

The Mariettian.



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MARIETTA, PA.

Saturday Morning, January 20, 1866.

The World in a Nut-Shell. It has been proposed to erect a monumental cathedral at Memphis to the rebel General Polk.

John Morrison and his wife attempted to cross the Mississippi on the ice near St. Louis, to save toll, broke through and were drowned.

F. Simmons, an Englishman, cut his wife's throat, and afterward his own, at their boarding house, in Boston, on Sunday, from alleged jealousy.

There is a French Episcopal church in New York where the contributions are collected by young ladies, and wicked people call it the "pretty waiter girl church."

The portrait of Mr. Lincoln painted under the auspices of Brady, the New York photographer, has gone to Europe having been purchased by an Englishman for \$1,000.

According to the late census, the little State of Vermont produces more horses, milch cows, sheep, butter, cheese, wheat, oats, hay, hops, maple sugar, and wood, than any other State in New England; and it produces, according to its population, more butter, cheese, wood, hay, and maple sugar, than any other State in the Union.

Twenty-five years ago Mr. Safford was murdered in Shelburn, Vt., and the murderer never was detected. A few days ago the murderer died in Canada, and just before his death confessed the deed.

The question of commuting the sentence of Edward W. Greene, the Malden murderer, to imprisonment for life, was decided the other day, at a meeting of the Executive Council of Massachusetts, in the negative. The vote stood three for imprisonment, and six for hanging.

Miss Rose arrived in Louisville from Texas, a few days since, on her way to Shelby county, Ky., to be married. While going to the depot she was run over and killed.

A few days ago, a lady residing near Harrisburg, was informed by a thoughtless woman, who desired to perpetrate a joke, that her husband had been killed on the railroad. Upon hearing the statement the wife was so shocked that she fainted, and her system was so completely prostrated that the poor woman died on Sunday.

Carl Schurz is paid a salary of one hundred dollars a week to write letters to the N. Y. Herald.

The last new thing in bonnets is described by a letter writer as a "brown velvet dice box, with a little shade over the forehead, and what at restaurants they would call a 'portion of a woodcock stuck on top.'"

Steps have been taken to establish a cemetery at Ball's Bluff, in which the remains of soldiers who fell on that day of battle shall be decently interred. The ground has been secured and enclosed, and the removal of the dead is being proceeded with as fast as possible.

At Murphy's theatre, Pitohole city, Pa., Miss Eloise Bridges took a benefit recently which realized over \$1,000. During the performance an envelope was thrown upon the stage containing a check for \$500 "from friends in Pitohole."

Geo. Wilkins Kendall, who was for so many years connected with the New Orleans Picayune, has again taken an interest in that paper. For the last seven or eight years Mr. Kendall has been in the stock raising business in Texas.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says of Gen. Joseph Hooker, whose condition was lately reported as critical, that paralysis has made sad work with his fine physical frame and handsome face. One whole side of his body has lost its vitality, and hangs flaccid and loose, like a wilted weed.

The famous Hutchinson Family gave a concert in West Chester on Tuesday evening last. The agent, John W. Hutchinson, says that every Union soldier who has laid an arm or limb upon the altar of his country, or otherwise become disabled by wounds in bravely defending the glorious old flag, will be gladly welcomed free to the concert, and to bring along his wife, mother or sweetheart.

Maj. Gen. Wilson, United States army was married on Thursday last, to a lady of Wilmington, Delaware.

It is said that the Emperor of the French has designs upon Belgium, and wishes to make it a part of the French Empire.

There are vague rumors in Washington that England, France, Spain, Austria and Italy, have formed an alliance to keep Maximilian in Mexico.

The New York Herald says the loan in behalf of the Mexican Republic is being rapidly taken up in that city. Upward of three million dollars worth of the bonds have been already disposed of.

The rebel General Longstreet has become a commissioner merchant in New Orleans.

R. B. Winder has been released. He is not the one charged with cruelties at Andersonville, hence his release.

THE DEAD OF 1865.—First in the illustrious list, as he stands first in the hearts of Americans, is Abraham Lincoln. With him have gone from our own land, Thomas Corwin, John Brough, Preston King, Jacob Collamer and Edward Everett, while we mourn with England at the loss of Richard Cobden and Lord Palmerston. Science has been robbed of Valentine Mott, the greatest surgeon of his time, Eucke, the Prussian astronomer, Paxton, the English inventor, Ollendorf, the great grammarian, and others. Literature mourns Worcester, of dictionary fame, Mrs. Gaskell, Mrs. Sigourney and Richard Hildreth. From the ranks of the nobility have fallen King Leopold, the Duke of Northumberland, the Russian Czarowitch and Joseph Bonaparte. Of women noted through themselves or their relations to others, have been the wife of Secretary Seward, the wife of Louis Kossuth, the widow of the poet Moore, the widow of Aaron Burr, and the mother of Thackeray.

A PRIZE FOR THE LADIES.—For every Club of Fifty subscribers a prize of one of Wheeler and Wilson's best \$35.00 Sewing Machines is offered by the American Statesmen, or one dollar for each subscriber obtained will be allowed on the purchase of a machine of any grade or value.

This presents the greatest inducements for obtaining subscribers we have seen in a long time, being over one dollar and thirty cents premium cash on every subscription of \$1.50 each. Young ladies and gentlemen could find no better business than getting subscribers for the Statesman on a speculation. The paper itself being cheap at the subscription price, it is a mystery how the publishers can afford it, but as we learn that the enterprise is one in which both the publishers and the Sewing Machine establishment are mutually bound to carry out, there can be no possibility of failure. Those who wish to enlist in the enterprise, will address the

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Office, 67 Nassau Street, New York.

An extraordinary marriage took place at the Union Methodist Episcopal church, Philadelphia. Mr. Rein, a German by birth, and a celebrated tamer of horses by profession, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Hannah J. Duke, the Iowa giantess. The bridegroom served with distinction in the Union army. He is rather below the middle stature of mankind in point of size and weight, he scarcely turning the beam at one hundred and forty pounds. The bride weighs five hundred and eighty-five pounds, avoirdupois. She has been exhibited at Judge Ingalls' museum, on Market street near Ninth, for some time past. Mr. Rein, on visiting the establishment, fell violently in love with the "fat giantess, proposed marriage, and "of course she said yes." The bridal party consisted of the Siamese twins—Chang and Eng—and other celebrities of the museum.

The owner of a building in which is held a colored school at Wytheville, Md., notified the teacher of the school, a few days since, that it would have to be closed, as the laws of Maryland prohibited the education of negroes. The teacher submitted the case to Major General Howard, commissioner of refugees, freedmen, &c., who directed the teacher to continue the school as heretofore.

It is true that the popular remedy known as Coe's Cough Balsam does not dry up a cough, but loosens it so that the patient can expectorate freely. Give it to the children freely, and take it yourself for bad cold.

It does not take a week to receive benefit from Coe's Dyspepsia Cure. It will immediately relieve pain in the stomach, souring or rising of food, and cure the worst cases of Dyspepsia.

A young man named Garrett was stabbed by young Dalton Yancey, son of the celebrated Wm. L. Yancey, a short time since, at a dancing academy in Montgomery, Alabama. Garrett has since died. Yancey has delivered himself to the civil authorities. The difficulty was of a private nature.

A lady named Cutler, residing in South Fifth street, Brooklyn, has lately been robbed of \$1,000 worth of furniture, by, as she believed, spirits. It appears, however, that a graceless son was the thief, he confessed to the robbery while confined in the Penitentiary for another offence.

The New York Police Commissioners' report, states that there are 223 saloons in that city, employing 1191 "pretty waiter girls." They are called pretty, but more vulgar, brazen-faced, disgusting females are not seen outside of a brothel.

Mrs. Grindler, the Pittsburg poisoner, who expiated her crime on last Friday, remained in bed the greater part of her time, and seemed to care for nothing but morphine and opium, using all that she can prepare.

The State Agricultural Society met at Harrisburg on Tuesday last. Officers were elected and resolutions adopted asking Congress to levy a tax on dogs, on account of the great destruction of sheep by these animals.

THE FAMILY SEWING MACHINE.—To understand the value of the Sewing Machine, and the happy changes which it has effected in the social and family relations, one must be familiar with the quiet households, scattered throughout the East and West, the North and South, of this great and thriving country.

Everywhere in the interior domestic assistance of any kind is so difficult to be obtained, that it is scarcely looked for, and every good housewife relies upon her own exertions, not only to keep her house in order, her larder well supplied with the essential luxuries of home-made bread, cake and pies, but her own, the children's, and frequently her husband's wardrobe furnished with all the useful, if not the ornamental articles of dress.

This necessity provided an immense amount of work for one pair of hands to perform—the female head of the house, the hard tasked wife and mother, found not a moment for relaxation. The drudgery of the kitchen was succeeded by that of the workbasket, whose pile of shirts and small garments seemed never to decrease. Not a moment of time could be afforded for the gratification of any simple fancy, even in ornamental needlework, all, to the last moment, and far into Saturday night, was exhausted in the necessities of the plainest work upon little aprons, frocks and drawers, and the inevitable weekly collection of family mending.

In a large number of these households the case is now widely different; the Sewing Machine, generally the Grover & Baker, occupies an honored place in the family sitting-room, and accomplishes more and better than the most skillful seamstress. It is in a sense, which only those who can appreciate who have known what it is to sew all the household garments by hand, the family friend. It is looked upon with eyes of real affection.

The interior of a country house, at this season of the year, is as pleasant as can be imagined; and it is made so in a great degree, by the presence of the Sewing Machine. An hour's work in the afternoon, upon a bright, rapid, wonder working Grover & Baker, will accomplish more than could be done by a weary hand working almost into midnight. It will not only finish the dozen shirts in "less than no time," but it will tuck drawers and chemises, ruffle night-gowns, stitch trousers, quilt linings and coverlets, and all this, and much more, with such strength, beauty and precision, as would throw the neatest hand-work into the shade.

A Sewing Machine needs only to be purchased once in a lifetime, it is therefore of the greatest importance to get the best; the one which, all things considered, is most perfectly adapted to meet the requirements.

This we sincerely believe, and the opinion is corroborated by the highest authorities in the community, is the Grover & Baker Machine making the celebrated "Grover & Baker" stitch, the only stitch as far as we know, sufficiently elastic, to be adapted to all kinds of family sewing.

The peculiar qualities of the Grover & Baker Machine, are strength, beauty, elasticity, and versatility, or adaptation to any kind of work. It compasses the whole range of family sewing completely, and without any of the vexatious delays in re-winding, fastening and finishing, which are common to other machines, and which occupy so much time, and waste so much material. It makes a beautiful, smooth, elastic seam upon cloth or cambric, which gives when it is washed or stretched without breaking, and in which every stitch is so firmly locked, that the seam can be cut off between every half dozen stitches without impairing its strength.

Testimonial letters from ladies and housekeepers all over the country, speak unitedly of the beauty and superior elasticity of stitch. One lady says, it is the only machine that can "quilt;" another, that it is the only one "fit for boys' trousers; and a third, that she is particularly delighted with the way in which it makes "woolen drawers and flannel garments."

The Grover & Baker stitch is the only one that can be properly used upon bias seams, and is therefore adapted to an immense variety of garments containing such seams, and also seams which are subjected to much stretching and wear. In addition to the fact that no re-winding, and no fastening is required, a great deal of time, and temper too, is saved to the operator, by the simplicity, regularity, and ease of the various movements, the adjustment without change of tension to different kinds of work, and the method by which it is thrown from the machine, without delay or embarrassment, and also in such way as to enable the operator to maintain a pleasant and graceful position.

For dress makers, the Grover & Baker is the only suitable machine; it is the only one that will accomplish satisfactorily, and with an immense saving of time, all the plain sewing, stitching, and quilting, which they have to accomplish.

For the heads of families it is equally valuable. It will do everything. It is simple, reliable, perfect in its operation; easy to be understood, not easy to get out of order, and gives such thorough satisfaction, as to leave no room for complaint.—New York Sunday Times.

ABOUT JEFF. DAVIS' TRIAL.—The President has sent a message to the Senate, in reply to the inquiry of that body why Jefferson Davis is confined and why he is not brought to trial. The Message covers reports from the Secretary of War and the Attorney-General, and does not otherwise respond to the Senate resolution except by referring to the annual Message of the President. The Secretary of War explains that Jeff. Davis is held on charges of treason, of inciting the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, and of starving Union prisoners of war; that the President desired to have him first tried for treason, and that the Attorney General advised Virginia as the most proper place for such trial, but that the Chief-Justice of the Supreme Court declines to hold a court within the limits of that circuit, until the authority of civil law is completely re-established. The Attorney General states the substance of the opinion heretofore given by him to the President, which is that Davis must be tried in the civil courts, and within the District where the crime was personally committed. So that it will be some time before the arch-traitor is brought to trial, and then it will be before a Virginia jury.

A bold attempt was made on Wednesday evening last, on the life of Senator Wade, of Ohio, at his residence in Washington. A man called and requested the signature of the Senator to some application papers asking for an office; Mr. W. declined on the ground that he did not know him, whereupon his visitor pulled out a large knife and made threatening demonstrations. The Senator drew a revolver, when the would be assassin beat a hasty retreat. Mr. Wade escorting him to the front door threatening at every step to "shoot him anyhow."

The quartermaster's department has on hand 462,105 uniform coats, 504,814 trousers, 1,184,134 great-coats, and a large stock of shoes, socks, caps, &c. Most of these articles will be disposed of at public auction.

The Republican County Convention of Bedford, Pa., unanimously presented the name of Hon. John Cassma as the choice of Bedford county for Governor.

Governor Curtin is daily looked for in Harrisburg. He left Havana on the 15th instant, much restored in health.

Special Notices.

LYON'S PERIODICAL DROPS.—The great female Remedy for Irregularities.—These Drops are a scientifically compounded fluid preparation, and better than any Pills, Powders or Nostrums. Being liquid, their action is direct and positive, rendering them a reliable, speedy and certain specific for the cure of all obstructions and suppressions of nature. Their popularity is indicated by the fact that over 100,000 bottles are annually sold and consumed by the ladies of the United States, every one of whom speak in the strongest terms of praise of their good merits. They are rapidly taking the place of every other Female Remedy, and are considered by all who know aught of them, as the surest, safest and most infallible preparation in the world, for the cure of all female complaints, the removal of all obstructions of nature, and the promotion of health, regularity and strength. Explicit directions stating when they may be used, and explaining when they should not, nor could not be used without producing effects contrary to nature's chosen laws, will be found carefully folded around each bottle, with the written signature of JOHN L. LYON, without which none are genuine.

Prepared by Dr. JOHN L. LYON, 195 Chapel street, New-Haven, Conn., who can be consulted either personally or by mail, (enclosing stamp) concerning all private diseases and female weaknesses. Sold by Druggists everywhere. C. G. CLARK & Co., Gen'l Agts for U. S. and Canada.

IS HEALTH WORTH HAVING? If it is, protect it. It is a jewel as easily lost as virtue, and in some cases as difficult to recover. Nature, in our climate, and especially at this season, requires to be occasionally reinforced. But everything depends upon the tonic used for this purpose. The medicinal tinctures, all of which are based on common alcohol, are dangerous. Quinine, as everybody finds out who takes much of it, is a slow poison. One safe protective from all unhealthy atmospheric influences exists, and one only. This powerful preventive is Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters, a compound of the purest stimulant ever manufactured, with the most effective tonics, alteratives, regulators, and depurators that chemistry has yet extracted from the botanical kingdom. Convalescents, languid and feeble from recent sickness, will find the Bitters an incomparable Restorative, not disagreeable to the taste, and eminently invigorating. No other stimulant produces the same effect as this Stomachic. It does not excite or flutter the nerves, or occasion any undue arterial action; but at once soothes and strengthens the nervous system and the animal spirits.

To CONSUMPTIVES.—The advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years, with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription, free of charge, with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Coughs, Bronchitis, Colds, and all throat and lung affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

BLINDNESS, DEAFNESS and Catarrhs, cured with the utmost success, by Dr. J. J. ... Oculist and Aurist, (formerly of Key-Street, Philadelphia), No. 519 Pine street, Philadelphia. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the City and Country can be seen at his office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. ARTIFICIAL EYES inserted without pain. No charge made for examination. [S-19]

AGENTS WANTED.—To sell prize Certificates for Gold and Silver Watches, Locket Jewelry, Diamond Rings, Pins, &c. ONLY \$5 EACH, for ANY article DRAWN. Retail price from \$10 to \$250; all goods warranted genuine. Price of Certificates 25 cents each. Liberal premiums and Commission allowed Agents. Sample Certificates sent free. Circulars and terms addressed to HAYWARD & Co., No. 229 Broadway, N. Y. (S-19)

ERASMS OF YOUTH.—A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of profligate indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the specific remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. ... No. 113 Chamber St., New-York. [S-19]

ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!!! Scratch! Scratch! Scratch!!! "Wheaton's Ointment" will cure the Itch in 48 hours. Also cures Salt Rheum, Ulcers, Chillsains, and all eruptions of the skin. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

By sending 60 cents to WICKES & FLETCHER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington street, Boston, Mass., it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the U. States.

STRABO, BUT TRY.—Every young boy and gentleman in the United States can have something very much to their advantage, by return mail (free of charge), by addressing the undersigned. Those having faces of a haggard, hunched, or otherwise unbecomingly disfigured, all others will please address their obedient servant, THOS. F. CHAPMAN, 511 Broadway, N. Y.

There is nothing like Dr. Vulpus's French Pills for keeping the complexion fresh and entirely free from pimples. The cause of which is that it regulates the entire female system. Sold at Dr. Hinkley's drug store, Marietta.

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HOW WE DISPOSE OF OUR GOODS.—We have 50,000 Old Colored Photographs, comprising every subject—Religious, Sentimental, Comic and Fancy—that we will sell at Thirty Cents each, or four for One Dollar; and with each Photograph we give two numbered notices. The notices are numbered from 1 to 50,000, and put into envelopes, sealed up, and thoroughly mixed; and when Photographs are purchased, two for each Photograph are taken out and sent with it. The articles of Goods are numbered from 1 to 50,000, and any article, no matter what the value may be, corresponding with the number on the notice, will be sent for Two Dollars, free of cost, except when sent by express, then at the expense of the receiver.

We do assure you that should the notice correspond with a Piano or other valuable article of goods, it will be sent to the purchaser for Two Dollars.

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Comprising a list of endless variety and the choicest quality of Goods. We warrant our Goods superior to any establishment in the country, and I hope you will give us one trial at least, and if the article is not as represented, and does not give satisfaction, return it, and we will send you money back.

HOW TO ORDER GOODS.—Send us Thirty Cents for one Photograph, or One Dollar for five—the extra one and two extra notices to the Agent. When an Agent has sent us \$10.00 for Goods and Photographs, we will give one notice and the article it calls for free of charge; for \$15.00 three notices; for \$20.00 four notices; for \$25.00 five notices; or for \$50.00 a good Silver Watch warranted a good time-keeper. We keep an account of all money sent, and an Agent can order his commission at any time. Be particular and write your address full and plain, as we sometimes have orders in our office for months that we cannot answer for the want of proper directions. Address—JANES & CO., Box 5246 New York. [S-19]

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