

The Mariettian.



MARIETTA, PA.

Saturday Morning, May 25, 1867.

It is stated that Russia has signed a willingness, if not a desire, to accept a fleet of our ironclads in payment for Russian America.

Fogler, for the murder of Mr. Dinmore, in December last, was executed at Washington, Pa. He reaffirmed his former confession of the complicity of young Montgomery, son of the Hon. Wm. Montgomery, who was tried at the last session of the Circuit Court.

Artemus Ward, who served his own apprenticeship in the unequalled (advanced) school of the printing-office, gave his library to the best boy in the school of his native village of Waterford, Me.

Horace Greeley has found it necessary to publicly put himself on his defence for his offensive violation of the proprieties of patriotism in the Johnson-Davis fiasco.

Queen Victoria having, through the Peace Congress, called by her at London, preserved the Peace of Europe on the Luxemburg question, warm gratitude to her is expressed throughout Europe.

Henry Davis, a native of Ireland, residing at No. 163 avenue A, actuated, as is supposed, by jealousy, attempted to kill his wife with a knife.

The friends of Jeff. Davis in Washington concluded to give Horace Greeley a grand ovation as he went through on his way North.

One Miss Lloyd, a hard-hearted land proprietress of Lacques, in Wales, has given her tenants in Caernarvonshire and Pembrokeshire wholesale notice to quit, unless their wives and daughters give up wearing crinolines.

Indiana is getting a world-wide fame as a State wherein it is easy to get a divorce. It is announced that a law-firm in New Albany, has just received a letter from a woman in Scotland, making inquiry in reference to a divorce.

The Department of Agriculture is still sending seeds South for distribution under the act of the last session of Congress for the relief of destitute Southerners.

Germany shows the world at the Exhibition as well as the French what's the time of the day. The clock tells that time at twenty-six different points in all parts of the world.

The Commissioners on Pensions desire the public to be informed that no act has been passed granting pensions to the soldiers of 1812, excepting only those disabled in the service.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE SIGNERS.—Benjamin Franklin was the oldest signer of the Declaration of Independence, being 70 years at the time.

It would seem from the Mexican news that the days of Imperialism in the land of the Montezumas are numbered, and that Juarez, the rightful ruler, will soon hold undisputed power over the whole country.

A couple of state constables called at a saloon at Westfield, Mass., the other day, for the purpose of arresting the liquor vender for violation of the liquor law.

William H. Seymour, residing in Hampshire, Kane county, Illinois, last week shot William H. Seymour, his son, dead. The son was given to violent bursts of passion, in which condition he would abuse his father in most violent terms.

A silk plant is reported to have been discovered in Peru, and is described in a communication recently sent to the State Department at Washington.

A wedding party is said to have assembled in a county town in Maine a few days since, but the expected bridegroom failed to put in an appearance.

A distressing cough, causes the friends of the sufferer almost as much pain as the sufferer himself, and should receive immediate attention.

There are two hundred and twenty-five cars on the New Orleans city railroads, and they carry daily about sixty thousand passengers.

One of the leading architects estimates that at least three million dollars worth of new buildings, that had been in contemplation in Chicago, the present season, has been entirely postponed on account of the eight-hour movement.

A woman in the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., has confessed that while living in a house of ill-fame in Chicago, in October last, a stranger, who said he was from New York, was murdered in her room by the keepers of the house, Ed. and Ida Stockton, for his money.

Mrs. Nancy Rotch, aged 92 years, widow of the man who owned the ship which brought the tea which the Bostonians threw overboard in 1773, died in Providence the other day.

The New York Times announces the marriage, at Frankfurt, Germany, of William Cornell (alias Colorado) Jewett to Carlotta Berna.

General Sickles has been brevetted Major General in the regular army for "gallant and meritorious services" at the battle of Gettysburg, July 2nd, 1863.

News in Brief. A Minnesota Congressman is accused of having franked home bags of potatoes. A company has been got up for carrying on pawnbroking on a grand scale in Egypt.

Russian America costs the United States about three cents an acre, taking the whole territory. Wisconsin supports one hundred and thirty-three newspapers, eighty-five republican and forty-eight democratic.

The wife of an editor of an Ohio paper amused herself lately by throwing rotten eggs at the editor of a rival sheet. There is a terrible suspicion among Americans in Paris that the restaurants there supply horse-flesh for beef.

The New York Evening Post calls funerals, as at present conducted in that city, "Excursions to Greenwood." A three-legged chicken has made its appearance in Glasgow, Mo. It is said to be as lively a young fowl as can be found.

Insurance has been effected upon the Paris Exhibition building to the amount of seven and a half million of francs. The steamer Great Eastern has been attached upon a suit of her seamen for nonpayment of wages.

A new national song by Brinsley Richards, "God Bless the Prince of Wales," is rivaling in English popularity the old "God save the Queen." Charles William, alias Clemons, alias Stevens, has been sent to the Western Penitentiary for ten years for robbing the post-office at Lock Haven.

Here is good news for the boys—4th of July comes in the middle of the week, Thursday. Excuses for making "a week off" will be plentiful.

A Southern paper winds up a long editorial on "Should Babbists Dance," with the advice for them to pitch in unless they have rheumatic legs.

A young man died from fright in South Shields, England, the other day, on being told, in a joke, that some charge was to be preferred against him by the police.

An "American Bar-Room" has been added to the attractions which draw to Paris those people who want especially to see an exposition of the wickedness of the world.

It is said that Sumner and Bank's great onslaught on court dresses was really a blow at Minister Adams, who sports a blue and gold dress designed by his father when Secretary of State.

The South Carolinian newspaper, published at Columbia, has been purchased by Mr. Nash and other colored men, and will be conducted as a conservative negro organ.

The man in Dayton, Ohio, who has been without food for sixty days, has found his appetite. He began on a glass of weak lemonade. His weekly lemonade will be followed by daily bread.

The Lynchburg Virginian says there is a child in Montgomery county, Virginia, which was christened "Andrew Jackson, Gordon, James Buchanan, Rouse, The, Flag, And, Fire, The, Cannon, Dobyns."

A young man in Zanesville, Ohio, wears his hair rolled up on the back of his head like a young lady. It grows luxuriantly, and when it gets to be three feet long he sells it to hairdressers at a good price.

Some deaf and dumb children in Jacksonville, Illinois, were asked the meaning of eternity. One wrote on his slate, "It is the life of the almighty," and another only made a circle.

A miniature ocean ship, twenty-four feet long, of two tons measurement, and whose crew will consist of two men, was placed on exhibition in Baltimore, on Wednesday, previous to setting sail for France, to be present at the Exposition.

A poor fellow, as a last resort for more drink, fetched his bible to pawn for liquor, but the landlady refused to take it. "Well," said he, "if she will not take my word nor God's word, it's time to give up," and he went and signed the pledge and kept it faithfully.

A rich young lady in New York is about to be married to an Italian prince, whose father lives in the garret of a house in Rome, lets the lower rooms for restaurants and billiard rooms and whose only income is from their rental.

Edwin Forrest, the tragedian, has just entered into an engagement for visiting a number of Western cities and Mobile. He was offered \$500 a night but refuses this, and instead receives one half the gross receipts of the house. His stay at Mobile will be for six weeks.

A countryman sold an old stove in Worcester, Mass., a day or two since, and on returning home learned that his daughter had placed in the stove oven a box containing \$200, and all his deeds and valuable papers. He returned to the city in hot haste, and after considerable anxiety and delay recovered his property.

A Conservative negroes' meeting was held on Monday, in Raleigh, N. C.

An English writer upon the subject of diamonds and other precious stones says that but a small portion of the gems sold and worn are genuine. The diamond mines of Golconda are giving out and those of India are rapidly failing.

A youth of sixteen and a maiden of fourteen eloped in New Britain, Conn., Monday night, but the girl's father caught them at the door-way of a justice in an adjoining town, horse-whipped the lad, seized the daughter by the arm, seated her on the horse behind him, promised her a "good spanking" when they got home, forbid the would-be husband from ever being seen in New Britain again, and slowly galloped home.

Senator Cattell of New Jersey has been presented with an elegant service of silver plate worth six or eight thousand dollars. The present was tendered to him on Tuesday by the Mayor of Philadelphia as a token of Mr. Cattell's services in the United States Senate in furthering the League Island Navy Yard scheme.

The Pope is in the market for a supply of breech-loaders for his little army. The difficulty with him is how to raise the money. The Rome correspondent of the Paris Etendard intimates that a subscription will soon be set on foot among the faithful to assist the Holy Father over this difficulty.

Mr. George Peabody has left the portrait of Queen Victoria, recently presented to him by the Queen herself, in the hands of the Mayor and other prominent citizens of Philadelphia to place on exhibition for the purpose of raising funds for charitable purposes.

Eggs with iron shells will be a fact at the Paris Exposition. A Berlin chemist caused his hens to produce them by feeding them on a preparation in which iron was made to take the place of lime. The eggs may do very well for transportation, but how about the chickens?

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Pomeroy, of Somers, Conn., who were divorced in the April term of the Tolland county court, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes of Enfield, who were divorced last fall, have just been remarried.

Alexander Cummings of Philadelphia, has resigned his place as Governor of Colorado, and entered his securities as Internal Revenue Collector of the Fourth District of Pennsylvania.

In Lowell, the other night, two rival traders kept their stores open and goods hanging out all night, each having determined not to close until the other had.

A brother of Governor Orr, of South Carolina, Colonel John Amasa Orr, of Columbus, Miss., is one of the leaders of the Radicals in his State, and will possibly be their candidate for Governor.

The Old School Presbyterians through their delegates at Cincinnati, have declined to take any action on the propriety or impropriety of selling milk on Sunday morning.

A man in Northampton, Mass., has sued his brother for \$20, for the board of himself and wife during a visit which they paid him three years ago, when first married.

The steam ram Dunderberg, the most powerful engine of naval warfare afloat, and now at New York, has been sold to the French government for three million dollars.

The delegates to the Medical Convention in Cincinnati have been entertained by two banquets—one of them at the residence of Hon. George H. Pendleton.

A correspondent of the Independent says: "Agassiz is the youngest looking man of his years you ever saw. In less than a month he will be sixty; but one must go to the record to find it out."

The President has appointed George Bancroft, of New York, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States at Berlin, vice Joseph A. Wright, deceased.

The plantations south of Memphis along the shores of the Mississippi are nearly all overflawed, and the planters are reported starving.

Mr. Frederick Hudson, who last year retired from the management of the New York Herald, owing to extreme ill health has entirely recovered.

Lucy Stone is stamping Kansas in the interest of the female suffrage movement, she spoke in Leavenworth to a large audience on the 7th inst.

Baron Von Linsburg, the Dutch Minister at Washington, who married a daughter of General Cass, has gone home on a visit.

Dr. G. W. Hosmer, who is at present editing the New York Herald, is a striking example of a successful self-made man. He was at first a printer in the office of the journal in question, but found time, in addition to that devoted to his daily labor, to store his mind with much learning.

A deficiency in the cash account of the First National Bank of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, recently led to investigations which resulted in finding the nest of a mouse composed of five fifty dollar greenbacks, with a layer of fine stuff made by tearing up smaller bills. Very few large persons have been able to indulge in so expensive a bed.

There is a painful rumor to the effect that Rosa Bonheur, the celebrated animal painter, has become insane, her madness consisting in fancying herself an animal—a goat being the creature into which the great artiste believes herself transformed.

Secretary Seward finds himself taxed for his Auburn property at a valuation of fifty thousand dollars. When he purchased it he paid five hundred dollars, but it has since been surrounded by the town. He is enlarging his house there.

No less than 23 dead bodies of new-born infants have been discovered by the police in sinks, cellars, alleys, under stoops, &c., in New York city, during the past month. The murderers are mostly young girls who seek to hide their shame by taking the lives of their offspring.

A Boston paper says the barbers in that city are discussing the question whether it will be lawful to finish shaving a customer after midnight on Saturday night. The half shaved individual would await the decision with interest.

The New York Home Journal not only gives accounts of the "fashionable" weddings in the "commercial metropolis," but actually publishes the "engagement" existing between ladies and gentlemen, with their names in full.

Three persons, husband, wife and child, living at Biangy, France, were recently bitten by a dog, which they were accustomed to caress, and which afterward was found to have gone mad. The wife is already dead, and the state of the father and child leaves no hope of their recovery.

The Massachusetts Plowman says: Take a pint of crude petroleum, and a gallon and a half of soft soap. Mix thoroughly and let the mixture stand till the whole is intimately blended, and then dissolve in twenty gallons of water. It is perfectly safe on trees, and it will extirpate all kinds of insects that infest them where it comes in contact with them.

The Mobile Tribune having termed the Reconstruction and Supplement acts "a hammer and the spike," The San Antonio (Texas) Express says the idea is capital—the "spike" will hold the South to its place in the Union when the "hammer" has sent it home.

Major Gen. Joseph Hooker, who is still in poor health, has been granted leave of absence for one year from the first of June, with permission to go abroad.

The bankrupt act, which will go into operation on the first of June, sweeps off imprisonment for debt throughout the country. It sets aside all stay laws, and all preferences, voluntary agreements, and secret attachments.

A recent decision of the Supreme Court recognizes the right and the power of conductors on railroad cars forcibly to eject riotous passengers therefrom.

It is said that the spirits of turpentine is a certain remedy for the bite of a mad dog, if applied immediately after the bite.

A Chicago druggist called a prescription with morphine, instead of quinine, last week, and thus caused the death of Joseph McFarland.

Young Christopher Columbus, descendant of the great discoverer, has just come into possession of his father's estate and title, Duke of Veragua.

Parton computes the whole number of sewing machines manufactured up to the close of last year at 750,000, and the present rate of manufacture as about 200,000 per annum.

A Russian miser is noticed to have learned to bark, in order to save the expense of keeping a watch dog.

In an Illinois town last week, two little girls, while hunting eggs under a house, thrust their hands into a nest where lay a huge rattlesnake, were bitten, and died the next day.

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