

## The Mariettian.



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The President's Message appears to give very general satisfaction; it is too long for our columns and having been published in all our daily papers, before this time, read by every person who will be likely to read it. Certain portions of the message are receiving very universal commendation. The pointed manner in which it disposes of the mischievous heresy of so-called state sovereignty is a cooler to copperheads. A Washington correspondent says that the message seems to be regarded by every one who is acquainted with its contents, as frank, direct and patriotic, and its facts and arguments so clearly stated as to leave no doubt of the President's views and policy. The passages which were applauded in the House were those asserting that traitors should be punished and the offense made infamous, and at the same time the question judiciously settled, finally, and forever, that no State of its own will has the right to renounce its place in the Union; and the President's declaration that the justification of England in sitting out cruisers during the rebellion, cannot be sustained before the tribunal of nations, and that the friendship between the two countries must hereafter rest on the basis of mutual justice. The applause on the reading of this part of the message was emphatic, and there was a general clapping of hands, both on the floor and in the galleries, on the conclusion of the reading of the document.

The Florence correspondent of the Independent Belge says that a singular discovery has been made in a church in one of the faubourgs of Milan. A statue of Saint Magdalen, which has long been famous for weeping in the presence of unbelievers, was recently removed; in order to facilitate repairs for the church. It was found that the statue contained an arrangement for boiling water. The steam passed up into the head, and was there condensed. The water thus produced made its way by a couple of pipes to the eyes, and trickled down upon the cheeks of the image. So the wonderful miracle was performed.

The ship Continental has been lying in New York harbor for some time to receive her cargo of young women for Washington, on the Pacific, and her departure is set down for Saturday. It is represented that many of the ladies who are factory girls from Massachusetts, find their courage giving out as the day for leaving approaches, and fear to consign themselves to the uncertainties of the enterprise. On the contrary, it is represented that all the ship's room is engaged, and that opportunity to go has been eagerly accepted. Several ladies from Ohio are said to have taken passage.

Thanksgiving, December 7th, was the 85th anniversary of the thanksgiving appointed by the Continental Congress at the suppression of the treason of Benedict Arnold during the Revolution. This coincidence of a second thanksgiving on the same day, for the same cause is singular.

The freedmen throughout the South are gradually becoming disabused of the idea which had been instilled into their minds that they were to receive lands as a gift from the Government, and they are now entering into contracts with the planters for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis is residing at the house of Mr. Schuyler, near Augusta, Georgia. She enjoys her usual robust health, is under no surveillance, and is permitted to correspond at will with her husband and friends.

It may be asserted says a Washington dispatch to the Associated Press with confidence that there is no truth whatever in the statement that Jefferson Davis is to be tried by a military court.

A religious weekly has just commenced life in Chicago. It is called the North Western Presbyterian. Rev. Ebenezer Erskine is editor, and Rev. Alfred Hamilton, D.D., assistant editor.

Hon. Wm. A. Graham was yesterday elected United States Senator for the long term by the North Carolina Legislature. He was in the rebel Senate, and has not yet been pardoned.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax was the republican candidate for Speaker and Hon. James Brooks, of New York, the locofoco, the vote stood, Colfax, 139; Brooks, 35.

It is reported in Richmond that General Butler is to assume military command of that State on the 15th of January.

## The World in a Nut-Shell.

Gen. Burnside is building a railroad in the Pennsylvania oil regions, 103 miles long, which is to be completed in 90 days.

Earl Russell has been formerly installed Prime Minister of Great Britain.

The rag-pickers of Paris have nearly all died of cholera, showing the effect of filth in introducing that disease.

The farmers in the vicinity of Richmond, Va., have lately suffered greatly from the depredations of U. S. soldiers. Gen. Turner has ordered that when the robberies can be traced to any particular regiment, the amount of damage done be deducted from the pay of the officers and men composing such regiment.

Unfinished counterfeit notes to the amount of \$80,000, together with all the implements for counterfeiting were recently seized in Philadelphia by the Government detectives.

A fund for the family of Jefferson Davis is to be raised in the south, subscriptions to be limited to one dollar from each person.

The wooden leg worn by Colonel Dahlgren, during his expedition against Richmond, has been secured and restored to his friends. An ex-rebel soldier in Albemarle county, N. C., was wearing it.

Albert Burnett, of Cincinnati, is the author of the Petroleum V. Naby papers.

A new use for confederate money has been found. A lady in Texas stuffed a mattress with \$500,000.

A number of "unconquered" rebels have emigrated to Brazil, and are disgusted to find that the Cabinet of the Emperor of that country is composed of negroes.

Canadian papers that have been regarded as of strong secession proclivities declare that Saunders is a "nuisance," that he has cost Canada more than a million of dollars, and he ought to have sufficient decency to leave the country.

Jas. McCormick, who died at Newburg, New York, last week, at the age of one hundred and fourteen, was probably the oldest person in the United States. He was born in Ireland and came across the Atlantic twenty years ago.

Jacob Merrill, a returned sailor, was lately murdered and robbed of \$500 in Newburyport.

George N. Sanders, has lately arrived in Liverpool.

A wealthy farmer in Illinois has been poisoned to death by his fifth wife, a buxom but discontented young woman.

The civil officers in Florida who were acting at the time of the surrender, have been restored by Governor Marvin.

A little boy, 11 years old, in Paris strangled his youngest sister, and then hung himself to avoid going to school.

The bakers of Quebec, at the recommendation of the Medical Faculty, will in future supply stale bread, instead of new, to their customers.

Herschell V. Johnson is out in Georgia for a seat on the Supreme Court bench. All the big rebels are hot for office.

Rev. Dr. Breckenridge, the Kentucky patriot, has declined the Presidency of Washington and Jefferson College.

Dick Winder has been sent to Richmond, Major Gee to Raleigh, and Captain Duncan to Savannah, where they are to be tried by court martial.

Seven millions worth of new buildings have been erected in Chicago the present year.

Mrs. Maximilian, of Mexico, before leaving the country, reviewed the Mexican troops in a carriage that cost \$40,000. It was constructed entirely of glass and silver, and the inside lined with white satin and gold lace. She's expensive to somebody.

In New York, the Fifth Avenue Hotel pays \$80,000 rent; the St. Nicholas and Metropolitan \$70,000 each; the Astor house, and New York \$60,000 each, and the Everett \$40,000. A. T. Stewart owns the Metropolitan and St. Nicholas, and William B. Astor owns the Astor House.

In the Pittsburgh Oyer and Terminer Court on Saturday, the sentence of death was proclaimed on Benjamin B. Marshall and Augusta Freck, convicted of the murder of an unknown man on Boyd's Hill. Mrs. Martha Grindler, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Carothers, by poisoning, was also sentenced to be hanged.

The Mexican war would really seem at length to favor the Republican side. The French had entirely withdrawn from the very important State of Chihuahua, as well as from the whole of the State of Chihuahua, except the city of Mazatlan, showing that they were not able to hold them. Meantime President Juarez has removed his government to the city of Chihuahua, and his generals, who have a force of some 25,000, are preparing to take the offensive.

The House of Representatives was called to order by the clerk, on Monday last, who read the roll of members, omitting the names of members from States lately in rebellion. One hundred and seventy-five persons answered to their names. Hon. Mr. Maynard, of Tennessee, desired to have his name called, and a debate ensued, which was participated in by Mr. Maynard, (Tenn.), Mr. Stevens, (Pa.), and Mr. Brooks, (N. Y.). It was then moved to go into an election for Speaker, when Mr. Morrill nominated Schuyler Colfax of Indiana, and Mr. Winfield proposed the name of James Brooks, of New York. A vote was taken and on the first ballot Mr. Colfax received 139 votes, and Mr. Brooks, 35, being a majority of 104. A resolution declaring Mr. McPherson, clerk, until a successor was elected passed.

Humphrey Marshall, as big and fat and jolly as ever, cannot obtain a pardon. He was educated at West Point and will not be pardoned if the President carries out the rule which he has laid down. He was in Philadelphia the other day, and was anxious to take the oath, get a pardon and go to New Orleans to practice law. He said he had lost all his property and had nothing left, but he did not say whether he obtained the money to pay \$5 a day at the Continental Hotel.

A German in Texas, who didn't want to be forced into the rebel army, donned homespun gown and sun-bonnet, and toiled for two years on his little farm, as his wife's sister, come to stay with her from a distance, during her husband's absence in the confederate army! Another German lay for eighteen months in the cellar of his own house, even his neighbors supposing him in the rebel army.

A Washington correspondent says that President Johnson is fixed in his determination to secure retrenchment in all the official Departments. One of the Secretaries had his estimates returned three times with peremptory orders to "cut them down," and those who have been lavishly and extravagantly disbursing the public funds begin to apprehend that "retrenchment and reform" is to check their prodigality.

One paper-box establishment has contracted with paper collar manufacturers to furnish 11,000 boxes daily for one year. This gives some idea of the extent of the paper collar business, but it does not of the utter meanness of the man who wears them who can wear better. The fact of a stuck-up fellow going among the 'gals' with a piece of paper around his neck in imitation of a collar is enormously genteel.

The Secretary of the Pennsylvania Steel Works Company has accepted the Koller farm, two and a half miles southeast of Harrisburg, for the location. The works will be the largest on this continent of their kind, and will rival those of Europe. One thousand experienced workmen will be brought from England, and the remaining 1,500, procured at home.

Governor Humphreys, of Mississippi, telegraphed to the President that the Legislature is willing to extend the right of freedmen to testify in the courts if the troops are withdrawn. The reply was that the troops will be withdrawn when peace and order can be maintained without them. Good!

"The Right Way" is the title of a new weekly sheet which has just been started in Boston, by Major George L. Stearns, who is distributing 50,000 gratuitous copies per week. Subscriptions are, however, received. Professor Alpheus Crosby is the editor.

A lady writes to a friend in Lowell from Oregon, saying that apples were raised in her neighborhood the past season so large that sixteen of them would fill a bushel basket, though, of course, all do not average that size. She also saw a Bartlett pear that weighed two pounds.

St. George's Episcopal Church in New York, (Dr. Tyng's) recently burned is to be rebuilt. It will cost \$120,000. To raise this fund, the pewholders subscribed \$52,000 in one day, and determined to continue paying their old pew rents. There was also an insurance of \$80,000 on the edifice.

A Democratic orator, at a meeting in New Creek, Virginia, a few days ago, remarked that "the assassination of Abraham Lincoln was a merciful dispensation, but it would be a still more merciful dispensation if his unworthy successor, Johnson, should be assassinated." The speaker has been arrested.

A gentleman just from Appomattox Court house states that "there is nothing left of the apple tree under which General Lee surrendered, but a red hole in the ground, and it is feared that unless the hole is fenced in that also will be removed by curiosity seekers."

John Stuart Mill spends six months of each year near the grave of an idolized wife at Aignon, France.

A Mormon polygamist lately had four babies born to him in one night, as many different wives.

It will be remembered that some two or more years ago, General McCook, one of the famous fighting family of that name, was deliberately murdered near Nashville. He had been prostrated with a wound or sickness for some time, and was being carried along the highway in an ambulance, when a rebel suddenly emerged from the thicket and murdered him in cold blood. This villain's name was Frank Gurley. After the close of the war the people of Madison county, Ala., evinced their appreciation of the magnanimous terms granted them, by electing him as their Sheriff. Not only did they thus defiantly insult the North, but proclaimed by their conduct that they justified the violation of the laws of war. Relying upon the "terms of capitulation" for immunity of his crimes, Gurley also boasted openly of his having killed General McCook, and pointed to his promotion as a proof of the popularity which the deed had secured for him. Had the murderer remained in obscurity he might have escaped punishment. But his course at once drew the attention of the Federal authorities towards him, and he was not long since arrested. Having been conveyed to Nashville, he was convicted of the murder and sentenced to be hung at Huntsville, Ala. Though he has received a temporary respite, he will probably in a few days suffer the punishment of his crime.

The contractor, for the work of transforming Ford's Theatre to subserve its new purposes has finished his job, and delivered the building into possession of the government. The structure was entirely divested of all its interior finish and furniture, leaving nothing but the four naked brick walls and the roof. It is now divided into three stories, with a spacious skylight in the centre. The three floors or stories into which the structure is now divided are composed of brick and iron, and finished in the usual mode of fire proof buildings. The upper stories consist of galleries extending around the four sides of the building and lighted from above.

Libby Prison and Castle Thunder so well known in the history of the war, will soon be transformed into storehouses. Castle Thunder will be evacuated next week, and what few prisoners there are within its walls will be transferred to Libby Prison, which now occupies but about one-fourth of the building known by that name. The other three-fourths are already converted into storehouses, and are filled with produce of all descriptions.

Mr. Schade, the counsel of the late Captain Wirz, has received an affidavit from Mrs. Wirz, in due legal form, indignantly denying as altogether false that she attempted to convey poison to the mouth of her husband while kissing him, and that Wirz was prevented swallowing the drug by the prompt intervention of Gen. Baker. Frequent opportunity occurred in her private interviews with her husband for the perpetration of such a crime had she been so wicked as to meditate it.

"Sinning and Sorrowing." We wish to call especial and particular attention to an admirable book for the young, just issued from the press of J. C. Garriques & Co., publishers of the Sunday School Times. The work is very highly commended by different journals, all over the country. We think it will prove a very acceptable present for the coming holidays.

Col. Woodward and party, who went to Brazil to negotiate for land for some 600 Southern planters, had met with an enthusiastic reception, the Emperor promising all aid in furtherance of the project. Instead of six hundred we trust sixty thousand of the planters will take their way thither.

Almost every negro arrested and taken before the City Recorder at New Orleans is found to be possessed of some weapon. They would seem determined to be prepared to meet any attempt on the part of the unconverted rebels to re-enslave them.

The Spanish government pledges its earnest efforts for the extirpation of the slave trade, and will have all convicted of participation summarily executed when apprehended in any of the ports of Spain and all ports of the Spanish possessions.

The Indiana House of Representatives has passed a resolution inquiring into the expediency of licensing locomotive engineers, making them all pass examination as to qualifications and moral character.

The Methodist Conference of Mississippi has just adjourned, it adopted resolutions for the education of freedmen and their wives and children.

Special attention of the afflicted is invited to the advertisement of Jos. H. Schenck, that appears in this succeeding issues of this paper.

"The Right Way" is the title of an able and spirited weekly, published in Boston, Mass., which has just been laid off our table.

The Russian flag has been hoisted over the Russian Capital, St. Petersburg, New York's sent and the L.

## Special Notices.

WHAT ABERNETHY SAID.—"Well, sir, what is the matter?" said Abernethy, the great English surgeon, to a cadaverous-looking patient, who had called to consult him. "Oh, nothing serious," was the reply, "my stomach and liver are out of order, that's all."

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Parties wishing the prescription, will please address Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamburg, Kings County, New-York. [sep303m]

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