WHAT GREAT MEN EAT.

Curlosity of Diet-Luther-Charlemagne - Augustus Cresar - Apiclus - Tasso-Henry IV-Schiller-Napoleon, Etc.

The Cincinnati Commercial presents its readers with a pleasing article on the gastatory passion, telling its readers how some of the great men of history have lived. We read:-The word gastronomy, which posseses all the attributes of good living in their perfec-tion, is scarcely half a century old, and is, of course, due to the French, who compounded it, with their usual skill in adaptation, from

the Greek. From the indiscriminate and vulgar gluttony of Vitellius and Heliogabalus, those old heathers of the Decline and Fall, to the refined and delicate taste of the epicurean Lucullus, there is a wide interval.

Yet no human being is wholly without in-terest in the science of gastronomy, since there is none but must eat to live. Those who reverse the rule, and only live to eat, are not gonrmands in the true sense, and lose the test of pleasure in the overtasking of the palate. One of the most refined and philosophic of modern writers laments, with pathetic earnestness, the dire necessities that compel us all to pay tribute to the cupboard in the declaration, "I can get rid of everything but this perpetual stomach; he must eat, and I cannot make him respectable."

The most graphic and thoughtful of modern historians, far from despising such trifles as the traits and foibles of great men, dwells up on all such items with interest, as among the best revelations of character. When we read of the reformer Lather, that he was of full habits, and a hearty eater, that he loved Rhine wine and Torgan beer, we get at once an insight into the life and spirit of the man that is worth whole volumes in folio of con-

troversial theology.

Charlemagne, the first Western Emperor, who died in 1814, although a very frugal liver, was extremely fond of game. On ordinary occasions, writes Capengne, there were but four plates on his dinner table, besides a piece of game that the hunters brought to the Emperor, ready spitted, since they knew this was his favorite meat. The historian adds that this prince used rarely to drink more than three times at his repast.

Augustus Casar was fond of brown bread. little fish, cheese, and of new cow's milk, and fresh figs. Suctonius relates that he drank habitually but three glasses at each meal. which shows him to have been of much more sober and simple tastes than most of his suc-

Apicins, the celebrated Roman gourmand, wlose name has furnished a proverbial phrase to the literature of dietetics, was passionately for d of lobsters. Small blame to him for that, Fir ce this is the most delicious of shell fish, rext to the oyster, which must ever bear away the palm. Having heard that the Coast of Africa yielded lobsters larger and more delica'e than the Italian, Apicius immediately chartered a vessel and set sail to ascertain the fact, and bear home the prizes across the Mediterranean. A rich old fellow was this Apicins, who spent on his table 100,000,000 sesterces (about \$4 000,000 of our money), and one fine day, having cast up his accounts, and found that if his debts were paid he should have left but 10,000,000 sesterces (\$500,000), he quietly swallowed poison through fear of dying of hunger.

The Latin poet Martial, who died in the year 105 of our era, had a special taste for the thrush and the hare, a preference which he himself declared in this epigram:-

"Inter aves turdus, si quis, me judice, certet, Inter quadrupedes gloria prima lepus." The Emperor Alexander Severus was so

fond of rabbits that, according to his biographer, Lampridius, he ate one at every meal. Frederick, Emperor of Germany, who died in 1843, was madly in love with melons, and his immoderate passion for them finally car ried him to the tomb, as the consequence of an indigastion. The same accident, and from precisely the same cause, put an end to the career of the Emperor Maximilian II, of Ger-

Tasso, the Italian poet, had a marked predi-lection for sugared dishes, well baked in the oven, and for all kinds of fruit and confectionery. He was so fond of sugar, that he always put it in his salad.

Henry IV., of France, had a passionate fondness for melons and oysters. He used to eat immoderately of both, but it would appear that the wine of Arbois, of which he made a great use, saved him from the indigestion to which the great indulgence in such aliments exposed him.

The French Marshal Hocquincourt, who died in 1658, had a particular penchant for sheeps' tails, and kept all his life a cook who knew how to prepare a savory dish of this caudal mutton, which the Marshal dispensed to his officers to put them in good stomach for

Charles XII, King of Sweden, was certainly not a difficult eater, since Voltaire records that a slice of bread and butter was his supreme choice in matters of diet. Crebillon, fils, the French novelist, who

died in 1777, was an insatiable devourer of

A certain English gentleman named Rogerson, gave great preference to ortolans-at least the final act of his life seems to prove this. We are assured that this disciple of Apicius expended, in the space of nine months, the almost incredible sum of £150,000 sterling npon his table and culinary experiments. In fact, his whole fortune had been thus swallowed up; and, seeing himself reduced to want, he employed a guinea, the last that remained to him out of his large fortune, to the preparation of an ortolan, his favorite meat. Then, having tasted, with all the delectation of a consummate epicure, this ultimate dish, he quietly fell back and blew his brains out.

Voltaire was extravagantly fond of coffee which he drank to excess as Dr. Johnson did tea. The same characteristic was exhibited by the naturalist, Buffon, who almost lived upon

Fehiller, the great German poet, who died in 1805, was so extremely fond of ham, that he ate it nearly every day, and notwithstanding this remarkable taste, he drauk but spar-

Frederick, the Great, of Prussia, had a nota-ble predilection for a dish called polenta. This was a species of barley-cake reduced to powder and rossted. On this, and a cup of coffee (is his passion for which this prince fairly rivalled his friend Voltaire), he used to regate himself with much gusto. Not a very great debauch for a king or a philosopher.

Napoleon was another great coffee drinker, and would take sometimes twenty cups a day, without apparent injury. It was his only marked caste in dietary matters, the other pleasures of the table having been, in a measure, indifferent to him. This caused his chamberlain, M. Cussy, a renowned gourmand to lament that the "sentiment of the cuising was wholly wanting to the Emperor; and he cited this defect as an evidence that even the greatest of men cannot be perfect.

-Judge Chase was the fractional currency candidate of the Democracy for Presiden', This is the reason why he received a tractional 4 vote which went up to 4½ votes. History will decide whether he ought to be classed as a decimal or yulgar fraction.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SHE OUTSIDE PAGES.] REVENUE MATTERS .- A distillery at Broad street and Washington avenue was seized yes-terday, on the ground that it was being carried

on in violation of the revenue law.

Under the law all stills are to be registered and a failure to comply with this provision risks a forfeiture of the sull and other articles. on the premises used in the distillation of spirits and a conviction subjects the offender to a due of not more than ene thousand dollars and an imprisonment of not more than two years. In tegard to premises used for rectification the law declares that they shall not be within six bundred teet or any distillery; that no dwellinghouse shall be used for purposes of distillation that every distillery, rectifying establishment, and wholesale liquor store shall be designated by a sign on the front of the building, and that no enclosure of a distillery or place for rectification shall be more than five feet high, and door or gate of the same scall be kept Lieked.

The revenue officers are to have access at all times to distilleries and places for rectification, and the books kept in them are to be kept open at all times for inspection. The law provides for a storekeeper at each distillery, who is to keep an account of all the material pur-based, from whom bought, and of the quantity of whisky made. Any failure on his part to perform his duty not only subjects him to re-moval, but upon conviction to fine and imprisonment. Three days after a still is registered it is considered under the law to be in opera-In registering the stills their capacity is to be noted. A metre is to be used in distillestoner of Internal Revenue. One marked fea-ture is noticed in the new law. It materially reduces the number of revenue officials. Inspectors are to be almost entirely dispensed with, and the storekeepers provided for are required to perform the duties of a clerk.

GERMAN REPUBLICAN MEETING .- A meeting of the German Republicans was held last evening at Michanic? Hall, Third street, below Green. Mr. H. B. Trouk presided.

The following preamble and resolutions were submitted and unanimously adopted: -Whereas, A Convention will soon meet for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of District Attorney for the city and county of

Philadelphia:
Whereas, The candidate for that office should be a gentleman able and experienced in the practice of the criminal law, and should also have a knowledge of the German language. which is spoken by thousands of our citizens, in order to enable him to investigate and try causes successfully:

Whereas, The Germans form a strong and essential element in the Republican party, and it is but right and proper that in the nomina-tion of candidates they should be considered and not excluded from political honors on account of their mail nality; and Whereas, Frederick Dittman is known to us

be a gentleman of ability and strict integrity; therefore, be it
Resorted, 1. That we respectfully recommend Frederick Dittman, Esq., to the Convention as a

proper candidate and as our choice. 2. That the nomination of Frederick Dittman. E-q., would be halled with enthusiasm, and by the many thousands of citizens of German birth On motion, a Committee was appointed to wait upon Mr. Dutman, and inform him of the action of the meeting. In a few moments Mr. Dittman was introduced and made a brief speech, thanking the meeting for their goodwill and favor. After speeches by Messrs, Trouk, Seigman, and others, the meeting adjourned.

THE HEAT .- An unknown man was overcome by the heat yesterday atternoon, at Marshall and Spring Garden streets, and removed to the Soring Garden Station House, where he died. The deceased was dressed in a marcon-

celored coat, buff vest, and pants. A letter partially written, and directed Mary Francis, was found on his person.

James 8. Gould was overcome by the heat yeserday afternoon, at Ninth and Noble streets,

but no serious result was anticipated. ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL .- Joseph McCort, aged 12 years, residence No. 1341 Christian street, hand seriously injured by the explosion of powder at Broad and Christian streets. Owen Hagen, aged 35 years, residence Ship pen street, below Third, hand mashed by a clank (alling upon it, at Greenwich Point, Charles Campbell, aged 27 years, residence Pottsville, foot baoly sprained by leaping from a boat on the Schuylkill river.

DISORDERLY CHARACTER.-George Jackel, the proprietor of a lager beer saloon, No. 209 Lom-bard street, was before Alderman Jones, charged with keeping a puisance. M. W. Dickerson, who resides in the adjoining house testified that the defendant sometimes beats his wife, and that the cry of murder is frequent; also, that the noise is of such a character as to disturb his aged mother, who is lying very ill. He was held in \$400 bail to keep the peace.

LARCENT .- Ann Ewing was before Alderman Dallas charged w.th the larceny of a gold chain and locket while on an excursion given by the Morning Star Assembly, at Peun's Grove. Offi-cer Depart arrested the defendant at Seventeenth and Lombard streets and recovered the musing articles. She was held in \$700 bail to

FILIAL AFFECTION .- A young man named Rodman Bender, residing at Nicetown, was placed under \$1500 ball for threatening to kill his father. It is also alleged that he has knocked down several persons who have attempted to remonstrate with him on his bad conduct.

SLIGHT FIRE.-The smoke-house of George Hemersly, No. 1528 Mascher street, was slightly damaged by fire yesterday atternoon.

MISCELLANEOUS CITY JOTTINGS.

-The monthly display of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society took place last evening, at Horticultural Hall. It consisted of a fine collection of plants, cut flowers, raspberries, black-berries, peaches grown under glass, hollyhocks, geoseberries, currants, vegetables, and speci-mens of globe artichoke. A number of ladies and gentlemen were present, and the display appeared to give general satisfaction. A number of prizes were awarded for fruit.

-Radeliffe, the catcher of the Athletic Base Bail Club, resigned yesterday. He has gone to New York to join the Mutual, and is expected o play on the 30th in the game with the At

-The Twenty-six'h Ward Grant and Colfax Campaign Club meet at Kater Hall this evening, at 8 o'clock. All Republicans are invited. -The Union League has contracted to have the Belgian payement laid in front of their house, on Broad street. The workmen have already

ommerced operations.
-To-night the Athletic Base Ball Club will iob) a special meeting at Paimer's billiard hal' highth and Vine streets.

-The Hon. John Bell, of Tennessee, is parally paralyzed, but is in fair health.

cres to live to see Seymour elected, and to die -The fact that the soldiers in 1864 gave 121,041 otes for Abraham Lincola, and only 35,050 for

declellan, may give some idea of how the same olders will be likely to vote this year. -The Cinc must commercia says it is the unthat Grant will not talk. It might not, however, a source of regret to them if Seymour had alked tere.

-Napoleon's cuirassiers are to have new reast-plates that will defy the needle-gun. -Beecher's summer suit is a "heavy Legl orn hat and a serene, happy look."

-A Wisconsin walkist has done one hun dred miles within twenty-four hours, and his name is Simmons.

-An actress on the Paris stage is perfectly deaf, and yet the public have been unable to

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

Por additional Marine News see First Page. ALMANAU FOR PHILADELPHIA-THIS DAY.

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Currespondence of the Philadelphia Erchange,

Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange,
Lewes, Del., July 18.—The fleet before reported in
the barbor 17th inst, all went to sea yesterday; also,
ship Westmerreiard, from Philadelphia for St. John,
N. B.: barque Hamson Gregory do for Barbados; and
brig Heinrich Moll, do, for St. ckholm.

Erig Chebucto, for Falmouth remains in the harbor.

JOSEPH LAFETRA.

MEMORANDA.
Stermship Star of the Union, Cooksey, hence, at Sturbwest Pass 18th inst. Etemship Norman, Crowell, hence, at Boston yes-Basque Lady Stanley, Harrison, at Leghorn 4th inst. for Philadelphia during the month. Basque Amelia McLionaio, hence, was at Leghorn ith item, for New York during the month. Basque George Henry, Jensius, hence, at Hayre 7th instant. Barque Village Belle, Little, hence, at Londonderry Brig Gazelle. Cole, hence for Stettin, at Elsinore sin

Brig Gazelle Cole, hence for Stettin, at Eisinore cin instant.

Brig Neille Mowe. Merryman 32 days from Malaga, at New York yesterday.

Brig Minnie Miller. Anderson, for Philadelphia, sailed from Bangor 18th inst.

Brig O. C. Clary Bryant, for Philadelphia, sailed from Havana 12th inst.

Brig Argo, Creighton, hence, at Hailfax 11th inst., schr Sarab Watson. Smith, sailed from Cardenas 10th inst., for New York.

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Schr Keading RR. No. 42, Rodan, from New Haven for Philadelphia, at New York 20th last.
Schr Gienwood, Lawrence, from Horton's Point for Philadelphia, at New York 20th inst.
Schr E. B. Wheaton, Little: Staratoga, Weeks; and Picora, Carroll, for Philadelphia, sailed from Providence 18th inst. dence 18th inst.
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Trainor, hence, at Providence 19th Inst.
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Schr Ann Twibell. Edwards, for Philadelphia, salled from Providence 19th inst.
Schr Mary H. Stockham, Corbury, hence, at Wilmington, N. C., 18th Inst.
Schr Reppahannock, Corson, for Philadelphia, salled from Pawtucket 18th Inst.
Schr Sahuel Crocker, Presbrey, from Taunton for Philadelphia, at Newport 18th Inst.
Schrs Sahuel Pharo, Shourds, and S. B. Strong, Tuthili, hence at Providence 19th Inst.
Schrs Mary Westcott, Gandy, and J. L. Maloy, Russell, hence, at Lynn 39th Inst.
Schrs Fannie, Marts, hence, for Boston; M. Cummings Morris, do, for Cohassett; Laura, Bridgman, do for Boston; Sarah J. Bright, Shaw, for do, Pathway, Jackaway, from Boston for Philadelphia; Wm. F. Gartson, Morris, do, for do; Georgie Deering, Willard, for Portland for do; F. C. Bailey, Sherman, hence, at Bangor, Me., at Holmss' Hole 19th Inst.
Salied, all the vessels betore reported except schra E.; Conant, Ida Wheeler, and Casplan.
Steamer G. H. Stout, Ford, hence, at Alexandria 20th Inst.

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