somebody say that he had been told that Judge WOODWARD had mentioned before somebody that he (Woodward,) had avowed himself "a believer in the doctrine of secession!" This is Mr. TODD's explanation of his Mount Holly story! We can prove by a dozen of Republicans who heard his speech that he did not mention the name of Mr. WRIGHT at all. We may mention also that Mr. WRIGHT is a zealous supporter of Judge WOODWARD, and for weeks has been on the stump urging the people to vote for him. If we had room we would publish Col. WRIGHT's great speech delivered recently at Wilkesbarre. In that speech he spoke of Judge WOODWARD in exalted terms, and urged the people, as they "valued their interests and honor, not to touch so unclean a man as AND. G. CURTIN, the shoddy candidate." Such being Col. WRIGHT's position, it is not very likely that he would circulate a vile slander against his own candidate for Governor.—Mr. TODD was unfortunate in attempting to make Col. WRIGHT the father of an infamous fabrication. Col. WRIGHT being a WOODWARD man, is evidence of itself that Mr. TODD's attempt to get out of a scrape has only sunk him deeper in the mire.

WOODWARD AND THE UNION AS WASHINGTON MADE IT
VERSUS
CURTIN AND A STANDING ARMY!

Abolition Tactics.

Democrats, keep a sharp look-out for Abolition stool-pigeons who claim to be Democrats. These fellows are sent out as decoy-ducks to draw you into the Abolition trap.—Again, beware of Abolition wire-workers who ask you to trade some man on the Democratic ticket for some one on the Abolition ticket whose election they desire. The tactics of the enemy are at present to strike at one or two of the Democratic nominees. The true way and the only way to defeat the tactics of the Abolitionists is to vote the ticket, THE WHOLE TICKET AND NOTHING BUT THE TICKET.

TURN OUT!

Let every Democrat and every "republican" who wants a *change* in the Administration of public affairs, turn out at the election. If the people want to suffer—suffer—suffer—till ruin rides rampant over every hill and valley in the land, let them stay at home and permit the reins of government to remain in the hands of the Abolitionists. On the contrary, if they want our country to return to peace and prosperity, let them TURN OUT and VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

☞ It is said that master Bob "Government" LINCOLN, son of the President, is very wealthy, he having made about $500,000 as a Government contractor.

Sound the Bugle Blast!

Te yute, te toot, te yute, te toot—toot! toot!

WOODWARD AND VICTORY!

This is the last paper we shall issue previous to the election. During the contest now soon to be decided, we have discharged our duty to the best of our ability, and, as we are glad to know, to the satisfaction of our political friends. In our next it will be for us to publish the result. We feel a confidence in the people and a just God, and therefore believe that it will be our pleasure to announce a triumphant victory for the people. The conspirators against our country—those miscreants who, years ago, sneeringly announced that the American flag was a "flaunting lie," and that they desired to see the "Union slide"—are at work with a desperation unparalleled in political warfare. With their pockets filled with "green-backs," they are approaching the venal and corrupt, and no means will be spared by them to accomplish their infamous designs.

Men of Cumberland county! the time for argument has gone by. DO YOUR DUTY AT THE POLLS. Remember the fearful responsibility that rests upon your shoulders, and to work! to work! Sound the bugle blast—"WOODWARD AND VICTORY!" TO THE POLLS! TO THE POLLS!!

Facts for the People.

WHAT IT COSTS TO FREE THE NEGROES.

The Curse of Abolition Rule.

THE WAR DEBT AND WAR TAXES.—If the war ceased to-morrow the debt of the Union (according to a careful calculation recently made at Washington,) would be 3,000,000,000 of dollars! Pennsylvania's share of this debt would be $500,000,000!! Cumberland county's share would be $6,898,856! Cumberland county's share of the interest of the war debt, to be paid yearly, $413,811 36!

Let it be remembered, that this does not include the Pensions, Bounties to honorably discharged soldiers, &c., &c. 170,000 claims for pensions were allowed at the Surgeon General's office to invalids, widows, &c., up to September 1st, 1863. The whole number of pensioners cannot be less than 250,000!—And this, at $8 per month for each, will be $24,000,000 per annum.

We have presented these facts and figures because the people have a right to know what their burdens are or may be—they are about to vote upon the question whether those who have created this immense debt—the powers at Washington—and those who have had so large a share of it—the corrupt powers at Harrisburg, of which A. G. CURTIN is the head, should longer remain in places where they can sap the substance of the State.—And remember! every dollar of this money must be raised by TAXATION!!

Examine Your Tickets.

When a hunter wants to make a sure shot, he first examines the priming of his gun, before he pulls the trigger. So let every Democratic voter first examine his ticket before he presents it at the ballot-box. Democrats, let every man of you, this time, fire a SURE SHOT and a SOLID SHOT. Let your ammunition be as follows, and compare it carefully with the following before you use it:

FOR GOVERNOR,
GEORGE W. WOODWARD,
OF LUZERNE.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
WALTER H. LOWRIE,
OF ALLEGHENY.

For Assembly,
JOHN D. BOWMAN, of East Pennsboro'.

For Prothonotary,
SAMUEL SHIREMAN, of Lower Allen.

For Clerk of the Courts,
EPHRAIM CORNMAN, of Carlisle.

For Register,
GEORGE W. NORTH, of Newville.

For Treasurer,
HENRY S. RITTER, of Carlisle.

For Commissioners,
JOHN McCOY, of Hopewell.
MITCHEL McCLELLAN, of Carlisle.

For Director of the Poor,
CHRISTIAN HARTMAN, of Silver Spring.

For Auditor,
D. B. STEVICK, of Newburg.

The ticket for Supreme Judge must be cut off from the bottom of the ticket and tied up with the balance. Have your tickets carefully prepared and tied, before you go to the polls. Be sure to have both pieces of the ticket.

ELECTION!

NEXT TUESDAY, OCT. 13.

☞ A NEW AND BETTER DAY will dawn when GEORGE W. WOODWARD takes his seat as the Governor of the "free, sovereign and independent State" of Pennsylvania.—He helped to make our Constitution and for many years has expounded our laws. He will take care that that Constitution and those laws shall be respected by men in high or low degree—in office as well as out of office—by people in Washington as well as by people everywhere else. Then no military satrap, armed with a despatch from the War Department—no rebel general, armed with instructions from Jeff. Davis, will dare to cross our borders or pollute with his tread the sanctity of our homes.

IMPORTANT.—Mrs. "Government" and master Bob "Government" have returned to Washington, from the White Mountains, where they had been rusticating for the last six weeks.

CITIZENS OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY!

VIRTUE LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE

DEMOCRATS! REPUBLICANS!!

"AWAKE, ARISE, OR BE FOREVER FALLEN."

The time has arrived when the honest men of all parties should unite in defense of their rights and interests. Forgetting past differences, look at the pressing present peril and the future impending catastrophe. Do not differ about minor matters, when all stand on the

AWFUL BRINK OF YOUR COUNTRY'S RUIN,

about to be torn in fragments, by the raging waves of anarchy, or swallowed up in the dark depths of despotism, unless you declare to the tyrants of the nation that they shall go no further----unless to the angry elements of civil strife you say "PEACE BE STILL." Take from the workers of iniquity their power for evil, by hurling them from political position. Assure the

ASCENDENCY OF RIGHT AND JUSTICE, RESTORE UNION AND LIBERTY,

by putting in their places the pure men, whose unsullied lives give assurance of fidelity in the great Constitutional trusts.

"Now, varnished vice and treason are combined
To forge vile shackels for the free born mind."

Arrest the torrents of Corruption

which are sweeping away all sense of honesty----put down treason with your strong arms, and punish traitors with signal severity----break the bonds which self-constituted masters are fastening on you----vindicate

FREEDOM OF THOUGHT, SPEECH AND ACTION.

Behold your peril----open your eyes to the outrages of your rulers. A savage, fratricidal war ravages the country----wounds have maimed and death has destroyed hundreds of thousands.

The land resounds with the groans of the suffering, the lamentations of widows and the cries of orphans. Fire and blood have desolated vast regions once peaceful and happy.

The Constitution is Daily Violated!

The laws defied----the States insulted----loyal citizens are kidnapped and abducted without warrant, and are imprisoned in Federal dungeons, without accusation, hearing, evidence or trial.

The Habeas Corpus, the great Writ of Right,

which is the sole protection of personal liberty, is suspended by the despotic decree of the President, so that

Innocence is no longer a Protection!

Impunity is given to guilt----thousands of obscure ruffians inflict imprisonment, torture and death, on the helpless and inoffensive, without limit of numbers, age, sex or condition.

True Loyalty is a Crime!

To defend the Constitution is an offense to the tyrants who can only secure the fruits of their treason by destroying the Constitution, which has alone raised them from obscurity to power.

Courts of Justice are Defied!

the civil Judges are insulted----and dependent officers have usurped the power to try citizens for pretended offences and to inflict cruel, unusual and illegal punishments. Our once proud and powerful Republic has become a byword and a reproach among the Nations, and is defied and insulted with impunity.

Gangs of Mercenary Spies

prowl about your houses and pry into your business, under pretence of assessing and collecting the Federal Taxes; which are laid on the living and the dead, on all the clothes you wear, the food you eat, the houses you live in, the land you cultivate, on your business, on crops, stock, and manufactures, and all the products of your labor, so that no man is allowed to enjoy what he has honestly earned.

Burthens too grievous to be borne----taxes, imposts, excise, licenses, stamps and duties, already enormous and daily increasing, now rob you of the fair fruits of your industry and will soon amount to

CONFISCATION OF YOUR PROPERTY.

Millions on millions of your hard earned money are lavished on corrupt contractors, shameless usurers, profligate parasites, the pimps of power and the prostitutes of the press. Millions are squandered to support,

Lazy Runaway Negroes in Luxurious Idleness!

Millions are paid to paper Generals, political vagabonds and insolent abolitionists, who wander about the country belching forth lies, slander and indecency to earn the corrupt wages of their vile employment.

If you were not born to be slaves recollect that "*who would be free* HIMSELF, *must strike the blow.*"

Pennsylvanians, declare by your votes, whether you are *serfs of a conquered province or citizens of a sovereign State*----whether you are for war, anarchy and slavery, or for peace, union and liberty.

Arouse, restless might that slumbers in the yeoman's arm, and

STRIKE TO KILL,

those who have insulted you by conspiracy to annul your votes, and, if they dare, will drive you from the polls at the point of the bayonet. Consign the criminals to condign punishment for a warning to the base breed of tyrants in all time to come. Pennsylvanians! true to your historic record, defend your sacred soil from the pollution of invasion, and your dearest rights from being tyrannically torn from you. He who is now recreant to the cause of the commonwealth, of the Constitution, of the rights of man, may be consoled, for the present, by the paid price of his perfidy; but soon the reign of terror, of fraud, bribery, and perjury will be ended, and *then* the wretches who betray their trust, will be consigned to universal contempt, and be

DOOMED TO AN IMMORTALITY OF INFAMY,

Let the spirit of their fathers still animate the sons of Revolutionary sires----It is the spirit of liberty----not to be appalled by the minions of the miserable imbeciles who have usurped power to oppress white men, and exalt the negro.

Armed in the justice of your cause, be ready, fellow citizens and sufferers, for any conflict which may be forced on you in defense of your rights.

Defend with your Lives, Freedom of Election.

Strike the shackels from your brothers limbs---- save them from the horrid scourge----save them from being driven to slaughter by ignorant military adventurers----save them from sacrifice for negroes—from degradation and death----restore them to their peaceful pursuits, to their happy homes, to their suffering wives and children. Spurn the wretches----miserable creatures, the rotten and rejected apostate Democrats, who follow in the footsteps of their illustrious predecessors, Judas and Arnold, and who gloat over the gains of their infamy.

NOW OR NEVER.

Your interest, your duty, your honor demand that you should no longer delay a final and resolute struggle to purge the land from corruption and punish thieves and traitors, to vindicate the supremacy of the Constitution, the sovereignty of the State and the rights of the people, and to secure the triumph of truth, order and justice.

VOTE THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Be not deceivee by slander of our candidates. In this crisis

Principles, not Persons, should be Paramount.

Do your whole duty, and our country will be relieved from extravagance, taxation, debt and corruption----protected from Lincoln's hordes of slaves----restored to the respect of civilized nations; in short, redeemed, regenerated and disenthralled.

THE GREAT FRAUD!

"*Resolved*, That the Republican Union party of Cumberland county were opposed to the repeal of the Tonnage Tax, and that we condemn the action of the last Legislature on that subject as a FRAUD upon the interest and policy of the State, and that we heartily approve of the conduct of the representative from this county, (Mr. Irvin,) in the votes which he gave in opposing the measure."

The above resolution was unanimously adopted by the Republicans of this county, in their County Convention, that assembled in Carlisle on the 9th of September, 1861. If any one doubts this we refer him to the files of the *Herald* or *American* of Sept. 11, 1861. Now Republicans of Cumberland county, you have denounced the Bill repealing the Tonnage Tax and stigmatized it as a FRAUD.—Gov. CURTIN *made that bill a law.* He had it in his power to prevent the Bill becoming a law; he was pledged before the people to use his influence against the measure; but, in violation of his pledge, and no doubt for *solid* reasons, he signed the Bill and made it a law, and by doing so increased the taxes of the people $500,000 a year, and took from the State Treasury in addition $700,000!—You, Republicans of Cumberland county, we say, have denounced this transaction "as a FRAUD," and so it was. Gov. CURTIN is again before you, asking for your votes; he is your nominee for Governor. Can you vote for him and thus endorse the *fraud* you denounced? Can you, as honorable men, sanction that which you yourselves, in County Convention, only two years ago, branded as a "FRAUD *upon the interest and policy of the State?*" Gov. CURTIN committed the fraud you denounced. Can you, we say, stultify yourselves by again voting for him? If you can, then you condemn your own resolution; if you refuse him your support, it will be evidence that it was not hypocrisy that prompted the resolution we quote above.

THE PEOPLE ARE MOVING.

GREAT DEMOCRATIC MEETING AT LEWISBURG, UNION COUNTY.

Judge Woodward Addresses the Multitude.

SPEECHES OF CARRIGAN AND WITTE.

Thursday, the 1st, was a glorious day for Union county. Lewisburg was literally inundated with Democrats. Such a monster meeting was never before held in the county. A spontaneous outpouring of the people followed the announcement that Judge Woodward, who was attending the regular term of the Supreme Court at Sunbury, would be present. Every township sent banners, processions and flags, to greet and welcome their chosen candidate—the champion of the Constitution—the Defender of Liberty. From early in the morning until late in the day the clans were gathering, till the Abolitionists declared they must have been brought from all the counties in the State.

When Judge Woodward arrived at the depot, late in the afternoon, he was met by a mounted escort, who, having placed him in a carriage, filed in on each side and went on a gallop to the grove, where thousands of people were waiting to see him. On approaching the grounds, the cry of Woodward! Woodward! rent the air on every side, and when he stepped from his carriage the shouts were deafening. Carrigan was speaking at the time, cutting Curtin and the Abolitionists right and left, when the commotion was raised by the arrival of Woodward. When order was restored, Carrigan said, "I have been talking to you about the man who is NOT to be your Governor: I will now show you the man who is to be your Governor." Cheer upon cheer followed, and when the tall form of the Judge was seen on the stand, it was a signal for renewed applause. When it had ceased, he stepped forward and spoke substantially as follows:

My friends:—I have come, as I have been accustomed to come, annually, for the last twenty years, among the people of the great Buffalo valley, to renew old friendships, to revive the memory of other days. If it has been a pleasure to me in former times it is particularly so now. To see the public heart so agitated, so aroused, so moved, is evidence that the questions which have caused the excitement are momentous, almost appalling. Do not think I am vain enough to suppose this grand reception, this enthusiastic greeting is intended personally for me. I know very well that it is because I am the representative of that party which has ever cherished your dearest rights. It is hard to remain silent under the torrent of abuse that has been heaped upon me by a corrupt and hireling press; and let me here tell—what you very well know—that I recognize no word of truth in all their villainous charges. [Loud and long continued cheering followed.]

Hon. Wm. H. Witte, who accompanied Judge Woodward, was then introduced. He said:

Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen:—I am very sorry we did not arrive at an earlier hour, but the cause of our detention had been telegraphed you. I understand, since my arrival, that these dispatches were not received. I wish to place the blame upon the proper shoulders. This is in keeping with all their tyrannical actions—a perversion of all good things to their own base purposes. Thus God gives the lightning to men, and Abolition law sells it. But there are God-given rights which they cannot sell—immunities they cannot purchase. The appearance of this vast assemblage re-assures me of that. It is but the counterpart of what I have seen in the various parts of the State—this great upheaving of the people. We are here greeted, as we have been in other places, with woman's smile. This is the very best earnest of our success. When childhood's innocence and female loveliness range themselves upon the side of justice, what glittering power of bayonets shall say us nay.

The afternoon being nearly spent, the President of the Democratic Club announced that Mr. Witte would speak in the evening. Cheers were then given for Woodward and others, and the meeting adjourned. Flags, banners, and wagons could be seen going in every direction home.

Judge Woodward was the guest of Mr. Billmyer, at whose house he and his friends were tendered that attention which could only spring from hearts and minds whose opinions and sentiments were in perfect harmony with his own.

In the evening a great crowd collected to hear Mr. Witte. Our readers well know that gentlemen's reputation as an orator, and the impossibility of attempting to photograph his voice, or make the printed speech reap like the living man talks. He held the vast audience for over two hours in the unstudied attitude of attention, and long after he quit speaking, they lingered still. His speech was as usual—serious and impressive.

Considering everything—the multitude—the speakers—the enthusiasm—the meeting may be noted as one of the most successful and encouraging ever held in Union county or the State.

The Soldier's Friend.

Under this title, self-assumed, Mr. A. G. Curtin seeks a re-election to the Gubernatorial chair of this State. Does Curtin claim this on account of the Frownfield and O'neal swindle?

Does he claim it on account of unpaid militia men of last year, or his treatment this year?

When Lee was expected to move on Hagerstown on the second night after the battle of Antietam, Governor Curtin, forgetting his many promises, to lead the militia in person, withdrew to a safe retreat, leaving in the hour of peril the Gray Reserves of Phila. to hold an important position under the command of Col. Charles J. Biddle, that "infamous copperhead," who was disloyal enough to jeopardize his life in the front, while the valiant commander-in chief, took up a secure position some miles in the rear. The true soldiers friend, who kept Lee from Hagerstown, and sent him reeling into Virginia—that man to whom the soldier's welfare was a matter of the first importance—Gen. McClellan—was removed from command through machinations of the Altoona conclave, *of which Curtin was a member, and to Mr. Curtin as a member of that iniquitous conspiracy are we indebted not only for McClellan's removal, Porter's mock trial and sentence, but for the slaughter under Burnside and Hooker at Fredericksburg.* McClellan never uselessly sacrificed a life, while Curtin is responsible for the never waking sleep of tens of thousands, butchered by fanaticism and imbecility.

WOODWARD AND VOLUNTEERS
AGAINST
CURTIN AND CONSCRIPTION!

"Any people anywhere, being inclined and having the power, have the right to raise up and shake off the existing government and form a new one that suits them better."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

"This is a most valuable and sacred right—a right which we hope and believe is to liberate the world."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

"Nor is the right confined to cases in which the whole people of the existing government may choose to exercise it. Any portion of such people that can, may revolutionize and make their own of so much of the territory as they inhabit."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

"More than this, a majority of any portion of such people may revolutionize, putting down a minority—intermingled with, or near about them—who may oppose their movements."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

Now, we submit that here, from Mr. Lincoln's own mouth, the secessionists of the South may draw, if at all, their justification—not for revolutionizing or rebelling only, but for the cruel course they have pursued towards the Union men—the "*minority*"—in "putting them down."

STAND BY THE WHOLE TICKET.—Our primary elections are held to get an expression of the people as to their choice in nominees. After the primary election is over, all questions should then be considered as settled by the voice of the people, and the whole ticket should be supported by every Democrat in the county. It is for principles we vote and not for men, and whoever opposes the ticket upon any pretext injuries himself and sets an example which is followed by others, would soon disorganize and defeat not only the whole ticket, but the principles which we know to be right. Let every Democrat be watchful and labor for unity and a solid vote.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOPLE.—That Judge Agnew, the present nominee of the Abolition party of this State, for Supreme Judge, voted in the Constitution Reform Convention to give *negroes the right to vote.*

ANOTHER DRAFT OF SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND MEN.—It is reported from Washington that an order for another draft of six hundred thousand men is about to be issued.

☞ A friend writing from Centre county, Pa., the home of Governor Curtin, tells us that that county will give 1100 majority for Woodward. It gave 450 for Curtin three years ago but the people want another CHANGE.

WHICH IS LOYAL.—"The will of the President is above the Constitution and the laws. Whoever disputes this is a sympathizer with secession."—*The Republican Party.*

"The laws of the United States must be executed. I have no discretionary power on the subject."—*President Andrew Jackson.*

WOODWARD AND SOLDIERS' RIGHTS
AGAINST
CURTIN AND SHODDY UNIFORMS!

Married.

On the 1st inst, by the Rev. Geo. E. Adams, Mr. BENJAMIN BOWER of Landisburg, to Miss MARY FAILOR of Frankford Township.

On the same day by the same, Mr. JOHN FRY to Miss NANCY WORST, both of Frankford Township.

Markets.

CARLISLE MARKET.—Oct. 8th, 1863.

Corrected Weekly by R. G. Woodward.

FLOUR, Superfine,	per bbl.,	5,00
do. Extra,	do.,	5,75
do., Rye,	do.,	5,00
WHITE WHEAT,	per bushel,	1,35
RED WHEAT,	do.,	1,25
RYE,	do.,	90
CORN,	do.,	85
OATS,	do.,	70
SPRING BARLEY,	do.,	90
FALL do.,	do.,	1,00
CLOVERSEED,	do.,	6,50
TIMOTHYSEED,	do.,	2,50

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.—Sep. 9.

FLOUR, superfine,	7 50
" extra,	6 50
RYE FLOUR,	5 25
CORN MEAL,	4 20
WHEAT, red,	1 35 a 1 38
" white,	1 40 a 1 58
RYE,	1 05
CORN, yellow,	81
" white,	—
OATS,	70
CLOVERSEED,	5 50
WHISKY,	47½ a 48

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of William Williams, late of Silver Spring township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in same township. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment immediately, and those having claims against the estate will also present them for settlement.

SAMUEL WILLIAMS,
Administrator.

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