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FOR GOVERNOR:

MAJ. GEN. JOHN W. CEARY,

OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

We meet at the rooms of the NATIONAL UNION CLUB, No. 1105 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time a full attendance is requested.

By order of the Committee.

WM. JORDAN, Chairman.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1st, 1866.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice is hereby given that hereafter all TRANSIENT advertisements received at this office must be paid for when handed in except in the case of YEARLY advertisers whose bills will be rendered quarterly as usual. Advertisers will please make a note of this, as the rule of cash payments for all settlements of the character stated, will be rigidly enforced.

The price of our papers is THREE CENTS at the counter from newsboys, served to carriers at FIFTEEN CENTS per week.

THE CROPS.

The planting season is now nearly over, and the farmers of the country have generally gone to work with a will. Whether the weather has been favorable or unfavorable, we are not now prepared to say; but we do say that the prospects of this kind of weather are good for a large crop. Wheat and other grain is looking finely, and nearly everywhere the ground is in excellent condition for the seed.

The succession of rains in the region of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, and in other parts of the country, by preventing the sowing of spring wheat and oats, have caused a large breadth of winter wheat to look now having been injured in a considerable degree by the severe winter and late frosts. Two months ago the prospect for a large crop of winter wheat was unfavorable. Everything depended upon the weather. Now, the prospect is much better, and the crop will be large, unless the weather should be unfavorable.

Advices from the Western States are very encouraging. Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota, Western Pennsylvania, Western New York, Western Virginia, Eastern Ohio, Western Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois