



RIGHT OR WRONG. WHEN RIGHT, TO BE KEPT RIGHT, WHEN WRONG, TO BE PUT RIGHT.

EBENSBURG: THURSDAY DECEMBER 1.

Sherman.

All interest in the military situation just now is centered in the grand march of Sherman. He has undertaken one of the boldest movements of this or any other war, and if successful, his name will go down to posterity linked with those of Hannibal and Napoleon.

Infernal Plots.

The rebels are peculiarly chivalric as to their methods of waging warfare. If this fact was never before remarked, it must have been made apparent by their recent raid on St. Albans, a defenseless town in Vermont, where murder, arson and rapine marked their every footstep.

Never before has the nation felt its strength as it does to-day. Whether it be attributable to one cause or another, this is a grand fact. The much needed solidarity in the North is being acquired daily and hourly.

Cambria County Election Returns--1864.

The Return Judges of Cambria county met at the Court House, Ebensburg, on Friday last, and counted the vote (both Home and Soldiers') cast for President on Tuesday, 8th November. The following are the figures:

Table with columns for Districts, Congress, and President. Lists election results for various towns like Allegheny, Blacklick, Cambria, etc.

On election day two Irishmen attempted to vote in Allegheny township, Blair county, who had procured exemption from the draft on the ground of alienage.

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When Benedict Arnold abandoned the American cause, went over to the enemy, and issued that denunciatory address against his compatriots, there certainly was a semblance of truth in his words.

So, in like manner, Mr. Lincoln, and those who have borne with him the heat and burden of this great conflict, will be most happy to close their labors whenever the great duty has been completed.

A different class of censors take quite opposite ground, alleging that the Executive is vacillating or imbecile in his course toward semi-traitors.

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then will even the semblance of arbitrary power be cast aside; and, as in the days succeeding our Revolution, it will be fully manifest that we have waged this war for the establishment of human liberty, not to weaken or destroy it.

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There were two theories as to the meaning of the plot—for such it undoubtedly was. One was that the incendiaries were also thieves, who hoped to plunder and pillage during the excitement that would certainly have followed the success of their efforts.

PRESIDENT'S LETTER TO A WIDOW.—Mrs. Bixby, the recipient of the following letter from President Lincoln, is a poor widow living in the Eleventh ward in Boston.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, Nov. 21, 1864. DEAR MADAM: I have been shown on the file of the War Department a statement of the Adjutant General of Massachusetts, that you are the mother of five sons who have died gloriously on the field of battle.

I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavements, and leave only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours, to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom.

According to a New York correspondent of the London Herald, the much talked of book on "Miscegenation" was a great hoax, "written by two young gentlemen connected with the newspaper press of New York, both of whom are obstinate Democrats in politics, and was gotten up solely with a view of committing, if possible, the orators and essayists of the Republican party to the principle it enunciated, that of the complete social equality, by marriage, of the white and black races."

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RESPONSE TO GEN. BUTLER'S SPEECH.—The Richmond Whig makes the following response to General Butler's invitation to "come back."

"Come back, come back now," he tells us, "and quit feeding on husks, and live with us on the fat of the land." But until we want to associate with felons and outcasts, thieves, robbers and murderers, we shall, we think, decline the gentle invitation.

The Confederate Representatives do not appear inclined to return to their allegiance at present, if one can judge from the tenor of their debates. On the 21st inst., the following resolution, introduced by Mr. Russell, of Virginia, was adopted by a vote of eighty-three yeas, no nays:

Resolved, That the House deem it proper, in view of recent events, to repeat the declaration made by the last Congress, in a joint resolution, declaring the sense of Congress in regard to re-uniting with the United States: That it is the unalterable determination on the part of the people of the Confederate States—who have suffered all the cruelties of a protracted war—that they will never, upon any terms, politically affiliate with a people who have been guilty of an invasion of their soil, and the butchery of their citizens.

Neither is the Georgia Legislature so disposed to reconstruct the Union, as has been stated, if they expressed their real sentiments last week, when they passed a series of resolutions complimentary to Jeff. Davis, and defiantly seceded.

IMPORTANT TO THE FRIENDS OF SOLDIERS.—The following note from Postmaster Bowen, of Washington City, calls attention to a matter of moment in regard to the transmission of packages addressed to persons in the army:

A large number of packages, intended for the army, arrive at this office with the wrappers destroyed or the address so mutilated that they cannot be forwarded, and are, therefore, necessarily sent to the Dead Letter Office.

If persons sending would take the precaution to write out on a card or slip of paper the full name of the officer or soldier for whom the package is intended, the number of the regiment and corps to which he is attached, as well as the name and post office address of the person by whom it is sent, and fasten the card or slip thus addressed securely to the contents of the package, inside the wrapper, it will in all cases insure their safe delivery, or their prompt return to the owner.

Editors in the loyal States will confer a favor on our soldiers and their friends at home by publishing this notice in their papers.

One of the first measures at the approaching session of Congress will be the appointment of a special committee of investigation into alleged extortionate and dishonest practices of the pension agents in some of the Northern cities. It is known that illegal fees have been charged, thus defrauding the nation's dependants.

STRAY COW.—Came to the residence of the subscriber, in Croyle township, on or about the 1st of September last, a red cow with considerable white about the belly and legs, and long wide horns, and apparently about 5 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the confirmation of the account of D. H. Roberts, and E. Roberts, executors of David Evans, (maison) dec'd:—The Orphans' Court of Cambria county, having appointed me Auditor to report distribution of the assets in the hands of said executors, to and among the persons legally entitled thereto, notice is hereby given that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at the office of Geo. M. Reed, Esq., in Ebensburg, on Tuesday, the 13th day of December, next, at the hour of one o'clock, P. M., when and where all persons interested may attend.

STRAY COW.—Came to the residence of the subscriber, on or about the 1st day of November, a large Black Cow, about 12 or 14 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to report distribution of the funds in the hands of Peter Earhart and Nicholas Shank, Administrators of the estate of Henry Kollis, deceased, hereby notifies all persons interested, that he will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office, in the borough of Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, the 1st day of DECEMBER next, at one o'clock, P. M., at which time all persons are required to present their claims or be debarred from coming in for a share of the fund.

LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN!—Left Thompson's store, Ebensburg, on Wednesday, 29th ult., a Black and Tan Terrier, called "Flea," having on a silver plated collar, marked "J. Patton Thompson, Ebensburg, Pa." A liberal reward will be paid for his return. J. PATTON THOMPSON. Ebensburg, Nov. 17, 1864-31.

QUICK SALES.

Small Profits.

1864.

THE LATEST ARRIVAL!

A. A. BARKER.

EBENSBURG, PA.

The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the people of Ebensburg and vicinity that he has just received, at his store, on High street, the largest and most complete assortment of

Winter Goods!

ever before brought to this county, all of which he is determined to sell cheaper than the cheapest.

DRY GOODS. In endless variety.

DRESS GOODS. Of every description.

WOOLEN GOODS. A full and complete assortment.

WHITE GOODS. Embracing all the latest styles.

EMBROIDERIES. Handsome and of the best quality.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS. Of all sorts, sizes widths and prices.

HOOP SKIRTS AND PALMORALS. The latest and best styles.

READY-MADE CLOTHING. A better and cheaper article than ever before offered to this community.

BOOTS AND SHOES. Of the very best workmanship.

HATS AND CAPS. Fashionable and of durable material.

MILLINERY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

BUFFALO ROBES.

Hardware, Queensware, Groceries, Flour, Beans, Cheese, Syrups, Molasses, Mackerel, Herring and Cod Fish, Iron and Nails, Cedar and Willow Ware, Drugs and Medicines, Carbon and Fish Oil, etc., etc.

These, and many other descriptions of Goods, too numerous to here mention, constantly on hand.

Not to mince matters, he keeps a FIRST CLASS COUNTRY STORE, where anything or everything a person may need or desire can be obtained.

By buying a large stock at a time, and paying for the same almost entirely in Cash, the subscriber is enabled to sell considerably cheaper than other dealers in this community. To be convinced of the truth of this assertion you need only call and examine his Schedule of Prices.

NO CHARGE FOR SHOWING GOODS. Customers will be waited upon by accommodating Salesmen.