



CLEARFIELD, PA.

Wednesday Morning, Feb. 25th 1862,

Stop This War!

Yes, we say it again, stop this war! It was strong in the beginning—on both sides—wringing its corruption, and its further prosecution would be still greater wrong.

We are not prepared to say how it can or ought to be stopped. That is for our rulers to determine. We only express the feelings and wishes of every man and woman in the nation—including three-fourths of the soldiers, and only excepting the Shady patriots who are making their blood-stained fortunes out of it; and that other class who are blinded by fanaticism.

do our rules and authority for pursuing official business. The Commission has been reed to sustain destruction to all of Clearfield county have been in the habit of sending a copy of the Auditor's report to their masters—*People*—Report of the County Settlement. In the Report it is provided for the calling of Commissioners of each county in the Convention of the State. Until this monthless week before last they appeared, and will be well—piled for 66 copies of the late settlement. It may a portion, even they may possibly make such suggestions as will save us the proposed going them 66 half sheets of paper to a page, and save the expense of postage, and a few words from their tented responsibility.

Looking at it in its aspects, with an eye to their proper continuations. Last week they received a copy returned with a desire for the welfare of the people that knows no limit, we might repeat *stop this war!*—at least for a time. Let us see what we are fighting for. Let us have an understanding. Let us have a breathing spell, in which we can take new soundings, and make a recovery of the field of operations, and go over the account of loss and gain and make a new calculation as to what it will cost to gain the prize, or what the worth of the prize that is to be lost or gained. Let us by all means—if it be possible—refer the whole matter to the people, and get their expression thereon. If they say they are in favor of the two-seces continuing the work of their mutual destruction, so be it;—we shall complain no more.

LETTER FROM A SOLDIER.

NEW HAVEN, (Conn.) U. S. Hospital, February 14th, 1862.

MOSSES, ENTHUS.—The great mass of soldiers who enlisted to fight the Confederates, as well as the great majority of northern people, never sent into the service with a view of carrying out the aims of the Abolitionists. They were led to believe that they were to fight the battles of the country, and to preserve the Constitution and the Union. Those who say, as though they saw, only an abolition war from the beginning, and certain destruction were disregarded and overruled in the wild exultation of the hour. They could only do their best to try to subdue the Administration and the people to keep the war within the declared objects and bounds, and to sustain this government in its efforts to adhere to the Constitution, and resist the destructive demands of the radicals. But the proclamation of an abolition war has been issued, not in September 1862, and January 1863, taken April, 1861, not one hundred thousand men could have been induced to go to the war, probably not half that number. This is evident from the emphatic and universal testimony of the soldiers to-day, and by the declarations of the people in all quarters. The promises of the government have, however, been disregarded. The repeated declarations of Congress, and of Mr. Lincoln, have been openly trampled under foot; the Constitution is openly violated, and the war is proclaimed as an abolition crusade—just as many Democrats declared it must be from the first.

The army has lost all confidence in the Administration; it has confidence neither in the army, nor in each other; confusion, suspicion, intrigue and distrust prevail.

These are the fruits of such suicidal action as that which the President, led by the radicals, has taken. His repeated dis-

placement of McClellan; his assumption

and entanglement of the misdeeds of Cam-

eron, his violation of his official oath and

promises; his infamous system of illegal

and arbitrary arrests, have landed him in

a position which enables him to see his

helplessness to go on; while it also reveals

to the eyes of that and all support-

ers of the rebellion, that he is

now, while the anti-slavery people are bursting

at the seams, his radical principles in

congress are being openly trampled

under foot; and that paper steps

are taken at once to meet the demands

of the Southern rebels.

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