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ADVERTISING AGENTS, EXCHANGES, and all others interested, will please note the CHANGE OF TITLE of this paper, from THE NORTH BRANCH DEMOCRAT to WYOMING DEMOCRAT.

Radical Views of the Radical Revolution. (From the Evening Post, Jan. 15.)

Mr. Johnson by the choice of the people is the Chief Magistrate of the nation; as such he is responsible for the execution of the laws and has a clear right to choose the subordinates by whom the laws are to be enforced.

The proposition to get rid of General Hancock by the indirect and cowardly dodge of reducing the number of majorities, is of a piece with the scheme for preventing a decision against the constitutionality of reconstruction by hampering the Supreme Court.

Geary and the Judges. "Hans" Geary, in his recent message, in which he dabbled in a little of everything, took occasion to reflect somewhat severely on the Judges of Criminal Courts, of Philadelphia, for making changes in the sentence of several criminals without consulting his lordship in the matter.

Valueless will be the devoted services and signal triumphs of our army and navy, if our statesmen fail or falter in performing their share of the great work.

The only defensible reason for reconstructing the Southern State governments was the purpose to confer suffrage on the freedmen, in order to the protection of their rights.

Heavy Sale. Sheriff Van Leer advertises to sell, February 14th, all the remaining personal property and all the real estate of the Union Coal Company.

Supremacy. The Mongrels are crying out against Southern influence in the Supreme Court, and yet all the Judges on the bench are northern men, a majority of them Republicans appointed by Mr. Lincoln.

Train on Grant. GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN made a speech in Boston one night recently, in which he dissected the "great reticent" after the following style:

MISCELLANEOUS. ADDRESS TO THE NERVOUS AND DEBILITATED whose sufferings have been protracted from hidden causes, and whose cases require prompt treatment to render existence tolerable.

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Enormous supplies of guano have been discovered in North Carolina. A mine of platinum has been discovered in New Zealand.

A California miner, who has barely realized a living for eleven years, dug out \$16,000 in three days work recently. That was a "California chunk" worth digging for.

Stanton, the Romp interloper, says he won't resign and won't go out unless forcibly ejected.

It is stated that General John A. McClelland, of Illinois, will be appointed Minister to Mexico.

A negro bureau agent—'trolley, lo! lo!'—stationed at Lake Providence, Louisiana, has absconded with \$8,000 belonging to freedmen and others.

Hon. Wm. T. Hamilton was elected to the United States Senate, on Friday, by the Maryland Legislature, to succeed Hon. Reverdy Johnson.

The indications are that the Rump will pass a bill to continue the Negro Bureau another year from next July, when it is to expire by limitation.

A Connecticut joker was recently fined fifteen dollars for playing ghost.

A grand-daughter of Ex President Tyler is setting type in her father's newspaper office.

New Orleans hair dressers advertise a preparation for straightening the hair of "intelligent voters."

An old resident of North Carolina says the whole Southern country is bankrupt from one end of it to the other.

The city government of Providence has refused a license to the exhibition of Mrs. Lincoln's "old clo'."

The Radicals of Louisiana have nominated a negro for Lieutenant-Governor. This is the result of radical "reconstruction." White men of the North, be warned in time!

The Legislature of this State, in joint convention, elected Gen. W. W. Irwin, of Beaver county, State Treasurer, in place of W. H. Kemble, whose time expires on the first of May next.

A resolution thanking the Senate for re-instating Secretary Stanton was offered in the Virginia Convention, on the 15th inst., by a negro delegate, but his black and white brethren would not toe the mark, and it was tabled.

Dr. Bellows says marriages between Jews and Christians are becoming quite common; Jewish women like Christian husbands, and Christian husbands like Jewish dowries, and Jewish beauty and brightness.

The Bedford Gazette's first choice for Vice President, if that office is to be filled by a Pennsylvania, is Edgar Cowan, formerly U. S. Senator.

A marriage license issued by a magistrate in the city of Washington, has been returned endorsed, "She wouldn't have me."

It costs seventy-five cents to have a shirt wash in some parts of Ohio, just now, owing to the scarcity of water.

An exchange says, "And vermin may be driven out of any building by burning a little sulphur." We should like to see the experiment tried in the Capitol at Washington.

Senator Wallace has presented a bill to repeal the law making it an offence to refuse negroes a seat in railroad cars with white people.

The latest political caricature represents Grant's platform. He is standing on nothing.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company declared a dividend of two and a half per cent. payable after the 15th inst.

Henry Pierson deliberately took off his coat and hat, walked into the river at Allentown, and drowned himself, on the 3d inst.—Cause—domestic infidelity.

The Erie Oberster is in favor of Seymour as his first choice for President.

The American Minister, Hon. George Bancroft, is now engaged in negotiation with the Prussian Government for the establishment of a new commercial treaty between the United States and the North German Confederation.

Advices from Fort Pull. Kearney, as to the effect that the Sioux and the Cheyenne Indians are becoming very troublesome. The cavalry scouts at that point have recently had two fights with them, and killed several, and recaptured one hundred and fifty stolen government horses and mules.

The trial of J. H. Surratt has been set down for the 24th of next month. Mr. Merrick, counsel for Surratt, stated that he was not certain that the senior counsel, Judge Black, would be ready then, but would fix the case for that date.

RENAISSANCE TRAIN.—The freight accommodation last Saturday morning on the Lehigh Valley road was too much for the locomotive on the frosty rails, and ran away down the grade from Newport.

A VALUABLE RELIC.—Mr. Isaac Davis, of Beyer township, Columbia county, has in his possession, a bible printed in 1609, that came to America in the same vessel that brought over the founder of Pennsylvania—William Penn. Mr. Davis and wife are about 75 years of age respectively, and have been married 52 years, and are enjoying good health.

The bible has been in their family since it landed at Philadelphia in 1682. It can be seen at the above place.—Hazleton Sentinel.

SELLING OUT TO CLOSE BUSINESS. Having made arrangements to go out of trade we offer our extensive and varied Stock of Goods, exclusively for CASH or READY PAY AT UNHEARD OF LOW PRICES. BUNNELL & BANNATYNE. N. B. All persons indebted to us by note or book account are requested to make prompt payment.

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Negro Government—A Prediction. The New York World but utters a historical truth when, discussing the negro question, it says: "There is no example in history of free institutions among any of the colored race."

MELODEON FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale, VERY CHEAP, an almost new Piano Frame. Also, a lot of Household Furniture at very low prices.

SHERIFF'S SALE. BY virtue of writs of Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House in Tunkhannock, Wyoming Co., Pa., on SATURDAY, FEB. 13th, '68, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Gen. Grant IS THE MOST AVAILABLE MAN For President in 1868! And the best place to buy your DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, BOOTS & SHOES, YANKEE NOTIONS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, DRUGS & MEDICINES, HATS & CAPS, &c., &c.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. WHEREAS, letters of administration on the estate of Peter F. Miller, late of Nicholson township, dec'd, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment by the 1st of April, 1868; and those having demands against the said estate are required to present the same duly authenticated for settlement by April 1st, 1868.

GROCERY STORE FOR SALE. THE undersigned offers at private sale a valuable and profitable Grocery Store, situated in the Borough of Shickelino, Luzerne county, Pa. The buildings consist of a Plank Dredging and Store House 20 by 40 feet, Barn 30 by 50 feet, together with other out-houses, all having been erected within two years.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. WHEREAS, letters of Administration on the estate of a certain John Jacob Astor, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to the subscriber at Mehoopany, Pa., on the 27th of Feb., 1868.