

SHAKING TREASON.

Certain newspapers in this State, whose sympathies are all with the insurgents...

As to the uniforms, only a comparatively small number of the aggregate body of troops supplied, has just cause to complain...

All these matters are nuts for the fishy press. They have eyes only for the shady side of every question...

They also copy all unfavorable articles from the English and French press upon the civil war...

If the loyal press, justly indignant at this direct aid and comfort rendered to the enemy...

The New Virginia Government. The New York Times has the following sketch of the new Governor and Lieut. Governor of Virginia:

Frank H. Pierpont, Esq., who has been recently elected Governor of Virginia, in place of John Letcher...

Daniel Paisley, the Lieutenant Governor, is a much older man than Gov. Pierpont...

GEN. SCOTT'S BIRTHDAY.—General Scott passed his seventy-fifth birthday on Thursday...

THE AGITATOR.

HUGH YOUNG, EDITOR & PROPRIETOR. WELLSBOROUGH, PA. WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE, 23 1861.

The war news is uninteresting. It is believed by some that the rebels will retreat from Manassas...

We direct the attention of the editor of the Wellsboro Democrat to an article in another column...

From a private letter, we learn that the Wild Cat Regiment (which includes Capt. Niles and Capt. Holland's Companies) left Harrisburg for the South early on Saturday morning last...

THE "UNION" DODGE. "DEMOCRACY, the same everywhere" is the stereotyped clap-net of that party...

We clip the above paragraph from that sterling Republican paper, the Lewisburg Chronicle. It proves that the "Union dodge" has been extensively adopted by the forlorn Democracy...

HANG THEM. We have the utmost confidence in the Administration; in the wisdom and statesmanship of each member of the Cabinet of Mr. Lincoln...

GOV. CURTIN. The Loco-Foco newspapers of this State; always on the alert to find something in the conduct of the National or State Administrations to find fault with...

When the war for the Union first began, Gov. Curtin thought with all other patriotic citizens...

that party lines should not be drawn in making the military appointments of the State. This magnanimity of his part resulted in the appointment of R. C. Hale, Esq., of Philadelphia...

We do not say—have not said—that these men or either of them, are blameable or blameless. Inexperienced men cannot construct a complete, perfect and harmonious military system in ten days...

Gov. Curtin in justice to his position and character, has appointed a Commission composed of two Democrats and one Republican to investigate these charges...

THE CONTEMPTIBLE YANKEES! When the Yankees go to Lord John Russell and tell him that Virginia, which inaugurated civilization and freedom on this continent...

Instead of this, we must bring these enfranchised slaves back to their true condition. They have long very properly looked upon themselves as our social inferiors...

We, of the South, sought only to separate our destinies from theirs—content to leave them to pursue their own degraded tastes and vicious appetites...

PRESENT FORCE AND EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNMENT.—The N. Y. Times states that according to a verbal statement of Gen. Scott, last week...

The Petersburg, Va., ladies, forty in number, are drilling for fight. Their captain is Josephine Swan. What a jolly company to capture!

A NATION BASED ON THEFT.

BY HORACE GREELEY. The fundamental idea of the Southern Confederacy, as declared by its able and acute Vice-President...

The history of India and China abundantly proves the inferiority of their native races to European; yet who argues thence the right of the latter to make the former their slaves?

But it were idle to imagine that a single wrong so fundamental and so flagrant as Slavery could be cherished by a people without involving them in others still more revolting to the unbridled, undrugged consciences of the Christian world...

The sacredness of pecuniary obligations is nowhere so generally, so profoundly realized as it should be. In every community, men are found who make loud professions of religion and would be shocked by a suggestion that they are knaves...

But of all forms of repudiation that of refusal to make due provision for the discharge of public indebtedness is the basest because the safest. Here is a state, a county, a city, whose people suppose that they can promote their own welfare by borrowing the money wherewith to improve a river or harbor...

But to arraign is human, therefore pitiable, not excusable; to exalt villainy into a principle and glory in systematic wrongdoing, is the acme of hardened guilt. If the subjects of President Davis have felt constrained to let their notes go to protest and thus whelm thousands of our confiding merchants in the abyss of bankruptcy...

PAROLE.—The Parole of Honor, which is sought to be made binding by an oath of allegiance, is becoming more and more ridiculous every day. The idea of administering an oath to a set of men who have already violated another, strikes us as bad policy...

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Does not the permanent and inevitable loss of credit—the inability to command resources in time of urgent need—fully counterbalance—yes, overbalance the immediate gain?

2. Can those who refuse to labor its due recompense of wages be relied on, in the face of sore temptation, to do justice to any creditor whatsoever?

SLOW AND SURE.

That the country, doomed to enormous, unprecedented loss and waste by this most wanton, flagitious rebellion, should clamor for its summary suppression, is natural, human, unavoidable. That young soldiers should insist on being led to battle the day after their enlistment, need excite no surprise...

Not our soldiers only, but our people also, should realize that the time is not wasted which devotes to drilling, marching, acclimating themselves to move by brigades and divisions, and learning how to handle and carry their arms...

Eleven months.—We are able to announce on unquestionable authority, that Lieut. Gen. Scott has so far matured his plans for the war as to inform the President and Cabinet that the last secession flag shall be torn down...

We understand that it is a part of General Scott's plan to occupy Virginia and Tennessee completely on or before the twentieth of July. Sixty-five thousand Northwestern troops will move down the Mississippi as far as Memphis...

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A NEW USE FOR NEGROES.—It is stated by persons in the vicinity of the batteries at Vienna, that the Southern troops placed in front of the Southern Capital and fifty negroes to receive the Ohio men, but that the former fell on their faces when the muskets of the latter were passed over them and killed six of them whom they were set up to protect.

The Virginians have always boasted that F. F. V. could worst a dozen mud-sills. It has been proven to be a mistake by the testimony. When Ellsworth's Zouaves attacked Alexandria, a despatch was received from Richmond saying that "a thousand men marching on Alexandria, therefore sent thousand good and true men for defense to one is now the average, ten good men F. F. V.'s to overcome one mud-sill. A difference, which our brave volunteers dilly accept."

Military men have discovered a new way for intoxication, which we believe, is down in the books. It is nothing but raw potatoes, which are cut up in small pieces and eaten without salt. An ordinary man it is said, will cure the most obstinate headache in half an hour.

Announcements. We are authorized to announce the name of F. FORD, of Clymer Township, as a candidate for the Commission, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

UNION STORE, WELLSBORO, PA. J. W. BAILEY & CO., Proprietors. Dealers in STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS, STRAW and MILLINERY GOODS, HATS, CROCKERY, GLASS and HARDWARE, PAINTS and OILS, CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, HAMS, PORK, FLOUR, and all kinds of FARM PRODUCE at the lowest Cash Prices.

NEW GOODS! VERY CHEAP FOR READY PAY. T. L. BALDWIN. Has and is now receiving a large and well selected SPRING and SUMMER MERCHANDISE. Composed of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS, BOOTS and SHOES, HATS and READY MADE CLOTHING, WOODEN WARE, and in fact all Merchandise called for in the all of which will be sold at the FAVORITE READY PAY.

INDEPENDENCE DAY. The Coming Anniversary of our National Independence will be celebrated in FARMINGTON, TIOGA CO. PA. in the Grove near the Methodist Church, in patriotic citizens are respectfully invited to attend. OFFICERS OF THE DAY: President—O. H. BLANCHARD, Vice President—R. H. Butler, S. H. Mearns, A. Kemp, Secretary—H. B. Turk, Marshal—R. T. Hall, Assistant Marshal—R. W. Hall, Committee of Arrangements—L. Peck, N. P. L. H. Crippen, L. Robb, Geo. Crppen, Harry Crppen, Order of the Day—John W. Ryan, Esq., renoevilling, Reading of the Declaration—H. B. Turk. Good music will be in attendance. June 13, 1861. Am. By order of the Com.

KNOXVILLE BOROUGH ORDINANCE. Best enacted by authority of the Borough Council of the Borough of Knoxville. That the act of the said Council, passed April A. D. 1851, and amended and published in 1853, be further amended so as to extend the street Water street and the west end of the provisions of said act. And also to extend the side walk from the line of H. G. Short's lot to the east line of the street. Also that the side walk shall be graded below the top of the pavement and be not less than six inches, nor more than ten inches above the grade of the ditch alongside as fixed by the Street Commissioner and Council will be in lieu of flag pavements if desired by the landowner. Also that the time for completing and paving be extended to 1st Sept. 1861. J. P. BILLS, Mayor. Attest N. G. RAY, Clerk. Knoxville, June 12, 1861. FOR SALE. A large FAMILY CARRIAGE, in good easy terms. Also a BUGGY. Enquire of the Proprietor. Wellsboro, May 22, 1861.