MATTERS MATRIMONIAL.

It would be difficult, says the Metropolitan Record, to hit upon a subject more interesting to the majority of mankind (and womankind, of course,) than matrimony. There is a perpetual charm about it that delights every one who has not tried it, and some who have, and keeps it always fresh and attractive. From an article on this subject in the Troy Times we make a few extracts wherein are related some entertaining things concerning marriages and marriage customs.

A MATRIMONIAL CHAPTER.

When Socrates was asked whether it were better for a man to get married or live single, he replied : "Let him do either and he will repent it."

With due respect to Socrates, we must object to the above. We once knew a fortune-hunting young man who married a maiden lady on the wintry side of fifty. She was worth about one hundred thousand dollars, and died in less than a month after the celebration of the nuptial ceremonies. He inherited her property, and *he* never repented his marriage, nor are we aware that he ever regretted her death.

Among the ancient Germans it was death for any woman to marry before she was twenty years old. By the laws of Lycurgus the most special attention was paid to the physical education, and no delicate or sickly women were, on any account, allowed to marry.

In the royal library of Paris is a written contract, drawn up in 1297, between two persons of noble birth in Armagnac. The document bound the husband and wife to faithful wedlock for seven years. It stipulated that the parties should have the right to renew the tie at the end of that time, if they mutually agreed; but, if not, the children were to be equally divided, and if the number should not chance to be even, they were to draw lots for the odd one.

The following romantic story is told of Lord March (grandson of Charles II), who afterward became the second Duke of Richmond, and who, while yet young, was engaged, without being consulted as to choice, to a lady still younger. The bride was the daughter of the Earl of Cadogan, Marlborough's favorite general. Their union (according to Napier's account) was a bargain to cancel a gambling debt between the parents, and young Lord March was brought from college, the lady from the nursery, for the ceremony. The bride was amazed and silent, but the bridegroom exclaimed, "Surely you are not going to marry me to that dowdy?" Married, however, he was, and his tutor instantly carried him off to the continent. A few years after this event Lord March returned home from his travels a most accomplished gentleman, but having such a disagreeable recollection of his wife that he avoided home, and repaired, on the first night of his arrival, to the theatre. There he saw a lady of so fine appearance that he asked who she was, and on being answered that she was "the reigning toast, the beautiful lady March," he hastened to claim her, and they lived together so affectionately that one year only after his decease, in 1750, she died of grief.

An English marriage party lately had a time of it in London. They went to the church, found it closed, and after getting the keys, had to force the vestry door, when they had neither surplice, books nor register. A sheet was borrowed, in which the minister was pinned, and while waiting for a messenger to return with the register, the party amused themselves by ringing the three bells of the church, all of which so disgusted the regular vicar who did not marry them, that he assigned a solemn service on Friday, March 24th, "to avert the wrath of Almighty God, and to deprecate his righteous judgment, in consequence of the profanation of his sanctuary on Monday last. Divine service will commence at 1:30 P. M. Ezekial v. 2.—Alfred Pownell, Vicar."

In Borneo, marriage, which generally succeeds a lengthened routine of enigmatical courtship peculiar to those people, is celebrated with great pomp and considerable originality. The bride and bridegroom are conducted from opposite ends of the village to the spot where the ceremony is to be performed. They are seated upon two bars of iron, symbolic of the vigorous and lasting blessings in store for them. A cigar and betel leaf, carefully prepared with areca nut, are put into the hands of each. One of the officiating priests advances, waves two fowls over the heads of the betrothed, and in a long address to the Supreme Being, and a short one to the couple, calls down eternal blessings on them, implores that peace and happiness may attend the union, and gives some temporal advice, sometimes of a character more medical than saintly. The spiritual part being thus concluded, the material succeeds.

The heads of the affianced are knocked together three or four times; then the bridegroom puts his betel leaf and cigar into the mouth of the bride; and thus they are acknowledged a wedded couple, with the sanction of their religion. At a later period, on the nuptial evening, fowls are killed, the blood caught in two cups, and from its color the priest foretells the future happiness or misery of the newly wedded. The ceremony is closed by a feast, much dancing and noisy music.

The ceremony of marriage among the Calmuck Tartars is performed on horseback. A girl is first mounted, who rides off at full speed. Her lover pursues, and if he overtakes her, she becomes his wife, returning with him to his tent. But it sometimes happens that the woman does not wish to marry the person by whom she is pursued, in which case she will not permit him to overtake her; and no instance occurs of a Calmuck girl being caught unless she has a partiality for her pursuer.

In Siberia a bride is required, on arriving at her husband's house, to invite guests to a dinner that shall prove her quality, and upon which, in fact, her future reputation will depend. It must be prepared by her own hands, and both to herself and her parents shame will be the consequence if she be found deficient. If her dinner prove a triumph, it will recommend to honorable notice not only herself, but also her family.

The Nestorian Christians had a matrimonial custom which was not bad. As soon as a marriage had been celebrated, the bride was taken to the home of the bridegroom's parents, where a baby and three suits of clothes were placed before her. She was then required to dress and undress the baby three times, and if she did not do it to the satisfaction of the jury of matrons there assembled, she was sent home again to acquire proficiency in her duties.

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The anterior absorbs. Interior consists of tissues, or veins, which serve as a deposit for the urine ann convey it to the exterior. The exterior is a conductor also, terminating in a single tube, and called a Ureter. The ureters are connected with the bladder.

The bladder is composed of various coverings or tissues, divided into parts, viz.: the Upper, the Lower, the Nervous, and the Mucous. The upper expels, the lower retains. Many have a desire to urinate without the ability; others urinate without the ability to retain. This frequently occurs in children.

To cure these affections, we must bring into action the muscles, which are engaged in their various functions. If they are neglected, Gravel and Dropsy may ensue.

The reader must also be made aware, that however slight may be the attack, it is sure to affect the bodily health and mental powers, as our flesh and blood are supported from these sources.

GOUT, OR RHEUMATISM.—Pain occuring in the loins is indicative of the above diseases. They occur in persons disposed to acid stomach and chalky secretions.

THE GRAVEL.—The gravel ensues from neglect or improper treatment of the kidneys.—These organs being weak, the water is not expelled from the bladder, but allowed to remain; it becomes feverish, and sediment forms. It is from this deposit that the stone is formed, and gravel ensues.

DROPSY is a collection of water in some parts of the body, and bears different names, according to the parts affected, viz: when generally diffused over the body, it is called Anasarca; when of the abdomen, Ascites; when of the chest, Hydrothorax.

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This medicine increases the power of digestion and excites the absorbents into healthy action by which the watery or calcerous depositions, and all unnatural enlargements, as well as pain and inflammation, are reduced, and it is taken by men, women, and children. Directions for use and diet accompany.

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Having seen your preparations extensively advertised, I consulted with my family physician in regard to using your Extract Buchu.

I did this because I had used all kind of advertised remedies, and had found them worthless, and some quite injurious; in fact, I despaired of ever getting well, and determined to use no remedies thereafter unless I knew of the ingredients. It was this that prompted me to use your remedy. As you advertised that it was composed of buchu, cubebs and juniper berries, it occurred to me and my physician as an excellent combination, and, with his advice, after an examination of the article, and consulting again with the druggist, I concluded to try it. I commenced its use about eight months ago, at which time I was confined to my room. From the first bottle I was astonished and gratified at the beneficial effect, and after using it three weeks, was able to walk out. I felt much like writing you a statement of my case at that time, but thought my improvement might only be temporary, and therefore concluded to defer and see if it would effect a perfect cure, knowing then it would be of greater value to you and more satisfactory to me.

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June 23, 1870.-1y.

Circumstantial Evidence.

Reviewing the history of its State, a newspaper of Virginia recalls a case in which that insiduous kind of evidence which is styled "circumstantial" failed to rob a man of his life only to leave the remaining years of that life a prey to something more cruel than death. In the summer of 1807, about four years after her marriage, the wife of John Sigans, a young man residing in Taylor county, was missing from her home one morning; nor could any trace of her be found, or any reasonable explanation of her absence devised. She had retired to slumber, as usual, with her husband and infant, on the preceding night; and her husband, according to his own steadfast assertion, awoke in the morning to find himself and the babe sole occupants of the couch. Being unable to offer any kind of help towards the elucidation of the mystery, Sigans presently became an object of ominous suspicion, and at last, upon the testimony of a neighbor named Current, was taken before a magistrate for examination. The "witness" testified that on the night of the alleged disappearance he had been aroused from his sleep by the firing of a gun in or near Sigans' house, followed by a sound like a female cry. He also testified that he "believed" a murder had been committed, and a woman's body buried under a heap of stones near his neighbor's house! This last piece of testimony went for nothing, as the minutest search failed to reveal any hidden corpse; but that about the gun firing, though insufficient to hold the accused in any legal bond, deepened the suspicion of the public against him.

The unhappy man, despite his protests of innocence, was shunned from that day forth by all his former friends and neighbors; and even his relatives, taking his child to their own care, trained the little one to judge and despise his father as his mother's murderer. The boy, as he grew up to manhood, actually persecuted his parent until the latter died of a broken heart, and then seemed to share the relief avowed by his other kindred at their riddance from one who had been a horror and disgrace to them. In fact, for no less than forty years, Current's testimony was accepted as establishing the moral certainty of John Sigans' guilt, really inconsequent as that testimony had been; but at the end of nearly half a century from the night of the wife's disappearance, in 1848, after Sigans and Currant had both passed away, Mrs. Sigans herself re-appeared in her old home! She confessed, says the Grafton *Sentinel*, that she had never been over one hundred miles away; had fled by night from the side of her unsuspicious, sleeping husband to the protection of another; had changed her name, and wished to be as one dead to those whom she had deserted. The "gun" heard by Current must have been the noise she made in falling upon the stoop of her home as she fled, and the "female cry" her involuntary exclamation of pain and terror. Thus, upon the strength of purely circumstantial evidence, and that so trifling, an innocent and cruelly wronged man had been placed under a ban of excommunication from all that is merciful in life, and persecuted into a dishonored grave by the hatred of his own child.

THE CORNER LOAFER SKETCHED.—The following sketch of the corner loafer tribe, taken from the Daily Saratogian, of Saratoga, will no doubt be endorsed as correct in every respect by all who have come across any of this shiftless, corner-obstructing class:

"That young squirt on the corner, with his hat a little on one side, the stub of a cheap cigar in his mouth, and a stare for every lady that passes—is a loafer. Do you know where he gets his money? His mother earns it for him taking in washing. Poor soul! She thinks her boy will get work soon. He could find work plenty to keep him busy fifteen hours a day, if he wanted it. But he is a lazy loafer, and don't want to work. If he gets a place, he shirks, or does his work so poorly that he is soon discharged. He never works for the same man twice. Or, perhaps, he is particular what kind of work he does. He is willing that his mother or sister should sew or wash to earn money for him to spend, but he is a little particular, 'he is,' what work he does with his hands. He looks down on that sweaty carpenter who hurries by him, nods, condescendingly at his friend, the shoemaker, and sends a whif of smoke into the eyes of the bedaubed painter, with both hands full of paint pots and brushes. He couldn't borrow ten cents of any of them. They know he would never pay it. They earn their money. He begs his of his mother.—Stylish boy, isn't he?"

THE Nevada City (Mo.) *Times* says: A gentleman was in our town yesterday who had just returned from old Mexico, and had with him a boy about fourteen years of age that is almost as great a curiossity as the armless man. He is well formed in every respect except his feet, which consists of only two long toes, the great and small toes. The foot is cleft from the ankle and forms two separate toes, each toe is about six inches long.—The joints of the toes appear stiff from walking on them. The toes and foot, of which there is nothing but a heel, resembling the thumb and forefinger of the hand, both toes of the same length, and he can grip a piece of coin or paper with the ends of them somewhat as a crawfish would. He is very pleasant and intelligent. The man with him said his whole family, father, mother, brother and sisters were all formed the same way, and they claimed to belong to a tribe in Central Mexico, whose feet are all formed the same as theirs.

A DECEIVED FAMILY.—A very pretty Oakland, (Rhode Island) girl, not over 18 years of age, brought a suit for breach of promise against a young merchant who had changed his mind, and taken a richer bride. The trial came on, and the girl's mother, a fat red faced old dame, was present to give moral effect to the recital of her daughter's wrongs. The counsel for the plaintiff, in summing up, declaimed at length, with moving pathos upon the enormity of the defendant's guilt in creeping into the bosom of this family—here the old lady pinned her shawl closer,—and deeiving and disappointing this young girl. Here the venerable mother could contain herself no longer, but with gushing tears, exclaimed, "He deceived us all, gentlemen! Me and all the rest—*me and all the rest!*" The effect was magical, but not just what the old lady expected.

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MEDICAL CARD.—DR. E. J. DIBRELL has commenced the practice of medicine in Chest Springs, Cambria county, Pa.—Office over the store of E. & H. Nutter. All professional calls responded to promptly at any hour of the day or night. [je23.-3m.]

E. H. PLANK, M. D., tenders his professional services to the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity. Office on High street, opposite the new Congregational church, East Ward. Night calls can be made at the late residence of Dr. R. S. Bunn, West Ward. [my12.]

W. W. JAMISON, M. D.,
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October 17, 1867.-6m.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in the Exchange building, on the Corner of Clinton and Locust streets—up stairs. Will attend to all business connected with his profession.
Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

JOHN P. LINTON,
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Johnstown, Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

C. L. PERSHING, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.* Office on Franklin street, upstairs, over John Benton's Hardware Store. Jan. 31, 1867.

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KOPELIN & DICK, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Office with Wm. Kittell, Esq., Colonade Row. [oct. 22.-tf.

R. L. JOHNSTON, J. E. SCANLAN.
JOHNSTON & SCANLAN,
Attorneys at Law,
Ebensburg, Cambria co., Pa.
Office opposite the Court House.
Ebensburg, Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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SHOEMAKER & OATMAN, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Offices on High street, immediately east of Huntley's hardware store. [ap.8,'69.

WM. H. SECHLER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in rooms recently occupied by Geo. M. Reade, Esq., in Colonade Row, Centre street. [aug.27.

GEO. M. READE, *Attorney-at-Law*, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in new building recently erected on Centre street, two doors from High street. [aug.27.

JOSEPH M'DONALD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office on Centre street, opposite Linton's Hotel. [Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

F. P. TIERNEY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row.
Jan. 5, 1867-tf.

WILLIAM KITTELL,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg, Pa.*—Office in Colonade Row, Centre street.
Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

JOHN FENLON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Ebensburg Pa.*—Office on High street, adjoining his residence. Jan 31, 1867.-tf.

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BEE HIVE.

The undersigned has secured letters patent of the United States, dated December 14, 1869, for an improvement in the construction of Bee Hives, and claims for his invention advantages possessed by no other heretofore patented.

The principal feature of this Bee Hive is the arrangement by means of which it is thoroughly ventilated, thus precluding the possibility of the bees smothering, the comb moulding or the honey souring. This desirable end is accomplished by a vertical perforated tube, running centrally through the hive and open at the top and bottom. All persons interested in apiculture will at once see the great advantages secured in this improvement. The ventilator is for the increase of bees.

The peculiar construction of the box, particularly in the arrangement of the inner compartments, whereby it can be cleaned at any time without disturbing the bees, is another valuable improvement which will be obvious to any person who examines this Hive. An examination of the workings of the bees or the condition of the interior can be made at any time, as the sides are cased with glass. Bees can be trasferred from a different hive to the improved one without any difficulty whatever. It would require too much space to enumerate here all the advantages claimed in this invention, but full information will be promptly furnished by applying in person or by letter to the patentee. I am now prepared to dispose of territory for the sale of the Improved Bee Hive in any portion of the United States.
PETER CAMPBELL,
Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pa.

AUTOMATIC RAILWAY GATE
The patentee of the above has also invented and patented an AUTOMATIC RAILWAY GATE, to which he invites the attention of railroad men. Full information will be furnished on application, and Company Rights will be disposed of by the inventor. Address as above. [jan.11.'70.-tf.]

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The Recent Great Flood.—The Ca[illegible] at Harper's Ferry.

A Harper's Ferry correspondent of the Baltimore Gazette says:

The loss of life has been fearful. [illegible] families named Bateman, and other [illegible] numbering in all over twenty souls, [illegible] fuge from their own humble dwellings [illegible] large brick building at Shenandoah Junction, about a mile above Harper's Ferry, [illegible] they were safer in a large brick building than in their own huts. There is no [illegible] tige of the house left, and all have gone. Mrs. Margaret Carroll, widow of Mr. [illegible] formerly proprietor of the "Wager House" at this place, was lost with the house in which she boarded—that of Mrs. [illegible] Evans. The other inmates tried to induce her to leave with them, but being [illegible] feeble, and perhaps apathetic, she refused, and they had not time to pick her up [illegible] bly, being very hard pressed themselves. The whole number of lives lost is, as [illegible] we know, about thirty-five, but [illegible] pose that a much greater number perished. [illegible] many obscure people having lately settled on the lonely islands above Shenandoah City, which were completely submerged.

The loss of property is enormous. [illegible] some fifty families are left without [illegible] of food, clothing, or the shelter of a roof. The Winchester and Potomac railroad is completely destroyed for a distance of [illegible] miles, and on the side of Shenandoah City [illegible] next the river, there are but few houses left habitable, several being completely washed. A meeting will be held this [illegible] by our citizens to devise means for the instant relief of the sufferers, and to appeal to other quarters for aid to enable these people to subsist during the winter.

This (Sunday) morning an old and corpulent negress was picked up from the river at Weverton, about three miles [illegible] She was sailing down the river on a roof, and was composedly smoking her pipe. She hails from Page county, [illegible] *sixty five miles* up the valley, and had floated of nearly *seventy miles* in all. This morning, also, a man was rescued from [illegible] the river, some two miles above [illegible] lived at Snicker's Ferry, and was [illegible] away in a boat, which was upset, and he took to the tree and there remained [illegible] cued this morning. I do not know how he had to swim, or how long he was in the tree.

GUARD AGAINST VULGARITY.—[illegible] pecially commend the following extract to the thoughtful study of the young. It is so disgusting and repugnant to the feelings of the noble and good [illegible] young, or even the old, use profane or vulgar language. The young [illegible] are particularly guilty of profaning [illegible] day it seems the "boy" does not feel [illegible] a "man" unless he can excel in [illegible] sin.

"We would guard the young against the use of every word that is not [illegible] Use no profane expression—no [illegible] sentence that will put to blush the [illegible] sitive. You know not the tendency [illegible] ually using indecent and profane [illegible] It may never be obliterated from your [illegible] When you grow up you will find [illegible] tongue's end some expression you would not use for any money. [illegible] used when you were young. But [illegible] you will save yourself a great [illegible] fication and sorrow. Good men [illegible] taken sick and become delirious [illegible] moments they used the most vile [illegible] cent language. When informed of [illegible] restoration to health, they could [illegible] for doing so by the fact that they [illegible] and repeated the expressions in [illegible] and though years had passed since they had stamped themselves indelibly [illegible] their hearts. Think of this, you [illegible] tempted to use improper language [illegible] disgrace yourselves."

MECHANICS' WIVES.—It is [illegible] rank of life where we behold woman [illegible] her glory—not a doll to carry silks [illegible] els; not a puppet to be flattered [illegible] adoration; reverenced to-day, [illegible] morrow; admired, but not esteemed [illegible] by passion, not affection; [illegible] weakness, not her constancy, [illegible] would exalt; the source and [illegible] —we see her as a *wife*, [illegible] and cheering the anxieties of a [illegible] dividing his toils by her domestic [illegible] spreading cheerfulness around [illegible] sake; sharing the decent [illegible] world without being proud [illegible] all the joys and happiness [illegible] loves. As a mother, we find her [illegible] tionate, the ardent instructress [illegible] dren whom she has tended from [illegible] cy; training them up to thoughtfulness [illegible] to piety and benevolence; [illegible] as rational beings, and preparing them to become men and women in their [illegible] chanics' daughters should make [illegible] wives in the world.

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