

The Mariettian



MARIETTA, PA.

Saturday Morning, July 28, 1866.

FOR GOVERNOR, General John W. Geary, OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

It is stated that President Johnson threatened to make Montgomery Blair Postmaster General as soon as Congress adjourned, in case the Senate refused to confirm Randall in that office.

Miss Margaret Howitt, in her last work, "Twelve Months with Frederika Bremer," tells several curious anecdotes illustrating the simplicity of the lower orders in Sweden.

The Carlisle (Pa.) Herald states that Mr. John Hoffminger was recently elected Superintendent of Common Schools in that county.

The new constitution of North Carolina provides that "No person who shall deny the being of Almighty God, or the divine authority of the Old and New Testaments, or who shall hold religious opinions incompatible with the freedom and safety of the State, shall be capable of holding any office or place of trust or profit in any civil department of the State."

A soldier who had lost both hands in the war was furnished with a hand organ, and, with his son, a young lad, has traveled a year or two in the vicinity of Boston, with remarkable success, having accumulated \$15,000, the generous contributions of the charitable.

The wife of John Michaels, Bethany, New York, finished hoeing potatoes on Friday, and on Monday gave birth to three daughters—one weighing eleven and a half, another eleven and a fourth, and a third ten and three fourths pounds—all as lively as Guinea pigs.

The ladies of Cedar Falls, Iowa, are indignant over a report that a peddler who recently visited that town selling corsets and fitting them on the bodies of customers, etc., has since turned out to be a man, dressed in feminine apparel.

It is proposed that the delegates to the Johnson Convention travel to and from Philadelphia on night trains and act, while there under assumed names. This will enable them in the future to successfully deny any connection with the affair.

One of the New York city coroners announces that he has at his office the bodies of five unknown persons found dead, and awaiting identification at the hands of their friends.

John Covode has been nominated unanimously for Congress in the Twenty-first Pennsylvania district, represented for the last four years by John L. Dawson, copperhead.

The estate of Gen. Lewis Cass is estimated at one million of dollars. It will be equally divided among his three children—one son and two daughters.

Two brothers were accidentally drowned in a pond near Girard, Ohio, last week. When found they were locked in each other's arms.

Slaughter houses and hog pens must be removed outside the city limits of Allegheny within ten days. So say the street commissioners.

The Cleveland Plaindealer insinuates that Hon. William Dennison aims to succeed Ben. Wade in the United States Senate.

Ex-Postmaster General Dennison will take the stump against the President's policy.

THE HOT WEATHER.—Prof. Loomis, of Yale College, makes the following statement with regard to the recent hot weather. "This afternoon (July 17, 1866) at 3 o'clock in the afternoon my thermometer, suspended in the shade upon the north side of the New Haven hotel, indicated 103.3 degrees, being the highest temperature known to have been obtained in New Haven since 1778, a period of 89 years.

The period just passed has been quite as remarkable for the long continuance of extreme heat, as for its intensity. Within a period of eleven days, the thermometer has risen five times to 95 degrees and upward. Since 1778 there has been only one other instance in which the thermometer has risen to this height, five times during the same summer, viz: 1845; and these cases are spread over an interval of thirty-six days. During the same period, there have been but two other cases in which the thermometer has risen to 95 degrees as many as four times during the same summer, viz: in 1780 and 1798.

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Andrew Johnson is at last at open war with the Union party. His Cabinet is dissolved, and the line between his followers and the Union party is no longer obscure. He is resolved on breaking down the Union organization, and forming a third party, wholly devoted to his personal interest. We believe the Union party is ready for the contest. It has long been convinced of Mr. Johnson's treachery, and has long desired to substitute open warfare for hypocritical friendship.

A despatch from Mobile, July 17, has the following: "A sloop was overhauled in the lower bay, early this morning, by a United States cutter, having on board 150 negroes, whom the parties were about to carry to Cuba and sell into slavery. These negroes had been collected at different employment offices in Louisville, Nashville and Memphis, and brought down to New Orleans, and thence by rail to this place. They had been promised \$30 a month to work upon a plantation, and otherwise deluded. The captain and crew of the sloop have been heavily ironed and placed on board the sloop of war Angustine for safe keeping, and will be forwarded to Washington."

The following is the despatch of Governor Brownlow to Colonel Forney, exactly as it was received: "Nashville, July 19, 1866. To Hon. J. W. Forney, Secretary U. S. Senate.—We have fought the battle and won it. We have ratified the constitutional amendment in the House—forty-three votes for it, eleven against it—two of Andrew Johnson's tools not voting. Give my respects to the dead dog of the White House. G. W. BROWNLOW."

Hon. Charles V. Culver, M. C., from the Crawford and Venango district, whose financial failures recently have attracted general attention, has been compelled to seek refuge in the Venango county jail, as the only means of escaping further criminal prosecution. A large number of suits were brought against him by State Senator Hoge and others, aggregating a bail amounting to several millions of dollars.

A number of the leading citizens of Memphis have requested Governor Brownlow to sit for his portrait, which they desire to present to the Legislature. The Governor has assented to the request.

Attorney-General Speed has written a scathing letter to the Randall Club of Washington, in which he denounces the proposed Philadelphia Convention as a rebel Copperhead concern, which will bring the country to ruin.

Mr. John Bixler, of Beaver county Ohio, recently died leaving a widow twelve years of age, and child nearly six months old. She is the youngest widow in America.

News in Brief.

One hundred and thirty-three persons have been admitted to the Presbyterian and Methodist churches, at Girard, Pa. during the late revival there.

Rarely, the horse tamer, has had a stroke of paralysis, and is spending the summer at White Sulphur Springs, for his health. Since his return from Europe, Mr. Rarey has been living upon and improving his farm near Columbus Ohio, but it is his intention to again visit Europe should he recover.

On Tuesday evening a man named Irving, aged about seventy-five years, living at Somerville, Maine, shot his wife, who was about the same age, and killed her. He then committed suicide. No cause is assigned for the act.

One of the Olymer organs says that 50,000 persons were present at the Reading meeting. A cypher too much.

Gen. Thomas L. Kane and Mr. Southey have declined being candidates for Congress in Mr. Glenn W. Scofield's district.

Gov. Crawford, of Kansas, appointed Major E. G. Ross, late of the 11th Kansas Cavalry, and associate editor of the Lawrence Tribune, United States Senator, to fill Senator Lane's unexpired term. Major Ross is a radical Republican.

A married woman in Canada West has eloped three times with the same man.

The Boston rowdies throw eggs into the open windows of passing street cars. The burnt district in Portland covers 327 acres.

Hon. Thomas Ewing, of Ohio, has written a letter supporting the call for the Philadelphia Convention. Mr. Ewing was a member of the "Peace Convention" in 1861.

It is stated that only five so called fire and burglar proof safes out of thirty-five opened at Portland since the great conflagration have preserved their contents.

A man was arrested in Pittsburg, on Thursday, for stealing an umbrella.

The present pension list of the United States is about \$16,000,000 per annum.

On Saturday last the family horse of the late President Lincoln was sold at public auction in Chicago. He was bid in by the owner at \$65—60 being the highest sum offered. The animal was 18 years old.

The York papers say that coal has been found within the borders of that county.

Old Muggs says that the talk of women is usually about men; even their laugh is he! he! he!

A man in Ohio committed suicide. Cause—his clothes had been seized as security.

It is said that Gen. Grant will probably follow Stanton in charge of the War Department.

The war in Prussia has caused such a scarcity of labor that women are employed in repairing railroads.

Ex-President Fillmore spent a few hours in Jersey City on Thursday, having arrived in the Persia from a European tour.

S. Morgan Smith, a colored American tragedian, has been playing Othello, Hamlet, Macbeth, Lear, Richard III and Shylock in England.

A report is circulated in some State Department circles to the effect that General McClellan has been invited home to succeed Mr. Stanton in the War Department.

Mrs. David Smith, of Lebanon, Tennessee, recently gave birth to four children—two boys and two girls—each weighing six pounds. The mother and children are doing well, and all are likely to live.

The Concord N. H. Statesman says that on Friday morning there were fires kept on board the cars on the Northern railroad for the comfort of passengers. Two days previously the thermometer was about 100 deg.

Some scamps are swindling the servant girls in New York, by stating that the Pope intends to present each of the faithful with a Bible, and that the binding can be at the choice of the recipient by paying from one to two dollars.

It is rather a novel sight to see masses of ice in July but nevertheless they are to be seen at the Devil's Hole, at Niagara Falls, piled up on the shore. The immense ice jam of last winter drove large quantities of ice high up on the bank, where the overhanging rocks shut out the sun.

The Amendment to the State Constitution of West Virginia, forever disfranchising rebels, was submitted to the popular vote a few weeks since, and called out a full vote, from which the official returns are now published. They are, for the Amendment, 22,224; against the Amendment, 15,303. The amendment is therefore ratified by 6,922 majority.

An Illinois lady recently had both her lower limbs cut off by a reaping machine.

BALLOONISTS IN PERIL.—Several accidents occurred to aeronauts on the Fourth of July. A large balloon went up from Providence, R. I., with three men and two boys in the car. It was overballasted and rose but a few feet from the earth, barely clearing the trees and house tops, and going at the rate of sixty miles an hour. The balloon finally stopped at South Dredham, Mass., having been dragged through a pond, banged against a stone wall, and at last catching in a large elm tree. All of the men were seriously injured.

In New York a tight-rope dancer went up in a Montgolfier balloon. This style is open at the bottom, and rendered lighter than the atmosphere by filling it with rarified air obtained by burning straw underneath it. The acrobat shot up to an immense height with the balloon and continued to perform various antics as long as he remained in sight. After being in the clouds a short time, the rarified air in the balloon cooled, and the machine came down earth-ward with great velocity. Happening to be over the North River at the time, the acrobat preferred to take the chance at a jump, and therefore leaped from the ropes at the height of sixty feet from the water. He was only rescued after a long struggle, during which he was completely exhausted.

The Ugly Club of the University of Virginia had their celebration on the 28th ultimo. J. S. Stubbs, of Gloucester county, who had been elected the ugliest man in the University, was presented with the boots. C. M. Wesson, of Charleston, South Carolina, who was elected the prettiest man, was presented with a hat. A pair of slippers was presented to the most conceited student, and a huge stick of candy, manufactured for the occasion, to the smallest one. Brief speeches were made by all the parties, and the affair passed off with great good humor.

Charlotte Cushman will shortly celebrate the 60th anniversary of her birth. Fanny Kemble is in her 49th year. Kate Bateman is 24 years old. Julia Dean is 35. Madame Culeste is 64. Mrs. John Wood is 36. Julia Bennett Barrow is 41. Adah Isaacs Menkin is 27. Avonia Jones is 28. Kate Reigolds is 27. Mrs. Vernon is nearly 70. Mrs. J. H. Allen is 22. Madeline Henriques is 20, and is the youngest "leading lady" on the stage. Parepa is 38. Miss Hosmer is 26. Maggie Mitchell is 30.

President Washington in his eight years, removed 8 officers all for good causes shown to the Senate. John Adams in his four years, 9. Jefferson in his eight years, 39; not one for partisan or political reasons, as he avowed. Madison 5, and Monroe 9, in their eight years each. John Quincy Adams, in his four years, only 2. Under Jackson, the removals were legion, the motto being "To the victors belong the spoils," and thus it has continued to be since.

The young Frasch Prince Imperial has asked his father to permit him to learn the art of printing. According to a miniature press has been erected in the Tuilleries, and a printer selected to initiate the young gentleman into the mysteries of the art. The French opposition, upon these facts being made public, have naively suggested that the future ruler of France be taught the advantages of a free press.

A fine residence was recently purchased in Nashville for General Thomas by some of his friends, at an expense of \$60,000, but the General declined the present, on the ground that he had enough to support himself and wife, (having no children,) and requesting that the money be added to the fund for soldier's widows and orphans.

A man in Nottingham, N. H., has invented an alarm to be applied to banks, jails and other places that ought to be made secure. The gratings and connections of the doors and windows are made hollow, and filled with condensed air, which by its escape on breaking or sawing the rod must give the alarm without fail.

The area burned by the Portland fire is larger than the entire area of the city when it was destroyed by the British, in the Revolutionary war. The two ends of the city only are preserved, with a line of buildings merely enough to show a connection on the front and rear water lines.

Hosea Morrill, of Pittsfield, Ohio, was married last week, aged eighty-two years. He gave his bride \$30,000, she being somewhat younger than himself. He was unable to get out of his carriage and the ceremony was performed while the parties were sitting in the carriage.

A saven connected with the garden of Plants, in Paris, has carried three billiard balls constantly in his bosom for the past seven months, wrapped up in a flannel waistcoat, supposing that they were crocodile eggs, and that they would hatch by that process.

Thirty years ago a widow named Patty Polk was murdered in Cecil county, Maryland. The perpetrator was first discovered last week, by his own confession on a sick bed. Much to his consternation he is getting well.

BEWARE OF NEW POTATOES.—This favorite esculent contains a vegetable base of deleterious quality, which is especially developed in the plant when it is shooting. Dr. Haaf has ascertained that solanine not only exists in a considerable proportion in the shoots, but in the tuber itself, and at two extreme periods of existence, viz: when very old the skin containing more of it than the pulp. Hence people that chiefly live upon potatoes should beware of new ones, which are generally so highly prized as delicacies; they ought at least to be peeled, and rather boiled than fried because water carries off a great deal of the solanine.

A couple were recently re-married in Connecticut, who were first married nearly a quarter of a century ago, lived happily for some time, and became parents to two sons now grown up. Trouble came and they were divorced. The husband married again and lived with his second wife a number of years, until death removed her. He finally renewed the acquaintance of his first wife, and the result was that he now led her to the altar for the second time.

Five years ago a man in the Ohio State Prison succeeded in making his escape. A few days ago he returned and expressed a desire to serve out his term. The only explanation given is, that while out of prison he got married—it would be ungalant to say anything more.

A colored girl in Georgia has brought a suit for breach of promise of marriage against a negro man. It is the first case of the kind known in Georgia.

One of the patients at the Northampton water-cure establishment is the widow in Gen. Gaines.

Special Notices.

PURIFY THE BLOOD.—If the blood be pure the body, which is formed from and by the blood cannot be diseased. But if there be in any part of the body any affection, such as a boil or ulcer, even a bruise, the blood circulating through that part takes up impure matters from the local effusion and carries it into the general system. This is the cause often of sudden death to persons of full habit, afflicted with boils and ulcers, and who use no medicine; the matter gets into the circulating system and chokes up the fine blood vessels which supply the brain with vitality, and life ceases as if by lightning. Now this can be realized. BRANDRETH'S PILLS take all impure matters from the circulation, and save the general health, soon curing local affections also. Brandreth's Pills protect from tedious times of sickness and often save life. Sold by all respectable Dealers in Medicines.

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