

ONE of the strongest arguments adduced by a New York Democratic paper in favor of Seymour's election, is that his hands are "as white as a woman's."

THE election of Grant and Colfax will destroy the last vestige of the rebellion, and enable the country to enter upon a career of prosperity never before known in history.

THE reason why Seymour didn't want to accept the nomination, was on account of hereditary insanity in his family—fear that great excitement would produce mental disorder.

It is said that Hon. H. G. Stebbins, formerly M. C. from New York, and Judge Pierpont, one of the Schems of Tammany, will soon declare for Grant.

GENERAL JEFFRIES, the new Register of the Treasury, a great Johnson politician, announced himself for Grant a few days ago.

THE Democratic newspapers are very much worried about the loyal carpet-baggers at the South. They prefer the Rebel knapsackers.

It is thought that Seymour stands a fair chance of carrying the Dry Tortugas. Also, Mackerellville, the Five Points, and Saur Kraut Hill.

GENERAL ROSECRANS is in Chicago and washes his hands of the Copperhead Convention. So does Gen. Sherman and every other fighting General.

SINCE the Copperhead nominations were made, Gov. Wise of Virginia holds up his head, and defiantly exclaims, "Secession is not dead; it is more alive than ever!"

P. W. SHIEL was hung recently in Grayson county, Ky., for the murder of a boy named Hocker. Shiel was an active member of the Democratic party.

MATHEW ANDERSON, a German of Peoria, Ill., on Tuesday of last week, shot his wife and tried to kill his mother-in-law—Anderson is a Democrat.

BILL DUGAN and John Murphy, both Democrats, fought an hour and forty minutes at Farmingham, Mass., on Wednesday.

AN exchange remarks that Buckner should by all means go for Grant, because Grant went for him at Fort Donaldson.

GRANT'S motto: "Let us have peace." Motto of the Bread and Butter Brigade: "Let us have a piece."

THE poisonous reptiles in Tammany Hall nearly stung themselves to death in their internecine fight for a candidate last week.

THE TWO SOLDIERS.—"Let the President elect disperse the carpet-bag State governments." F. P. BLAIR, JR. "Let us have peace." U. S. GRANT.

THE World speaks of Horatio Seymour as a "patriot." This is an allusion to Pat Riots in New York in July, 1863.

To attempt getting up enthusiasm for Seymour and Blair, is like an attempt to get up a thunder gust with a penny whistle.

THE latest case of sun stroke is a young man striking his daddy for calling him a Seymourite.

THE Loyal people to Salmon P. Chase: "On thy belly shalt thou go and dirt shalt thou eat all the days of thy life."

DEMOCRATIC tactics: Doolittle and Seymour. Grant's plan: Say less and do more.

GEN. JOHN A. DIX is out in favor of Grant and Colfax.

HENRY HARDING, a down-town Democrat, beat his wife to death on Wednesday in Philadelphia. He has been arrested.

SEMMES, the pirate, supports Seymour and Blair, of course, and has made a speech urging their election.

THE name of Seymour after November will be changed by popular consent to Seen-no-more.

SEYMOUR'S "friends"—A mob hanging negroes to lamp-posts.

GRANT'S nomination gives universal satisfaction—Seymour's, universal stupefaction.

AN appropriate design for a Seymour illumination—a colored orphan asylum on fire.

Local Items.

THE MOST AMUSING scene ever witnessed in the city of Reading, was a "flag raising" at Sixth and Court street, last Saturday evening, on the building occupied by D. Ermentrout, Esq. The building is about twenty-two feet high; the flag-staff nine feet four inches long; the flag five and a half by three feet, and the size of the meeting, and the character of the speeches in about the same proportion. The music consisted of two drums, one fife and a gong. There is much uneasiness among the Democratic beer saloon keepers of Reading, on account of the apathy of the party. They are afraid that they will not be able to pay running expenses during the campaign, as the election of Grant and Colfax, by an overwhelming majority, is generally admitted even by the Berks county Democracy.

POLITICAL.

We are authorized to announce JOHN ARMSTRONG, of Martic twp., as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, at the ensuing primary meetings of the National Union Republican party of Lancaster county.

We are authorized to announce CAPT. A. GODSHALK, of East Cocalico township, as a candidate for renomination for the Legislature at the Primary Elections of the Republican party, August 15th.

We are authorized to announce MAJOR A. C. REINOEHL, of Manheim township, as a candidate for renomination for the Legislature at the Primary Elections of the Republican party, August 15th.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB G. PETERS, of Conestoga township, as a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the decision of the people at the ensuing primary meetings of the Republican party in August.

We are authorized to announce that JACOB C. KREADY, of Manor township, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, at the ensuing primary meetings of the Republican party of Lancaster County.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEO. BRUBAKER as a Candidate for DISTRICT ATTORNEY, subject to the decision of the people at the Republican Primary Election on SATURDAY, the 15th day of AUGUST, 1868.

We are authorized to announce that BENJAMIN F. BAER, of the City of Lancaster, will be a candidate for nomination for DISTRICT ATTORNEY, at the ensuing primary meetings of the National Union Republican party of Lancaster county.

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