

The Gazette of Wednesday contains a sworn statement from S. A. Davenport, Esq., to the effect that he is sole owner of that establishment, that in purchasing it he acted as the agent of no man or set of men, and that he intends now and always has intended, that it shall remain an organ of opposition to the Democratic party.

It may seem hardly worth our while, but since some parties who do not know Mr. Clark's nature as well as we do, may be induced to believe his statements, we desire to say explicitly, that Mr. Galbraith does not own even so much as a type in this office, nor in any manner, either direct or indirect, has he any interest, aside from that general one, which all our party friends should entertain, in its financial condition.

So much for the veracity of this reckless and contemptible little mischief-maker, E. L. Clark. The three-fold testimony of each of the newspaper proprietors of the city convicts him of being a barefaced falsifier, and hereafter he will be known to the public in his true character.

We make no pretensions to speak for Mr. Galbraith, but deem it due to him to state that all the foolish schemes about his ambition to become Governor, are simple freaks of the imagination. He does not desire that office or any other.

When besought by his friends to permit them to use his name in connection with the gubernatorial nomination, he has invariably declined the proposed honor. If he had been ambitious in that way, does any one of good sense suppose he would have declined the endorsement of our late county convention, which was unanimously tendered him, and promptly refused?

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THE CAUSE AND THE REMEDY. It must be apparent to every intelligent mind, says the Lancaster Intelligencer, that the principal cause of our defeat in the State was a want of thorough organization in the Democratic party.

This defect, if it should have the effect of a thorough organization of the Democratic party for future operations, may result in good. We now know the full strength of our opponents, and will not have to act in the dark hereafter.

INVESTIGATING NEGRO INSURRECTION. A speech of John Brown, son of "Old Ossawatimie," delivered in Ohio a few days ago to a company of negroes, is reported by the Ottawa News as follows:

My colored friends, you have now the right to a box; and that is the cartridge box; but there are two other boxes which you ought to have, one of which is the ballot box and the other the jury box.

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THE ELECTIONS. The election returns are not as favorable as we anticipated last week, and display a lack of organization and negligence of duty on the part of Democrats which is absolutely inexcusable.

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