

Thanksgiving.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES: A PROCLAMATION.

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, has been pleased to vouchsafe to us as a people, another year of national life, which is an indispensable condition of peace, security and progress.

Now, therefore, I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, do hereby recommend that Thursday, the 29th day of November, next, be set apart and observed everywhere in the several States and Territories of the United States, by the people thereof, as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God, with due remembrance that in His temple doth every man speak of His honor.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-first.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

Valedictory.

KIND PATRONS:

The intimate relationship which, as editor of The Alleghenian, I have so long sustained towards you, is now to terminate. With the present number is completed the fifth volume issued by me, and we are brought down to a period when, as has been hitherto announced, I can continue the publication of the paper no longer.

Ohio and Indiana join in the chorus, the former speaking by a majority of forty thousand and the latter by fifteen thousand. Out of nineteen Representatives, Ohio sends sixteen supporters of Congress, many of them as able as the most able.

For a time we shall have rest and quiet. In the shadowy future not even the most imaginative can now see either Usurpation or Impeachment, or an illegal Congress recognized.

The five years during which I have occupied the chair editorial have been rife with memorable events. The history of our country through that trying period is a theme replete with suggestive lessons, as well for the statesman as the citizen.

confronted the loyal people of an indigent but powerful Government. At first, darkness distracted our counsels, disastrous defeats perched upon our banner, but with a zeal that never flagged, a courage that never swerved, and unwavering reliance on the justice of their cause, our conquering legions came forth, and pressed forward in the glorious work of maintaining the Constitution and the Union.

In retiring I have the proud consciousness that, however I may have failed in the opinion of jealous friends or envious foes, I have endeavored to do my duty. I have never put forth a word or a line which I would not willingly put forth again under similar circumstances.

What the Elections Have Done.

So the election is over, the speeches, the gasconade, the high soaring eagle, the prophecies, the fever-heat excitement, all are over; and as the smoke of the conflict rises, and the din of it dies on our ears, we wonder at what we have been doing.

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The South also will accept the easy conditions offered her—accept them as cheerfully as possible or can be expected. Already the signs of the times indicate that South Carolina will be perhaps the

first, at any rate among the first, to set the example. The Unionists, led by ex-Provisional Governor Holden, an appointee of President Johnson, go before the people with the amendments as their platform. But then there are other questions that excite the nervous and disturb the slumbers of the apprehensive.

We think the President will heed the verdict of the people. If he do not, it will be bad for the President. The formation of a bogus Congress and its recognition by the Executive branch of the Government is now little less than an absurdity.

Neither do we hesitate to say that the adoption of the amendments will secure admission. It did with Tennessee, and we doubt not it will with Georgia or South Carolina.

So we look soon to hear that members from the extreme Southern State answer the roll-call of Congress as well as those from the extreme Northern State.

Table with 3 columns: Congress, Johnson, D., Morrell, U., and Morrell's majority, 1307.

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OFFICIAL returns from all the counties in the State except three give Geary 17,000 majority.

CAMBRIA COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS--1866.

Large table with columns for Districts, Au. Gen., Governor, Congress, Associate Judges, Assembly, Register & Rec., Commissioner, Poor Director, and various other offices. Lists candidates and their vote counts for various districts.

For Coroner, Edward Roberts received 22 votes—no Union-Republican nomination for the office. Union-Republican candidates in SMALL CAPITALS; Democratic candidates in Roman.

Congress--The Legislature.

The following members of Congress were elected on Tuesday, 9th:

- CONGRESSMEN ELECTED. 1. Samuel J. Randall, Dem. 2. Charles O'Neill, Union. 3. Leonard Myers, Union. 4. Wm. D. Kelley, Union. 5. Caleb N. Taylor, Union. 6. B. Markley Boyer, Dem. 7. John M. Broomall, Union. 8. J. Lawrence Getz, Dem. 9. Thaddeus Stevens, Union. 10. Gen. H. L. Cake, Union. 11. D. M. Van Auker, Dem. 12. Charles Denison, Dem. 13. Ulysses Mercur, Union. 14. Geo. F. Miller, Union. 15. A. J. Glossbrenner, Dem. 16. Gen. W. H. Koontz, Union. 17. Daniel J. Morrill, Union. 18. Stephen F. Wilson, Union. 19. G. W. Scofield, Union. 20. D. A. Finney, Union. 21. John Covode, Union. 22. Gen. J. K. Moorhead, Union. 23. Thomas Williams, Union. 24. G. V. Lawrence, Union.

Total—Union, 18; Democrat, 6.

SENATE.

The following will compose the next Senate of Pennsylvania. Those marked with a star (*) were elected on Tuesday, viz:

- First District—Wm. McCandless, D.* Second—Jacob E. Ridgway, U.* Third—C. M. Donovan, D. Fourth—Geo. Connell, U. Fifth—Dr. W. W. Worthington, U.* Horace Royer, U. Sixth—O. P. James, D.* Seventh—Geo. P. Schall, D. Eighth—J. Depeney Davis, D.* Ninth—Wm. M. Randall, D. Tenth—Charles Burnett, D.* Eleventh—George Landou, U. Twelfth—L. D. Shoemaker, U. Thirteenth—Warren Cowles, U. Fourteenth—J. Walls, D.* Fifteenth—Geo. D. Jackson, D.* Sixteenth—Geo. Dawson Coleman, U.* Seventeenth—E. Billingslet, U.* Gen. J. W. Fisher, U.* Eighteenth—A. Heistand Glatz, D. Nineteenth—David McConaughy, U. Twentieth—Alexander Stutzman, U.* Twenty-first—L. W. Hall, U., Kirk Haines, U. Twenty-second—Harry White, U. Twenty-third—W. A. Wallace, D. Twenty-fourth—Thomas B. Seawright, D. Twenty-fifth—J. L. Graham, U., T. J. Bigham, U. Twenty-sixth—Col. A. W. Taylor, U.* Twenty-seventh—J. Audley Brown, U. Twenty-eighth—James C. Brown, U.* Twenty-ninth—Morrow B. Lowry, U.

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE.

- Philadelphia—Geo. W. Hagan, U.* Wm. S. Gregory, D.; Samuel Joseph, D.* William W. Watt, U.* Wm. B. Hood, D.; James Freeborn, U.* James Subers, U.* James N. Keros, U.* Geo. A. Quigley, D.* Eliza W. Davis, U.* Wm. J. Donoghue, U.; Alexander Adaire, U.* Michael Mullin, D.; W. M. Worrall, U.; George De Haven, Jr., U.* David Wallace, U.* Edward G. Lee, U.* James N. Marks, U.* Adams—Nicholas Heltzell, D. Allegheny—Samuel Chadwick, U.; George Wilson, U.; William Peters, U.; George S. McKee, U.* Col. John Glass, U.* R. A. Colville, U.* Armstrong—Frank Mechling, U.* Berks—R. L. Jones, D.; H. B. Rhoads, D.* Frederick Harner, D.* Bucks—J. W. Headman, U.* C. Calvin, U.* Bradford and Sullivan—George W. Kinney, U.* James H. Webb, U. Blair—Samuel McCamant, U. Cambria—John P. Linton, D. Carbon and Monroe—Allen Craig, D.* Centre—Fred Kurtz, D.* Clarion and Jefferson—W. P. Jenks, D.

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ENGLISH OPINION OF ANDREW JOHNSON.

The London Morning Star, John Bright's organ, thus sums up the case of Mr. Johnson vs. the American people: "Mr. Johnson is simply one of those men whose notion of government is coarse abuse of others, and still coarser adulation of self. Each appetite excites the other, and the result is an intoxication of intemperate and egotistical self-will."

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