

person is now in custody. The prisoners will be held for regular trial in the judicial tribunals of the United States. As soon as it is ascertained that the United States were about to take vigorous measures to enforce the law, many persons absconded, and it is going around the country that all those persons have violated the law. A full report of what has been done under this law will be gazetted to Congress by the Attorney General.

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It may be advisable for Congress to consider what, in the execution of the laws against polygamy, is to be the status of plural wives and their children. The bill now pending in Congress enabling an act authorizing the Territorial Legislature of Utah to legislate all children born in the territory fixed in the act might be justified by its humanity to these innocent children. This is a suggestion and not a recommendation.

The policy pursued toward the Indians has resulted favorably, so far as can be judged from the limited time during which it has been in operation. The extensions of the various societies of Christians to whom have been entrusted the execution of the policy, and the Board of Commissioners authorized by the law of April 10th, 1869, many tribes of Indians have been induced to settle upon the reservations, to cultivate the soil, to perform productive labor, to accept of civilization, to be cared for in such a way, it is hoped, as to induce them to embrace their old habits of life, to embrace the only opportunity which is left them to avoid extermination.

The report of the Secretary of the Interior, submitted with this, will give you all the information that is needed and prepared for publication in regard to the census taken during the year 1870, the operations of the department, and the members of Congress, and the Pension Office, the Land Office, and the Indian Bureau.

The report of the Commissioner of Agriculture gives a full and complete report of the year's operations in agriculture and in the various branches of husbandry, and gives all the information that is needed and prepared for publication in regard to the census taken during the year 1870, the operations of the department, and the members of Congress, and the Pension Office, the Land Office, and the Indian Bureau.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress approved February 21st, 1871, a territorial government was created in the District of Columbia. Its results have thus far realized the expectations of its advocates. Under the direction of the territorial officers a system of improvements has been inaugurated, by means of which Washington is rapidly becoming a city worthy of the nation's capital, the citizens of the District having voluntarily taxed them-

good, law-abiding citizen out of a trail, would be a harder task than teaching a hog to talk.

THE BLAIR FAMILY.
Montgomery Blair, whose record is within the memory of young men, was informed by the late President Lincoln that the "time had come" when his seat at the Cabinet council table could be more satisfactorily filled by a statesman who had the confidence of the Republican party. Montgomery has been interviewed, in order that the world may know the opinions of the "Blair family" upon the political situation.

Since he was ousted out of Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet, the Blair family have all gone back where they belong to the Democratic party. What the Republican party gazed in the withdrawal of the Blair family, the Democracy never rendered any good service to the Republic until they left it. Since the time the Blair family were invited to take back seats, Montgomery has cherished the idea of the peculiar mission of his family to the country, and he has been unbroken by any one, again come from the front, through the means of an interview, who publishes nearly two columns of droppings of wisdom from this would-be Sir Oracle, in the columns of the *Sunday Herald* of the 26th ult. We extract the following:

"The Oracle says that President Grant is a weak man, and yet attributes to him a wonderful power over men. He admits that he was elected in 1868, by promising to make him the Democratic nominee; but Grant, in his quiet way, fooled him by keeping his own counsel. He admits that there is no possibility of defeating him with any Democratic candidate. He also admits that the Blair family are not happy unless they are a part of the power that is Montgomery. It is said, at one time, after they had quarreled with General Fremont, he boasted that his family 'made Presidents' in 1870, and was Warwick while to try his hand in 1872, and was the world his prize. For a whole year his proud Blair has been expiating, inventing some subtle strategy, by which the star of his party may again be ascendant. He does not seem to care for the Democratic party, or for Democratic principles, but he seems to think that his year of labor has been well spent, and he is anxious to give to the world his plan for defeating General Grant."

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Great Battle Fought in Mexico.
A telegram to the *Elmira Advertiser* of the 6th instant says: A courier has just arrived with news from Saltillo, Mexico, upon the 3d inst. The Union General Trevino has taken Saltillo, with a heavy loss on both sides. The slaughter has been terrible. The government troops made a stout resistance, but were at last compelled to yield to the superior numbers of the revolutionists. When the courier left, the government troops still held possession of the French fort in the outskirts of the city, but they were actually besieged by Trevino. The rebels contrived their position from two points, and its surrender is hourly expected. General Quiroga, rebel commander, is organizing his forces at Monterey for further operations. General Cortina, government commander, is still inactive, waiting for the result of the movements of the rebel forces under Trevino and Quiroga. The commander of this city conceals all news about the war. This is considered as unfavorable to the Government, which appears greatly discouraged, while the revolutionists are sanguine of final success.

THE ELECTORAL COUNT.
During the year just closing, elections of sufficient importance to determine the general political complexion of the voting population, have been held in 24 of the States of the Union. Of these States 17 pronounced in favor of the Republican party, and seven in favor of the Democracy. In 1870 the remaining 18 States held general elections except Georgia, which voted for Congressmen alone. Including Georgia, eight of the 1870 elections were determined in favor of the Democracy, and five for us.

These results, although not, of course, controlling the coming election, yet, for President, yet are sufficiently indicative of the political tendencies of the country to afford valuable data for work and calculation. Admitting to the Democracy party the electoral vote of every State carried by them during two years past, the balance of the electoral college would be as follows:

MARRIAGES.
CONE-HOAGLAND—In Woburn, on the 11th inst., by Rev. W. J. Reynolds, Mrs. A. F. Cone to Miss Louisa Hoagland, all of Woburn.

RHINEVAULT—In Sullivan, Nov. 30th, 1871, by the Rev. Isaac Everett, Rev. S. G. Everett of Monroeton, to Miss M. S. Criss of Sullivan.

DEATHS.
POTTER—In Middlebury, on the 6th instant, Mrs. Lydia Potter, wife of Ezra Potter, aged 75 years, and was buried in the cemetery.

DIMMICK—In Stony fork, Nov. 26th, Mrs. Dolly Dimmick, aged 66 years, 11 months, and 17 days.

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