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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1861.

It must be borne in mind that the Convention which met in this borough on the 2d inst., met under such a call that did not permit all parties to participate...

In the published proceedings of the anti-Union Republican convention of last week, it is said that the vote on the Union resolutions "was taken amid confusion."

"TRUTH IS A PRICELESS JEWEL." There was a time when we entertained the idea that no man understood and practiced this maxim better than the celebrated Baron Munchausen...

THE Anti-Union Republican Convention which met in the Court House on the 2d inst., and nominated a ticket, assembled under a call, highly lauded by the Courier for its "broadness."

The Courier deems that the question "whether the majority shall govern is a vital issue." So it is, and it will be decided most effectually at the election this fall...

The Democrats and Republicans of Huntingdon county, have nominated a Union county ticket for the fall election.

Mr. Renno, formerly of Berks county, arrested by the government a week or two ago, and imprisoned in Fort Lafayette, was discharged last Wednesday by order of the War Department.

The Democratic State Convention of New York, was held at Syracuse, last week. The old fight between the Tammany Hall and Mozart Hall factions was kept up...

A Union State Convention in Ohio has nominated Hon. David Tod, Democrat, for Governor, and Benjamin Stanton, Republican, for Lieutenant Governor.

The Jeff Davis privateer was wrecked on the bar off San Augustine, Fla., on the 18th ult., while endeavoring to enter the harbor.

THE NATIONAL LOAN.—Mr. Secretary Chase has issued an earnest appeal to the people in behalf of the national loan, showing that it is the interest as well as the duty of every one who has money to invest...

The Administration seems to be raising a brigade of Brigadier Generals, the appointments at present averaging about five a day.

General Wool is taking the volunteer officers in hand to see what they know of military duties. He quite astonishes some of them inquiring how long it takes their men to cook beans and other rations.

SIGNS OF MILITARY RANK.—The relative rank of officers in the regular army is designated in the fatigue uniform, worn in accordance with the army regulations...

INCENDIARY FIRES IN CHESTER CO.—The neighborhood of West Chester is in a state of great excitement over the burning of a number of valuable barns in that vicinity...

From the various States of Central America we receive late intelligence. The President of Honduras has issued a decree of amnesty to political exiles...

How A MAN FEELS WHEN HE IS SHOT.—We take the following from a letter written by one of the gallant Iowa volunteers, who fought in the battle near Springfield, Missouri:

The rebels have availed themselves of the supposed advantages to be derived from balloon observations. Their balloons can be seen in the rear of their advanced works every calm day.

A GOOD JOKE ABOUT THE EARL OF DERBY.—Lately, in the English House of Lords, the Earl of Derby took occasion to pull to pieces the grammatical construction of a clause in the East India Council bill...

THE SUCCESS AT HATTERAS INLET.

We published last week a brief announcement of the result of the expedition which lately left Fortress Monroe under the joint command of Gen. Butler and Commodore Stringham.

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MARTIAL LAW IN MISSOURI.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Sept. 4. The proclamation of Gen. Fremont is still the subject of much comment. Government had not given instructions for any such declaration...

KENTUCKY AND THE UNION.

The news from Louisville to-day is cheering. The Legislature is found to be more uncompromisingly Union than the most hopeful expected, and it is almost certain that the State will supply her quota of money for the war...

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We shall probably soon hear of another battle in Western Virginia—that is if Wise and Floyd are as anxious to meet Gen. Rosecrans as they have pretended.

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FACTS OF ALL SORTS.

The oak tree lives in a state of nature one thousand five hundred years. Hour glasses were invented at Alexandria one hundred and fifty years before Christ.

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SONGS BY MAJ. A. W. BURNS.

- 1. Bob Anderson he bold boy, His country he loves so true, To shed his fellow-citizens blood, His eyes are dimmed with tears...

WHO FOUGHT THE BATTLE?

It is universally conceded that but for the opportune junction of the two commands of Johnston and Beauregard at Manassas, the result of the late battle would have been at least appocryphal.

Hallo, where did you git those new clothes? "Why, you see, I plighted a rich fellow till he gave me a slap on the jaw. I prosecuted him. His friends bought me off, and I agreed to hush the matter up. I'm going to set up business in that line now, and I expect to make a fortune at it soon."

SEIZURE OF FLORA TEMPLE.

Last week, after the race between Ethel Allen and Flora Temple, at New York in which Flora was beaten in three straight heats, she was seized on the track by Deputy Marshals Hunt and McCoy.

LITTLE DELAWARE O. K.—At an election for City officers held in Wilmington, Del., on Tuesday last week, the whole Union ticket was successful.

The death of Catharine Hayes, the favorite Irish vocalist, who won hosts of admirers in this country a few years ago, is announced in the latest news from Europe.

WHEN MAYOR BERRET OF WASHINGTON WAS ADMITTED TO FORT LAFAYETTE.

When Mayor Berret of Washington was admitted to Fort Lafayette, his hair and whiskers were of raven; hue—Since then they have faded gradually, and are now almost white.

A CHILD OF FOUR YEARS IN THE DELIRIUM TREMENS.

One of the most remarkable cases of delirium tremens, ever recorded in our hearing, a few evenings since, a physician of extensive practice and observation, was called in to see a boy of some four years of age.

KENTUCKY INVADED BY THE REBELS.

Cairo, Sept. 5.—General Grant, this morning, telegraphed to the Kentucky Legislature that the rebel forces, in considerable numbers, had invaded Kentucky, and were occupying and fortifying strong positions at Hickman and Chalk Bluffs.

A LANCASTER COUNTY BOY SHOT BY THE REBELS.

As a steambot was recently approaching Cape Girardeau, in Missouri, the rebels fired upon her, killing and wounding several of the passengers and crew.

The advances from South America exhibit the same unsettled condition of affairs as usual. The report of the election of the Government candidate for Vice-President of Peru is confirmed.

A MOB DISPERSED BY A LADY.—We see it stated that the mob which went through Lancaster, Pa., the other day, compelling citizens to go to the expense of purchasing flags to hang out of their windows, had everything their own way until they reached the residence of Judge Porter.

IMPORTANT TO STATE VOLUNTEERS.—A despatch from Harrisburg, on Tuesday says, the act of the 15th of May, 1861, section 12th, expressly forbids any volunteer leaving the State except he shall be accepted by the Governor of the State under a requisition from the President.

OMO.—H. J. Jewett, the candidate of the Democratic party of Ohio for Governor, has written a letter accepting the nomination, in which he states that under no circumstances would he consent to a dissolution of the Union or listen to terms of separation.

ONE OF THE WESTERN OBTUARY NOTICES.—Mister Edatur, Jen bangs, we are sorry to state, has deezed. He departed this life last munday.

THE Democratic party has always been THE UNION PARTY, and it possesses the same ardent love, and unalterable devotion to that Union today that it has hitherto manifested.

CHEAP STORE OF RAUCH & LIGHT.

At the Corner of Cumberland Street and Plain Road, LEBANON, PA. MESSRS RAUCH & LIGHT, have on hand a large and carefully selected assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, &c., public. Their DRY GOODS, have all been imported with the greatest care from the largest and best manufacturing establishments in Philadelphia.

DOOR AND SHAMANOY.

THE undersigned respectfully informs the public in general, that they have added largely to their former establishment, a new and most improved MACHINERY for the State in full and complete order.

RECRUITING.

From all parts of the country the Government has assurances that recruiting is going on with great briskness. The average number recruiting is about five thousand a day.

HON. THOMAS E. COCHRAN, OF YORK

has been nominated for President Judge of the judicial district composed of York and Adams counties. He is at present the Auditor General of the State of Pennsylvania.

The Democrats of Berks county, on Tuesday last week, nominated the following County ticket:—President Judge, Warren J. Woodward, of Columbia county; Associate Judges, David Schell, George D. Sittel, of State; County Treasurer, William W. Pottelger; County Treasurer, Dr. William Herbst; County Commissioner, George K. Lora, of Berks; County Assessor, J. S. Hoyer, of Berks; Director of the Poor, Reuben F. Drumheller; Coroner, John Fox; Auditor, J. S. Hoyer.

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for conducting the general business for Planing, Scrolling, Sawing, &c., &c., and the trade acquired by J. LONGACRE and J. G. GARDNER during their connection with the Door, Sash and Window of this city, and their establishment in this city in full and complete order.

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The undersigned offers his large and well selected stock of HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c., at cost.