

THE AGITATOR.

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his cannon at the doors of their courts, and when they saw the flames encircling the cupola...

The 17th Pa. Regiment. We have received, too late for an earlier insertion, a letter from Mr. D. H. KARRICK...

In parting allow me to assure you that I entertain an exalted opinion of you as officers and soldiers; and, in my official character, I thank you for the prompt and cheerful manner in which you have ever performed your arduous and dangerous duties.

No cause can fail, my countrymen, when supported by such men as constitute the Keystone Brigade. You have done your whole duty to your country, to your State, and to your families...

MOB-DEMOCRACY. FRIEND COBB—Is there a man, not a traitor, so depraved of heart, so void of reason, as to assert that there is not a hope of saving the country except through the democratic party?

And even that pet institution the mob, has had a quietus put upon it, will doubtless be held in submission, unless the militia can be prevailed upon to obey the order of Governor Seymour.

And here we are reminded of another fable illustrative of the subject in hand: Once upon a time there lived a man blind from his birth. The unscrupled senses of this man were very acute, but none so acute as the sense of touch.

So, when we hear a man denouncing the Government as it is now organized, and glorifying the "Democracy" as at present organized and led, yet voicing that he is a Union man, we at once remember the last-related fable, and conclude that, if he be loyal, he will bear a great deal of watching.

Those who are the most weary of life and yet the most unwilling to die, are such as have lived to no purpose, who have rather breathed than lived.

Several of the most reliable citizens allege of the late riots in New York, that there was no surer passport to the favor of the mob than to cheer for Jeff Davis.

Jeff Davis has issued a proclamation calling every man between 18 and 45 into the field. What a fearful violation of the constitutional rights of the citizen!

A WOODCHUCK dug her hole in a clover field, and set about rearing a family. One day, the little woodchuck being about half-grown, the old dame ventured out to spend the day with a gossiping neighbor.

The young-ones enjoyed their liberty hugely, until late in the day, when, tired of frolic, they retired into their hole. They had been there but a few minutes, however, when they received a call from a gentleman in a suit of black and white.

Who are you? plucked up the boldest of the little woodchucks; and what are you doing here? Me! Oh, I'm a woodchuck," said the intruder; "I'm a good friend of the Woodchuck nation, and I'm come to live with you."

The young-ones were suspicious of the character of their visitor, but being unused to the deceptions of the world they made no attempt to drive him out. By-and-by the old woodchuck came home.

Who are you? said she, bristling up to the intruder. Me! Oh, I'm a woodchuck!" he replied. "You!—a woodchuck!" ejaculated the irate dame; "who ever saw a woodchuck with such a fancy suit on, and with such a villainous face! You're no woodchuck!"

"I'm as good a woodchuck as any of you," blustered the intruder; "and I go in for the traditions of Woodchuckdom as they are, and the customs of said realm as they used to be."

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We hear much about "Democracy"—what it has done for the country, what it will do, what a glorious party it is, and how it must be remitted to its ancient privilege of power and plunder before the day of national prosperity

can break from the bonds of this night of trouble. Let us see: That party had almost absolute control of the Government for the half century ending with the term of James Buchanan.

But great, and glorious, and efficient is the Democratic party! and let the swell-mob, and the parrot cry AMEN! Ye who complain of taxes; who are trembling before the august majesty of conscription; who desire to prolong this war until another Presidential election—

WAR NEWS. Since our last issue the Union armies have had several splendid triumphs in the West and Southwest. Our army correspondence this week is so profuse, that we are able to no more than give facts and results.

Gen. Grant's army has not been idle. It took Yazoo City on the 12th inst., capturing several hundred men, one steamboat and five pieces of artillery, and a large quantity of military stores.

The guerrilla Gen. Morgan, who with 5000 men was ravaging southern Indiana and Ohio when we went to press last week, has been taken by Gen. Shackelford, with so much of his force as were not killed, together with all his artillery and trains.

Our cavalry has cut the Virginia & Tennessee railroad at Wytheville, taking 2 cannon and 700 muskets, and killing and capturing 200 of the rebels. Our cavalry has destroyed some miles of Wilmington and Weldon railroad in North Carolina, interrupting communication with the South for some weeks.

The news from Charleston is not favorable to a speedy reduction of that city. Our troops have assaulted Fort Wagner twice, but were repulsed with severe loss. The first assault was by a brigade, and the second by a division. We lost about 200 killed, 1000 wounded, and 800 prisoners.

Letters from the Army. LETTER FROM REV. J. F. CALKINS. Chaplain 149th Reg't Pa. Vols. Mr. Cobb: I have watched the public prints in vain to find something published approaching the truth regarding the position and suffering of the 3d Division, 2d Brigade, and especially the 149th Reg't, that brigade in which Tioga, Clearfield, Potter and Luzerne counties have so large an interest.

side stood the 143d Pa. Vols., commanded by the gentlemanly Colonel, Dana of Wilkesbarre, and the 150th Pa. Vols., commanded by Col. Wister, once a Captain in the old Bucktails, equally they stood to their post, till there was no longer any object, or possibility of holding it, and then all fell back through the streets of the city, swept by the bullets of the enemy.

COMPANY G—[KNOXVILLE.] OFFICERS. Capt. LUMAN STEVENS. 1st Lieut. GILES ROBERTS. 2d Lieut. E. CURRY. Sergeants—1st, H. W. Howland, 2d, J. E. Parkhurst, 3d, E. S. Culer, 4th, Frank Daniels, 5th, Thomas Jenkins.

COMPANY K—[TIOGA.] OFFICERS. Capt. H. S. JOHNSON. 1st Lieut. R. C. RILEY. 2d Lieut. H. R. BISS. Sergeants—1st, Jas. J. Cady, 2d, Harris Taber, 3d, Vice DePui, 4th, Wm. H. Robbins, 5th, C. W. Johnson.

COMPANIES A AND CARE OF BRADFORD COUNTY; H AND I ARE FROM COLUMBIA COUNTY; B IS FROM WAYNE, AND D IS FROM SUSQUEHANNA. COMPANIES E, F, G AND K ARE FROM TIOGA. WE GIVE ONLY THE NAMES OF THE BOYS FROM OUR OWN COUNTY. H. Y.

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COMPANY F—[DELMAR, &.] OFFICERS. Capt. WILLIAM COLE. 1st Lieut. W. S. BOXTMAN. 2d Lieut. R. H. STEELE. Sergeants—1st, Chas. Houghton, 2d, Bela Borden, 3d, Wm. L. Reese, 4th, Geo. R. Derbyshire, 5th, Francis M. Butler.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS. FOR COMMISSIONER. We are requested to announce MYRON ROCKWELL, of Sullivan, as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.