Subject to the decision of the Democratic State Convention.

☞ TO ADVERTISERS.—This paper has now attained a circulation of 1080 copies weekly, which is larger than that of any other paper in Northern Penn'a and even twice larger than that of any other paper in this country. Those, therefore, who wish to avail themselves of the benefits of advertising will see the propriety of giving the "Democrat" the preference as their medium of communication with the public.

N. B. All advertisements, to ensure publication the same week, must be handed in an early as Tuesday evening.

☞ We give the first instalment of Colonel Benton's celebrated Speech this week, and shall complete it and comment upon it in our next. Dont fail to read it.

THE NEW EDITOR.—An unusual press of Job Work this week, and the near approach of the 4th of July, when our "boys" expect a holiday, has compelled us to introduce a new Editor to their good graces this week. If any one, after looking over our columns, is at loss to make out his name, we will just inform him, (or her, as the case may be,) that his name is Scissors—a venerable gentleman who has had the honor of frequently presiding over nearly all, and many of the best, journals in the country from "time immemorial," or the same is. Perhaps our patrons may prefer him to the "responsible" editor, and then what?

Who is President?

Things at Washington, so far as the President and his cabinet are concerned, seem to be governed by the rule of equality. Instead of one President, the country, in regard to the appointing power, has seven. The Executive, instead of being an unit in this respect, is only the one-seventh of an unit.

4th of July Celebration.

At a meeting of the citizens of Lanesboro' for the purpose of making arrangements for the celebration of our approaching National Anniversary, the following was agreed upon as the

Order of the Day.