

OUR COUNTRY'S FLAG.

Let us then twice each year of the glorious tissue of our country's flag about our hearts...

GO ON OUR PATRIOTS!

We call our standard to the mast—To conquer or to die. We claim no greater honor...

ABRAHAM SHIPMAN, Esq., of Northumberland county, whom the "Reign of Terrorists" last Spring arrested as a "Seer."

The old hen that was sitting the past month on one egg, broke the shell on Tuesday last, and the thing was an abortion.

Col. D. H. NEWMAN, of Easton, whose office the mobbers recently destroyed, has been triumphantly elected to the Legislature by the Democracy of old Northampton.

We can conceive of no emergency in the affairs of our Government, that would require the officious interference of Abolition Ministers at the election polls.

Senator Bound, the man who holds a seat in the State Senate, by only 18 of a majority in this District, spent some time just before the election...

Triumph of Victories. Hon WARREN J. WOODWARD, our excellent President Judge, has been elected President Judge of the Berks Judicial District...

British Patriotism.—The "Reign of Terror men" at the British corner in Bloomsburg, voted en masse against the Democratic candidate for County Treasurer...

Johnson H. Hecker, one of the apostate democrats on the Know-nothing Union-party Ticket, as we stated three weeks since, had at last got a nomination...

Opposition Tactics.

The election being over and the Union saved, not by the "new-light-no party-Republican party," but by the success of the DEMOCRATIC PARTY...

A Democratic Union Meeting was called, on the 28th of September, at Cattawissa. The people assembled, but the door was locked, and they had to obtain another house.

Thanks to the decent citizens of Cattawissa, the meeting was held—Judge Baldy was triumphantly elected—and those small-fry politicians slipped up handsomely.

The Army Vote.

We call attention to two articles in another part of our paper, copied from The Evening Journal, (republican) showing how the republicans proposed to disfranchise the soldiers...

The Vote of Old Columbia.

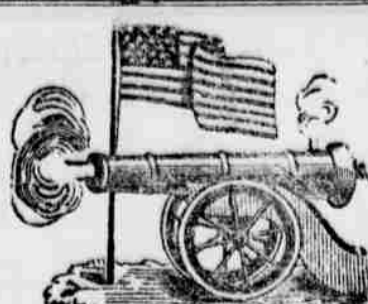
Whilst every section of Columbia county did its full duty, at the late election, in support of the Democratic Ticket, it would seem almost invidious to draw comparisons...

Where was "Jeremiah, the Prophet?"

Little Sullivan Erect. Most gloriously have the sterling Democracy of Sullivan county, borne the Democratic Flag in triumph.

We are informed that some dozen laborers have just been discharged from work by the McKelvey, Neal & Melick Furnace Company...

New York Caucasian.—This is the title of a Democratic Newspaper, just issued in New York, by VAN EVRIE, HORTON & Co.



SEE THE PICTURES!

How very foolish our friends in Columbia county would have felt now, if they had permitted themselves to be quelled by the tricks of the Opposition into an abandonment of their party organization.

Table with 2 columns: County Name and Democratic Vote. Includes Philadelphia elects ROBERT EWING, Sheriff, by 1,500 maj.



District Result—Assembly.

Table with 3 columns: County Name, Candidate, and Vote. Includes COLUMBIA, MONTGOMERY, SULLIVAN, and WYOMING, INCLUDING THE ARMY VOTE.

A week before the election, Mr. Pilgrick cried out, that the "Columbia Democrat had caved in." The poor simpleton little thought, that his coarse and vulgar abuse of the Democracy Party...

The Elections.

Five States held their annual election, Tuesday, the 8th of October, namely: Pennsylvania, Ohio, Iowa, Indiana, and Minnesota.

The Result in Clinton County.

The Democratic ticket is beaten in this county by an average majority of about 150. Last fall Gov. CURTIN had 47 majority—the LINCOLN electoral ticket had 482 over the Democratic electoral ticket...

In less than a year after the overwhelming success and advent to power of the Republicans the Democracy compelled them to attempt to hide their principles under Democratic names and to abandon the very designation by which their party was known.

Of another thing we boast, viz: that the Democracy resorted to no unfair means, no humbug of any character, no trick, no falsehood, and especially not to bribery, to carry their ticket; but on the contrary, boldly avowed their principles...

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A sad affair occurred on the Railroad, near Berwick, on Saturday night October 5th, resulting in the death of one of our return three month volunteers, CLEM THOMPSON.

Evans' Great Book Store.

Geo. G. EVANS, Esq., of Philadelphia, notwithstanding these terrible times and general depression of business, has been doing a prosperous trade with his Great Gift Book Store.

The Democracy of Clearfield county, the original home of the Editor of this journal, and the residence of Ex-Governor Bigler—have in common with the entire country, achieved a most brilliant triumph.

If the President were to draft every man into the army who is lying about home denouncing his neighbors as "Secessionists," he would soon have a force numerically strong enough to overrun the entire South!

The trial of A. Corwin for the alleged murder of his wife was brought to a close in the Luzerne county Courts, on Thursday evening of last week.

Judge Woodward.

The election of Judge WOODWARD, by so very handsome a majority, is a gratifying proof of the discriminating independence and good sense of the people of Berks.

Judge WOODWARD comes among us under auspices most favorable to himself and to our people. Men best acquainted with him, men best capable of judging, have borne testimony to his professional acquirements...

The manner of Judge WOODWARD'S election, and the large majority which he has received, may be to him just cause of personal gratification.

And as we need hardly say, although in a county like Berks, he might have been elected by a party vote, yet it was not a mere party vote that swelled his great majority.

The Democratic Union Platform!

The Democratic Convention of Columbia county, which met in Bloomsburg the 26th of August last, adopted a series of resolutions as the platform of the Democracy in the present struggle.

- 1st. Stand by the old organization of the Democratic party, which has ever been for the country, and the whole country right or wrong!
2d. The doctrine of secession is "a political heresy."
3d. The Democratic party is firmly pledged to the support of the Government.
4th. The Democratic party is in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the War, as the only means of securing an honorable peace.
5th. Opposition to every infraction of the Constitution of the United States, and to every invasion of the rights of the citizen under that sacred instrument.
6th. Retrenchment and Reform—reduction of salaries—decrease of State, Borough and County taxes, so far as is compatible with the public interest.
7th. Our gallant soldiers must be protected from the designs of heartless speculators, by which unwholesome food and unsuitable clothing were furnished those who are bravely battling for the Union.
8th. Thanks, a thousand thanks, to our devoted soldiers for the noble manner in which they have rallied to the defence of the Stars and Stripes—the emblems of our National Union!
9th. The acceptance of the nominations, for those placed upon the ticket, is a solemn pledge that they are unconditional Union men, under all circumstances and at all hazards and that their sentiments are the same as those of the immortal Jackson when he said, "THE FEDERAL UNION, IT MUST & SHALL BE PRESERVED!"
10th. Hon. John Cassin, of Bedford, is spoken of as Speaker of the next House of Representatives of Pennsylvania.

The Army Vote—A Base Outrage Contemplated.

We are under the impression that a very deep game is being played by certain, or to speak more correctly, uncertain, unprincipled political demagogues, to deprive, if they possibly can, our brave volunteers of their votes, given in camp at the last election.

Enough is known now to convince even Republicans, that the Democratic ticket has received a large majority at the very seat of war.

The preliminaries having thus been settled to the entire satisfaction of all parties who expected to receive the full benefit of the soldiers' vote, their own choice agents, those supposed to be the shrewdest in managing delicate affairs, were forthwith started for the camps, and literally pre-occupied the attention of the soldiers.

Now, it turned out that notwithstanding everything was done, as it was supposed, to secure the soldiers' majority—notwithstanding that packages of Democratic tickets were, by some species of legerdemain, found stowed away in freight cars on Wednesday, the day after the election—notwithstanding, in some of the camps, men high in authority made speeches, and proclaimed, with the lungs of a stentor, that a vote against the Republican party would be regarded as treason—notwithstanding the advanced guard of the Republican party in Philadelphia, composed of men who had been honored by the people, with high offices, were there, beseeching, conjuring, imploring, demanding of the soldiers, that they owed it to the Union cause, to vote the Republican ticket—still, we say, although the Democrats were sorely represented, and where they were, in most instances received the "cold shoulder" from the men who commanded them—it turns out that the "rank and file" of the thrice patriotic and brave men who are shouldering muskets and taking the place of danger, have been true to their country, and have shown that they are entirely superior to all the power of patronage and the allurements of office.

Now, we advance the opinion that the boldest and most reckless Republican will not dare to show his hand in an effort to throw out the votes of anti-Republicans—or, in other words, Democrats—who, without office or the hope of office, have gone to the polls on the very battlefield, with a vote in one hand and THE INSTRUMENT OF WARFARE IN THE OTHER with which to strike down the unholy and wicked rebels who would forever destroy all Democratic institutions, and erect in their place the oppressive quasi thrones of a miserable and pretentious oligarchy.

No, no, no! Whatever desperate things sectionists may venture to do at home, they will not dare interfere with the rights of those who are proving themselves to be patriots by their deeds. They dare not do it, for they know that any tampering with the rights of the People, with arms in their hands would be to invite, if not provoke the direct vengeance on their own heads.

The comparatively few men who hold office in the North will not be permitted with impunity to regulate the votes of our free white independent soldiers. Terrible will be the fate of the would-be oppressors if they trifle with what is now an armed opposition. With the best motives of having in view the speedy and complete wiping out of the miserable rebellion, we raise our voice for all, our warning voice, and point the political tricksters to their surroundings. We ask them, when you look at the vote cast in this city at the last election, do you think it good policy, as far as you are personally concerned, to attempt to insult and cover with infamy, the soldiers' almost sacred vote.

never cast—say especially, one from a regiment where the soldiers refused to vote, because nothing but the Republican ticket could be found, and when the base intruders would have been roughly handled for the attempted swindle of the volunteers, if the vote had not been made after the drum's night call into the camps.

What, will these infuriated political gamblers exhibit the temerity of endeavoring to count votes of Regiments, which we know did not vote at all? We shall see! Should this attempt be made, we tell these enemies of their country that the realms of secessionism would prove a safer asylum for them than places in which loyalty is respected and brave soldiers rights regarded with the utmost tenderness.

IT IS SAID that the President has "put his foot down firmly" against drafting in the west until the central and eastern States shall have raised something like their proportion each of the five hundred thousand soldiers called for by Congress.

ARREST OF COUNTERFEITERS.—The Detective Police have arrested and imprisoned at Buffalo, N. Y., one Andrews and his associates, whom they caught in the act of making a counterfeit of AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS.

SOME very excellent nominations have been made by the Democracy of the State this year, for the Legislature.—Among them we notice the names of Henry Clymer, of Berks County, Hon. Berard Ralphy, of Schuylkill County, Capt. C. M. Donovan, of Philadelphia, and William Kinsey, of Bucks County, for the Senate, and Col. Tate, of Columbia, Col. Newman, of Northampton, Col. Hopkins, of Washington, Hon. Thomas Craig of Carbon County, T. W. Duffield, of Philadelphia, Hon. John Cassin, of Bedford, Col. James Ryan of Schuylkill and others whose names we do not now recollect.—These are all the "right men in the right places," and if elected, the State may expect better legislation than the people received last winter.—Norristown Register.

RUMORED DEATH OF JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE.—A vague rumor reaches us from Frankfort that John C. Breckinridge has been killed by a mountaineer of Eastern Kentucky; but we are not disposed to credit the report without more definite vouchers. At last accounts he was in camp about thirty miles from Grayson, surrounded by some fifteen hundred kindred spirits. It is possible that in scouting about the country he has been shot. One thing is certain, the mountaineers of that region are in earnest, and would as soon shoot the Ex Vice President as "any other man" who attempts to convert Kentucky into a confederate bear garden.—Cincinnati Commercial, October 5th.

All the candidates on the Democratic ticket in this county are elected triumphantly. Our Republican friends were very sanguine of success with their made up ticket of would-be-Democrats. They were going to beat COL. TATE from four to five hundred in this county, and the result shows that TATE has beaten his competitor seven hundred and eleven votes. JUDGE BALDY was to be beaten, because he refused to fuse with them! The official vote in another column will show how completely he distanced them! Poor fellows will be obliged to remain out in the cold where they belong.—Star.