

## THE CAMPAIGN IN NEW-JERSEY.

### TWO GRAND REPUBLICAN RATIFICATION MEETINGS IN JERSEY CITY.

The Republicans of Jersey City met in the Arcade, on Newark avenue, last evening, to indorse the nominations of Hon. George A. Halsey for Governor, and Hon. Isaac W. Scudder for Congress. About fifteen hundred persons were present, and much enthusiasm prevailed. Justice Seymour called the meeting to order. Dr. J. J. Youlin was called upon to preside, and W. W. Brownlee and John A. Blair acted as Secretaries. The following list of Vice Presidents was chosen: B. G. Clarke, David Taylor, H. N. Ege, William A. Lewis, J. F. McGee, Isaiah Hatton, John Bird, John W. Winters, David Smith, Henry Schermerhorn, Hiram Wallace, and N. H. Coykendali.

B. W. Throckmorton was the first speaker of the evening. He contended that the Republican Party had shown a capacity and a disposition for self-purification which commended it to the confidence of the people. The Credit Mobilier frauds had been investigated by the party, though it resulted in the loss of reputation and position of several Congressmen prominent in the party. The Sanborn and Jayne contracts investigation instituted by the Republican Party resulted in the removal and censure of these prominent officials. The Republican members of Congress had, without exception, returned their back pay, while a New-Jersey Democratic Senator had retained his. Mr. Throckmorton also claimed that the Democratic Party was the party of repudiation. He thought the third-term discussion was a sheeted ghost which frightened no person.

Hon. Isaac W. Scudder reviewed the financial state of the country—alluded to the Louisiana troubles and the condition of the South. He claimed that the people should stand by the Administration till it went out, and then they might get together and consider the propriety of forming new parties or sustaining the old. As for himself, he defied any man to put his finger upon a blot on his record. He may not have done as well as possible, but he had done nothing which could bring dishonor upon a New-Jersey Congressman. He had been again solicited to stand for a second election. He had accepted with much reluctance, and the Democratic friends who had stood by him then promised to stand by him again.

Addresses were also delivered by Major Paugborn, J. F. McGee, and others.