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The spirit of the Democratic press throughout the State is excellent. We never knew it better after a defeat and this inspires us with confidence that the coming campaign will be conducted with the energy and courage worthy of success.

The Tenth Legion.—The counties comprising the Tenth Legion did all that could reasonably have been expected of them at the late election. The Eastern Argus says: We believe the following are the official majorities for Judge Woodward in the Tenth Legion: Northampton, 3,073; Pike, 5,135; Monroe, 2,025; Wayne, 941; Carbon, 576; total, 7,530. This is an increase of 1,100 since 1862.

It is the duty of the two hundred and fifty thousand Democrats who voted for Judge Woodward, to stand squarely by his principles and await the issue of events. Our principles are right and just, our impulses are honest, our motives soundly patriotic and religiously pure.

Preventing Volunteering.—As we respected, the administration press, or at least an influential portion of it, will do what it can to defeat the raising of the State militia by volunteering. A few days since the Tribune threw cold water upon the proposition in the Board of Supervisors to give \$300 bounty to each recruit.

How to Raise 150,000 Men.—We invite the attention of the President to the following short but sensible and patriotic paragraph from the Louisville Journal. While his "loyal" friends in Pennsylvania are doing their best to prevent voluntary enlistments, Practice comes to the rescue, and shows in four lines how one half of the number of men required can be obtained.

Non-Combatant Religiosity.—The War Department has decided that Slakers and other sects, professing conscientious scruples against performing military duty, are liable to the draft, and if they won't fight they must pay. In these cases commutation money will be a lien and levied upon the common property of the sect.

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General Sherman has now two hundred thousand men under his command.

ON TO RICHMOND.

Our readers will recollect that when General Halleck had ordered the withdrawal of the Army of the Potomac from Harrison's Landing, General McClellan protested against this measure as in the highest degree unwise, contending that no advantage could be made by any other route, and that the true defense of Washington consisted in a rapid and heavy blow upon Richmond. His advice, however, was overruled, and the withdrawal of his army, relieving Richmond from danger, General Lee was enabled to defeat Pope and invade Maryland.

It remains to be seen what action the military authorities at Washington will take in regard to the Potomac. In view of the past to which affairs have been brought by the late campaign. Every one in the army here agrees that active operations against Richmond by this line are over for this year.

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HOW IT WAS DONE.

The following letter from a soldier of the Third Pennsylvania Reserve, to the editor of the Eastern Argus, is only a confirmation of the facts that have become notorious in regard to the means used to carry this State for Curtin.

October 10th, 1863. Dear Sir:—Next Tuesday being the day set apart for the election of Governor, I suppose those of you who are at home will see a great political struggle. It should be conducted, however, with some regard for decency, honor and principle.

Formerly, in his speech on the night after the election, delivered himself as follows: "A year ago this night, when an exclamation so enthusiastic as this did me the honor to pay me a visit, I took a liberty with them; and for all that I have since that time been slandered by all the Copperheads, from W. B. Reed to Cass, J. B. ..."

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PENNSYLVANIA ELECTION.

Table with 4 columns: Governor, Sup. Court, and two unnamed columns. Lists names and vote counts for various candidates.

GENERAL ROBERTS AT CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 25.—General Rosecrans arrived in this city at about 11 o'clock this morning, and was escorted to the Burnet House by an immense crowd of citizens.

On arriving at the hotel, General Rosecrans was introduced to the assembly by Judge Steyer, who said that his fellow citizens of Cincinnati appreciated the work he had accomplished for his country.

Gen. Rosecrans returned his sincere thanks for the expression of sympathy and respect which this public reception implied. While he felt honored by it, he could not forget that the people of this city did not do so to individuals alone.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

IMPORTANT ALTERATION IN THE SCHOOL LAW.—The attention of our readers is directed to the fact that, by the act of April 14th, 1863, the sum appropriated for the support of common schools for the school year ending on the first Monday of June, 1864, is to be divided among the several districts.

SINGULAR CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY.—In the battle of Gettysburg there was engaged with the Union forces a young man whose parents reside in Birmingham, Allegheny county, Pa.

FLAG ON ROUND-TOP.—On Tuesday last a large and beautiful American flag—presented by ladies of Philadelphia, Mrs. Wm. B. Reed at the head of the flag—was raised on the summit of Round-top, in a breeze 55 feet high.

THE WAR NEWS.

The reports of the movements of the Confederates in Tennessee received through a correspondent of a New York journal are highly important if true. It is stated that a large portion of the Confederate force under Gen. Bragg is now believed to be moving toward Cleveland, Tenn.

We also have important news from Chattanooga. A dispatch to the Richmond papers by the way of Fort Sanders, Monday last, states that Gen. Gilmore's force from Fort Sanders and Chattanooga, and reinforcements from Gen. Lee's army are supposed to be marching down by way of Lynchburg and Bristol, Va.

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On Saturday last, in this borough, Mrs. MARY THOMPSON, widow of Capt. Wm. Thompson, in her 73d year. Funeral at 10 o'clock this morning.

On Saturday week, very suddenly, Mr. JACOB REAR, Butler township, aged 77 years 23 months and 10 days.

On the 23d ult., JOHN WATKINS, only son of Wm. and Lydia Clark, aged 3 years. "I had a little cradle, And a little sleep there; It was the glory of my home, That child-like beauty seen, And now I have a little grave, Do you be still, my heart, God doth well, and he has fixed For me the better part."

Stray Cattle.

Strayed away from the premises of the subscriber, in Strabon township, one mile from Gettysburg, about a month ago, TWO HEIFERS and ONE STEER. One of the heifers is a dark red, about two years old; the other is a light red, with speckled head, 18 months old; the steer is principally white, with red spots on the sides, and is a fine specimen of the breed. One of the heifers is a dark red, about two years old; the other is a light red, with speckled head, 18 months old; the steer is principally white, with red spots on the sides, and is a fine specimen of the breed.