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THE KIDNAPING ART. I have a thirty years' experience in the detection of crime...

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The Cottage Door. How sweet the rest that labor yields! The humblest and the poorest...

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BRIEF PARAGRAPHS. Gen. Meade is a Catholic in his religious views. So says the Freeman's Journal and Catholic Register.

U. S. Senator Tom Eych, of New Jersey, is a private in a militia company raised in Mount Holly to aid in defence of Pennsylvania.

Gen. McClellan has taken up his summer residence at Orange, N. Y., in the elegant mansion of Dr. Marcy, the uncle of Mrs. McClellan.

The QUESTION OF BANK DECISIONS.—The board of officers have decided the question of rank in the following order of precedence: McClellan, Fremont, Banks, Dix and Butler.

An old bachelor of our acquaintance says he doesn't wonder that married men over thirty five years of age are placed in the second class conscripts under the new conscription law.

Big Eaton.—The keeper of a warehouse was lately seen beating one of the slaves with a large club. A bystander asked him the cause.—Why, said the keeper, he's been fingering dirt about the tent, and he's big enough to know better!

Hon. George W. Woodward passed thro' our borough on Tuesday afternoon last, on his way to Gettysburg. He has a son in one of the Pennsylvania regiments engaged in the recent battles, whose fate has not yet been ascertained. The Judge was looking well.

He stopped about an hour, and was honored by several of our citizens. His Honor Judge Strong, of the Supreme Court, accompanied Judge Woodward to Gettysburg.

Hon. William Bigler, in going to and from the Gettysburg battle field, stopped a short time in town. The Governor was on the field during part of the engagement and gave to those of our citizens who paid their respects to him a clear and satisfactory account of the battles and their results.—York Press

PRESIDENTIAL ELOQUENCE.—Mr. Lincoln's peculiar style, both of thought and expression, has been the subject of much ridicule, and foreign criticism has made it the occasion of some reflection upon our intelligence as a people. Mr. Lincoln is at times quite happy, and his late letter to the new military commander in Missouri was a model of the kind.

His Fourth of July speech at Washington, though, may be characterized as of the first order of post-bellum eloquence. Think of the following, from the Chief Magistrate of this Republic:—

And on the fourth, the cohorts of those who opposed the declaration that all men are created equal, turned tail and ran. (Long continued cheers.)

Fancy Lord Palmerston, or Louis Napoleon holding forth" after this fashion.

A NEGRO HERO FOR "CONSCIOUS" A. WHITE GIRL.—A negro who had secured a term in Newburg jail, was let out, and hearing a young girl in the street, he rushed to her aid, and saved her from the hands of a villain.

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The Southern members of Congress who were most combative in the forum have also been leaders in the field, and many of them have sealed with their blood the mission which they stimulated with speech. What prominent abolitionists have yet been killed in action? What has any one of them attacked except the treasury of the United States?—Berkadee falls pierced with wounds at Gettysburg, Tombs headed a charge at Antietam; but Sumner and Lovely never yet have sought to take that feat of fight which they so carefully spread for others. And though Wilson was a great dinner in New York as a Massachusetts colonel, he led his regiment no further than Washington, and has smelt no gunpowder save in the way of salutes.—World.

At the recent term of the Court of Chancery, three returned soldiers were tried and convicted of riot, in assaulting Mr. Leonard, the District Attorney, for wearing a copperhead breast pin. Judge Barrett sentenced them to pay each a fine of \$20 and the costs. In passing sentence he remarked that it was the lowest punishment that the law allowed him to inflict;—that the parties who encouraged and instigated them to the attack were the ones who should be severely punished, but he omitted the volunteers that if they ever again appeared before him on a similar charge, they should be punished to the full extent of the law. Let those who are guilty of similar practices in this county make a note of this.—West Chester Jeffersonian.

The York Times, an Administration organ, of the first morning of the great battle at Gettysburg, remarked as follows:— "Our correspondence from Gen. Meade's headquarters, yesterday announced the fact that communication with Washington, by railroad and telegraph, had been cut off. Singular to say, the country did not regard the situation of Gen. Meade at all critical on that account. On the contrary there was a disposition to consider it a part of the happy accident of the day. If Gen. Meade shall succeed in the great battle he has in hand, the present generation of Americans in their dying day will believe it was because he had his communication with Washington cut off."

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