


Nonday Afternoon, Jume 17, 1861.

## JOURNALISM. In uo age or at no history of the world, ha an other portion of the transactions and pro

 sress of nations, arrived at such a peculiar antatting influencee, as that of the Journalism roment of the country, before which legisla
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and fear-respect for the vast and varied ability
engaged in the conducting of these jourrals, nd fear for the iguorance adidmpdence which
too oten clivg on it for zupport and mainte hat has been accomplished by the influence of
americsa jouraalism, much evil has also been lone-an evil growing out of the recllessnes
of those whocontrol the columas of newspaper suborn and corrupt the editorial fraternity with the bribery of money, the promise of place an
the flattery of distinction. The large organs of butiness in the commercial emporiums of the
countiy are the frist to lools after pelf eve
while they are flatering theasselve日 wilh th conviction that they arre the sole ropresenta
tives of an honest public opinion in this world The late crisis proved this fiat in relation t
the commercial organs of Philddelphia and Nev York. These aame organs were tainted with
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because they feared that the speculations of the take, an and calico aristocracy of their conmercial re
gions. In one week at least tro of the
principal commercial organs of New Yort orth. As soon as the meerchants of
he later city. discovered that one of pudiato the northerne indebtednoess of its to soath-
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covered the worthlesmess of a Bouthern trade
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Repudiation done mhat appeals to patriotism sala to pay-the downward tendoncy of stock curtaiminet of eass privileges, acted like
charm on the mercantile nabobs of Gotham, wh in turn acted on the sentiment of their organs,
and both together yielding to the power of an orerwhelming public opinion, were forced
become loyal beyond their will, and are no the most bitter anong the bitter denunciator hat which is constantly pandering to the hop ishing the most ezaggerated statements of
facts-fthe invention of improbabilities, and the sengation or increase the edition of the paper.
suffered imente evil from this class-ane eve the enemy has been put into th possegsion of the plans and movements of ou that rame enemy to encape when he would peen preserved, an easy and a Fortthless prizz
into the liands of the government. This sys into the liands of the government. Thia
tema Eias compelled the goverament to tala darre of aill the telegraph bateries along the when thisi order bas been fally enforced, wo Which ont nid, irst, of the seneate withon jourrala, by the calm discussion of facts and principles of the resulting from a toof a duse of its confidence, by a most flagrant and
unjustifable use of its ecret phans and opera-
tions. The inflated circet papers to which we have alluded, is , what bas
done michlief-and in reality, is what hascondifficuilites. Among the itrgans of our nationa infuencee and cocrage. The Neu Yorl Herald be came popular in the south, because of its vitupor ern people, forming their opinions from the mercial organs, have, been led to the verge
that dark
-We mill not attempt to sugrest a remed erty of the press. That there bid be somm rule or lav to regulate and avoid the occurrenc
of thesee evils, thoso who aro engaged in the mit, because while only a fer of tesares ad evil, the extitie profesion tices. Something thould and must be doue to
purge the press of the larger cities, and when that is accomplished, the stream of journalism
throughout the country fill rua clear and




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| Gov. Curtin with a sort of slime which it desired to be received as praise-lout which tho |  |
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ington Slar of Saturday, gays :-The imposil
bility of quartering 30,000 men at Munasses Junction is evident from the fact that there are
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men. The soil is principally of red slate, and
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verbal statement of Gearal seott last week,
there are now under arms and in the pay of
the government of the United States 230,000 men. To maintain this army, after its equip-
ment, will require $\$ 1,000,000$ annuall to each
megiment, or $\$ 220,000,000$ a year. The navy regiment, or $\$ 220,000,000$ a year. The navy
will require, in addition, at least half that
sum, so that tithth the ordinary expenees of the
government, we may safely put down our national expenses at this time at the rate of $\$ 365$,
000,000 per year.
CrissR, BEABEABARD has issued a charac.
teristic proclamation to the people of Manassas.

Tgi Baitimois Cupper aberts that the re
sult of the election in that state, for member
of Congress, leaves no doubt that a delegation
has been selected who will ssocond the effort

| of Mr. Lincoln's administration to enforce the laws and preserve the Ualon. This is good |  |
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