

The Mariettian.



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Gen. Grant writes from Chattanooga...

The State Legislature will convene at Harrisburg...

Mrs. Davis, the wife of "Jeff," it is said, dresses very plainly...

National Banks are beginning to be organized all over the loyal Union...

Thomas A. Scott, Esq., the active and efficient Vice President of the Central Railroad Company...

A few days ago, as the appraisers of the personal property of Hon. James R. Morrison...

A letter from Morris Island, since the late storm, says: For the past twenty-four hours these shores have been ghastly with numberless rebel dead...

The daughter of a well known commission merchant in Chicago has intimated a suit against a prominent physician of that city for a breach of promise of marriage...

It is understood that one of the thousand dollar five-twenty bonds is missing from the printing room of the U. S. Treasury Department...

There is an old gentleman in Bolton, Conn., who has in the United States services four sons-in-law, seven grandsons, thirteen nephews and one daughter (as hospital nurse) in all twenty-five of his family connections.

THE PRIZE FIGHT.—The "fancy" are a great deal chagrined with the result of the prize fight in England...

HIGH PRICES.—However much men may complain of high prices, they have by no means reached the height...

FAVORITES.—Men who are really most fond of the society of ladies, who cherish for them a high respect, nay, reverence...

THE RICH AND THE POOR.—The rich have the most meat; the poor have the best appetite. The rich lie the softest, the poor sleep the soundest...

General Thomas' official report of the battles of Corinth and Hatchie, fought in October, has just been published...

The O. S. Presbyterians of California, at their last Synod, gave a deliverance on the subject of dancing...

We have news from Richmond papers to the 22d ult. The fight at Bean's station was something more than a skirmish...

Gen. Gilmore commenced shelling Charleston on Christmas eve, and kept up the fire till nine o'clock on Christmas morning...

Mr. Wm. Dennison, father of ex-Governor Dennison of Ohio, and one of the oldest settlers in the Miami Valley, died at Columbus...

Captain Levi Sortwell, of Cleveland, Ohio, died last Thursday, aged sixty-nine, leaving his total property, valued at forty thousand dollars...

"Now papa, tell me what is humbug!" "It is," replied papa, "when mamma pretends to be very fond of me, and puts no buttons on my shirt till reminded of it a dozen times..."

The elder C. C. Clay, father of Ex-United States Senator C. C. Clay, who was a bitter rebel...

The Twentieth and Twenty-first Regiments Pennsylvania Cavalry, six months' men, are ordered to Harrisburg to recruit for the three years' service...

General News Items.

A strike of the clergy, for higher salaries to meet the increased cost of living, is agitated in New England...

Mr. James S. Roosevelt, who died at New York this week, has left an estate of nearly a million of dollars...

Out of a thousand and fifty-one applicants for commissions as officers of negro regiments, five hundred and sixty have been recommended for appointment...

Intelligence from Western Africa represents Liberia to be rapidly developing the elements which constitute a free and prosperous nation...

The hotels in Switzerland will not entertain a Southern Rebel unless he pays in advance...

Three of the Grand Jurors of Luzerne county have pronounced the jail at Wilkesbarre unsafe...

A monument is to be erected to the memory of the soldiers who were murdered in the streets of Baltimore on the 19th of April, 1861...

But eleven Copperheads have been elected to the next Ohio Legislature. The majority against Vallandigham in this State is 105,000.

Maj.-Gen. Rosecrans has been assigned to the command of the Department of Missouri, vice Schofield removed.

Jenny Lind, it is said, has lost her voice. This is related to have made itself painfully apparent on the occasion of her singing in the "Elijah," of Mendelssohn...

The Nevada Constitutional Convention had adopted an article compelling all children between six and fourteen years of age to attend school...

Joseph Lumba, a revolutionary soldier, who died aged 100 years and 9 months, and who was one of the guard over the prisoners at Yorktown...

Jefferson Davis said at the beginning of the war, "All the southern blood that will be shed in this war, I can hold in the hollow of my hand..."

A veterinary surgeon died lately in the Jersey City Almshouse, from the bite of a sick horse he was attending at the time...

It has been decided by the banks of North Carolina, as a matter of safety, to dispose of their specie, which they are now paying out as fast as possible...

Samuel Young, a letter-carrier, of Philadelphia, who pleaded guilty some days ago on three bills of indictment, charging him with stealing letters...

A motion to exempt Clergymen from the operations of the draft, made in the U. S. Senate on Tuesday last, was defeated by a vote of yeas 9, noes 33...

Gen. Schofield, who was ordered to Washington, some days ago, from his command in Missouri, arrived on Thursday, and at once had a conference with the President...

Of the Five Hundred Million Government Loan of Five-Twenties, only eighty millions remain unsubscribed for. In a month more this must be entirely absorbed.

The last news from Europe shows that Napoleon's "Congress" had its bottom knocked completely out by the refusal of England to accede to it...

The Brooklyn Common Council has passed a law that no person shall be required to pay fare on any horse car unless furnished with a seat.

The various soup houses in Philadelphia are now making preparations for distributing soup to the poor during the winter.

A SINGULAR RESTORATION OF SPEECH.

About four months ago a soldier by the name of George Lucas, who belonged to the 12th Virginia Infantry, and who resides in Harrison county, was attacked with a violent fever...

GEN. SCHENCK'S SUCCESSOR.—The loyal men of Maryland and Delaware are exceedingly anxious to have General Schenck return to the command of the Middle Department...

DEATH OF GEN. CORCORAN.—General Corcoran's death was caused by a fall from his horse. He had been riding out with his staff along the railroad to Sangster's Station...

A FRANK CONFESSION.—The New York Herald, which for a week past has been running General Grant for the Presidency, says of President Lincoln: "We abandon 'Honest Old Abe' as a hopeless case..."

Which means that President Lincoln is the only Chief Magistrate for many years past who would not throw a sop to the Herald.

A fashionably dressed lady entered a car on the Hudson River Railroad, a few evenings since, and after she had stood for some minutes, a young gentleman rose and gave her his seat...

The Lebanon Courier says a man died near Fredericksburg, this county, who had been born in Lancaster county, resided a number of years in Dauphin county, died in Lebanon county...

The Portland Argus says that "an infant child was placed in a band-box by an inhuman mother and left upon the door step of one of our citizens, on Saturday evening..."

In the space of one year three members of one family, who a year ago must have had but indefinite dreams of empire, have now attained the highest rank to which it was possible for them to aspire...

A friend suggests that in lieu of attaching the pig tail squire—Esq.—to a man's name, it would be better to substitute the letters S. P., which signify "Some Pumpkins."

A MONUMENT TO FULTON.

The executive committee of the Fulton Monument Association will shortly issue a circular inviting co-operation of the public to assist them in erecting a monument over the remains of Fulton...

The Capitol at Washington.—All the marble thus far used in furnishing the interior has cost the government \$185,000. Of this about nearly \$40,000 was spent for Massachusetts marble...

DAVIS' FOLLY.—The rebel authorities refuse to exchange any more prisoners, because the Government agent, General Butler, has been outlawed by Jeff Davis...

Joe Coburn, the well known pugilist, is out with a challenge to Tom King, the victor over Heenan, for \$5000 aside, and offering him \$1000 towards defraying his expenses to fight in this country...

Rev. Dr. Smiley stated at the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Justice, in Philadelphia, on Wednesday of last week, that she was the oldest member of the First Reformed Dutch Church...

There are, perhaps, more printers in the army, in proportion to the number in the country, than of any other profession...

Jones, since his marriage, has taken to talk slightly of the holy estate. Brown was telling him of the death of a mutual friend's wife...

A correspondent of a Western paper reports that Senator Jim Lane was seriously exercised at the failure of the House to re-elect Mr. Stockton...

The Southern Confederacy is not satisfied with the Bible "as it is." A commission, with Bishop General Polk at the head, has been appointed by the Episcopal Council to get up a version to suit rebellion and slavery.

While the 3d Indiana battery was passing through Du Quoin, Illinois, on the 15th ult., they happened to come in possession of a copy of the Du Quoin Mining Journal...

The Pottstown Bank has been so much annoyed by the constant defacing of their notes which contained a portrait of ex-President Buchanan...

To Arms! To Arms!—The citizen soldier will find a more deadly foe in the brackish, muddy water and damp night air than in the most determined enemy...

Sportsmen must remember that any one killing a partridge after the 1st of January, is liable to a fine of five dollars. No true sportsman will violate the law or allow it to be violated by others with impunity.

Friends and Relatives OF THE BRAVE SOLDIERS & SAILORS.

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