

The Mariettian.



MARIETTA, PA.

Saturday Morning, July 20, 1867.

An agent of the American Missionary Association, who has just arrived in Washington from Southern Virginia, reports that two political meetings are being held in each county in that part of the State, which colored people attend in large numbers.

The Galveston Bulletin, of the 7th inst., says: On the morning of the 4th of July an American flag was thrown across the street from the market-house to the opposite corner of the street.

A dissatisfied couple in Cleveland, Ohio, quarreled, the other day, when the husband converted his property into cash, intending to separate altogether, and leave the city next day.

The New Orleans Times has a special dispatch from Houston, Texas, giving a detailed account of the execution of Maximilian, Miramon and Mejia.

A young lady bought a new basket in St. Louis the other evening for picnic purposes the next day. Before she left the store, the basket, with a card bearing her name attached, was stolen.

A few nights since, a Rochester woman followed her husband to the house of another married woman, whose husband was out of town. She entered the room where they were, pulled her unfaithful lord out of bed, and beat the woman most unmercifully with her fists.

Warren Nobles, of Montgomery, Texas, proposes a free-will offering to Jefferson Davis, of one gold dollar from each of his many thousands of admirers in the North as well as South.

Out of a dozen clerks recently appointed by Secretary McCulloch is Mr. Aiken, who appeared as Mrs. Surratt's counsel at her trial, and with his partner took a note from her, before she was led out to execution, that covered all her estate.

Gigantic omnibuses, on a new model, have been constructed in Paris, especially for horse races and other outdoor sights. They are so contrived that upward of fifty persons can be seated on the roof, and they constitute a kind of traveling grand stand.

A monster cherry tree now growing in Reading township, Ohio, has attained the height of 80 feet, and is four feet one inch in diameter. It is of the "black heart" variety, and the seed was brought from Berks county, Pa in the year 1817.

Some beef which was deposited in tin cans beneath a heap of stones in Spitzbergen, by Capt. Parry, in 1827 was recently discovered, and a portion was cooked and eaten at a supper in Stockholm, after being preserved for forty years.

A church is to be erected in London to commemorate the abolition of slavery, and to be at the same time a memorial of President Lincoln.

THE DEATH OF MAXIMILIAN.—Colonel Sanger, of the Republican army, arrived at New Orleans from Queretaro last Thursday night. He saw the execution of Maximilian. He says: "When the Emperor came down to the Plaza, which was the one where the city refuse is thrown, he took a seat on a rude stone bench until he had seen Generals Mejia and Miramon shot and their bodies taken away. He then beckoned to Price Salm Salm, who stood near him, to approach. He calmly requested this officer to give him 'a good cigar' in English. He lit the cigar and walked erectly and steadily to the low platform, which consisted of a few planks laid upon the deposits of outhouses, with which this square was covered.

Our readers will perceive, by reference to the advertisement of the Union Pacific railroad company, in another column, of this week's paper, that it offers its First Mortgage Bonds, paying six per cent. interest in gold to subscribers, at ninety cents on the dollar. These bonds are a first lien upon the road, and are limited in amount to \$16,000 to the mile. The Company state their net earnings for the month of May, while only 290 miles of road were in operation, \$261,782—a sum which, after deducting operating expenses, is several times the interest on the bonds they are by law permitted to issue upon it.

The Manchester (Vt.) Journal tells of a child nineteen months old in South Dorset which went out into the door-yard while the family were at dinner, caught a green snake nearly two feet in length, ate about three inches of its tail, bit it once through the head, and came into the house with the snake wound around its arm, and still eating the tail. With the exception of a badly poisoned mouth, the child received no injury.

A woman in Auburn, N. Y., named Wells, being told that tartar emetic would cure her husband of an inordinate appetite for strong drink, gave it to him in such large quantities as to cause his death. Her agony was heart-rending. She lived happily with him, except when he was under the influence of liquor. The coroner's jury exonerated her from blame.

Lawrence Hall was tried last week at Warsaw, Indiana, for the murder of a boy, and a verdict of guilty was rendered. A sentence of twenty-one years' imprisonment was passed upon him. After his sentence was announced, the prisoner confessed that he killed the child purposely; that he knocked him down with a broom-handle, and kicked him in the side until he was dead.

Miss Caroline Richings, the well known cantatrice, fell down stairs at her summer residence, near West Chester, Pa., on Thursday, and seriously injured herself in the side and head. Her life was at first despaired of, but she is now rapidly recovering, and her physician says that her injuries are not of a dangerous character.

By the death of her father, in Bath, England, the wife of Colonel G. L. Eberhardt, of Macon, Superintendent of Freedmen's schools in Georgia, has fallen heir to an estate valued at over \$1,000,000, which will be divided between herself, a brother and two sisters.

The crown which the Empress of Austria wore during the ceremony at Pesth was made for Maria Theresa, but never used by that princess. It is of silver, but so studded with diamonds and pearls that the metal is scarcely visible.

Aaron Sweet, the negro candidate for Congress in the Cheras (S. C.) district, is prosecuting his canvass with

A VERY SINGULAR CASE.—The Detroit Press of July 6th, says: "Sixteen years ago last Wednesday, James Bay, then a resident of Pontiac, was bitten by a rabid dog, but experienced no serious effects from the bite until one year from the day on which he was bitten. He then felt some symptoms of the terrible disease, which soon developed into a most frightful attack. For six weeks he was a raving maniac, and all hope of his recovery was abandoned; but an iron constitution, and skilful nursing, brought him out from the shadow of death, and he rallied, the disease finally passed off. He pursued the even tenor of his way until the second anniversary, when he was again attacked, but with less severity than on the first occasion.

The 29th day of June in each succeeding year has been the occasion of a hydrophobic fit, the last of which attacked him one week ago yesterday, at Sanduska, where he was employed as brick-maker. The usual symptoms were felt during the early part of the day, and Bay requested some of his friends to tie him, in order to prevent personal injury. Being frightened by his personal appearance, they refused to do so, and he continued at his work all day and until midnight, his usual time for quitting. Going to a neighboring barn he tried to sleep off the dreaded attack. After awhile his companions heard a noise in the barn, and, fearing that it was as Bay had declared, went to his aid. An appalling sight greeted them. The poor victim was foaming at the mouth, biting at various objects, and to all appearance suffering the most horrible agonies. As soon as he caught sight of them, with eyes glowing like fireballs, and uttering an unearthly yell, he made a rush for them. The party at once retreated leaving Bay alone in the gloomy hayloft, wrought up to the highest pitch of maniacal frenzy, and battling with an enemy that no mortal man can subdue. In one of his convulsions he lifted a portion of the roof com: letely off, which evidently exhausted him, as nothing more was heard, and when his friends finally ventured to look after him he was found in a sound sleep. He was at once secured and taken to a safe place, where he was kept for several hours, and when he awoke nearly all traces of the previous night's awful experience had disappeared, and, with the exception of the exhaustion produced by his great sufferings, was as well as usual.

It is believed that enough flagrant corruption by the Barnum Democrats of Connecticut will be found to justify Congress in declaring the election of Wm. H. Barnum, invalid, and a new one will be ordered to be held. It is alleged, that on election day, Mr. Barnum paid over one hundred checks on account of votes, at so much per capita. The Election Committee will go back to Connecticut in August to take testimony.

A very good substitute for rice may be had by every farmer who has a wheat field. First wash the wheat, carefully picking out all the foreign matter, or impaired kernels, then cover it with tepid water, and let it stand five hours; dress with a sauce of sugar and butter, or sugar and cream. It can also be used for griddle cakes the same as rice, and is by many considered preferable.

All Europe mourns the death of Maximilian. The Government of England, it is stated, will recall the British Legation, and withdraw from diplomatic relations with the administration of Juarez. That of France has sent out an order suspending all the functions of the French Consuls in the Republic. The French Chambers denounce the execution as a crime against civilization.

Tie up a little sulphur in a silk bag and suspend in the cage. For mocking birds this is essential to their health, and the sulphur will keep all the red ants and other insects from the cages of all other kinds of birds. Red ants will never be found in a closet or drawer if a small bag of sulphur be kept constantly in these places.

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There is a colored boy in Newport, R. I. five years old, weighing sixteen pounds. When six months old the child weighed only four and a quarter pounds. The boy enjoys good health and is of good intellect.

A Vienna letter states that the Archduchess Sophia, mother of the Emperor of Austria, is now confined at Santa

News in Brief.

Thirty young men of color are studying for the ministry at Richmond.

A fourteen-year old canary bird has just died in Boston. It sang well until it was thirteen.

There are two sisters and a brother named Fisher, in Memphis, Tennessee, whose united ages amount to three hundred and ten years.

A Scotch paper says that two kittens were recently found in the stomach of a large codfish.

The proprietors of the Richmond daily papers have decided that no more work shall be done in their offices on Sundays.

For President and Vice President, a writer in the Meadville Republican urges Schuyler Colfax, of Indiana, and Galusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania. Colfax is the present, while Grow has been Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The expense of publishing the New York Independent, over its income, during the twelve years of its existence has been \$40,000.

Atlanta, Ga., burned by General Sherman, is nearly rebuilt with substantial brick dwelling houses and stores, and has a \$100,000 opera house almost completed.

A proposition has been introduced in the Constitutional Convention of New York to make the ability to read and write a qualification for the right of suffrage.

The population of China is about four hundred millions; that of Japan forty millions more. These two countries contain nearly half the population of the globe.

The Mexican Liberals, having got rid of Maximilian, are now mainly occupied, we are told, with deciding "who were the greatest traitors to the Republic, every Mexican apparently accusing every other one of treason." It is the pot calling the kettle black.

A proposition was made in the Connecticut Senate to place a portrait of Lincoln in the Senate Chamber, but the Democrats, with the aid of a single Republican, voted it down.

In Akron, Ohio, on Saturday evening, Matthias Oberfeld, an old man, wanted his wife to buy him some cider; she refused, when he put a pistol to his mouth and fired, the discharge killing him instantly.

De Witt Clinton Seball, a convict in the New Jersey State Penitentiary, has fallen heir to a fortune of \$80,000, left by his great-grand-mother. He has got five years to serve.

In clearing out a reservoir at St. Louis, used for supplying the city with water, the bodies or skeletons of thirty-three children were found.

Ex-Confederate General Louis T. Wigfall, formerly United States Senator from the State of Texas, is about entering upon the practice of law in England in connection with American cases.

Many of the handsome bridal presents exhibited at so called fashionable wedding receptions in New York, are hired of a dealer, who makes quite a living out of it.

Joseph Barba, an Italian, was so severely scolded by Rosa Epstein, in New York, that he sent a bullet directly through her tongue and cheek, which literally made her hold her jaw.

The great tabernacle of the Saints at Salt Lake city is now finished. It is two hundred and fifty feet wide, and furnishes comfortable sitting room for two thousand persons.

A wealthy citizen of Berlin has applied to the municipality of that town for a site on which to erect a statue to Francis Drake, as the introducer of the potato into Europe, and offers to subscribe \$11,270 toward it.

It is related that the last order sent over to Europe by the Emperor Maximilian—so little did he dream of being conquered and captured—was for two thousand nightgales, to be let loose in Mexico, and to be purchased in the Tyrol.

The fisheries on eastern rivers are once more becoming quite profitable, owing to efforts for their preservation. In Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Connecticut, salmon and shad have appeared where they have not been seen for many years.

Henry J. Church, of Washington, Conn., a representative in the Legislature in 1866, and now Judge of Probate and Town Clerk, is a model officer. For more than a year he has been stealing sums of money, ranging from ten cents to \$300, and has at last been detected. He has acknowledged his guilt, refunded \$1500, and left town.

MARRYING A WIDOW.—A curious incident happened a few days since in Schenectady, N. Y. A lady, who has some property, and has been widely known as a handsome widow, after long living in single blessedness, yielded to the importunities of a lover, and consented to be led to the hymeneal altar. It was arranged that she should go in her carriage to the place where the ceremony was to come off, and there meet the expectant bridegroom. The lady stepped into the carriage, but was astonished by a gentleman stepping in after her, and declared that he would go along and see her married. It was her husband, with whom she had not lived for years, but who had, it seems, kept accurately posted in regard to her movements. It is unnecessary to say that the wedding did not come off, and when the expectant bridegroom heard of the difficulty, he vanished in hot haste.

Demorest for August is out. No other fashion and literary magazine in existence has made such rapid strides in popular favor as this. The current number now before us speaks for itself, it is full of fresh, attractive, and useful matter, specially interesting to ladies and households. The fashion department is complete—three times as full as that of any other magazine—and contains abundance of sensible, practical information, invaluable. The illustrations are beautiful and numerous—the tone of the literary articles high. We do not wonder that ladies, generally, declare they "could not do without it." Three dollars per annum, with a premium.

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Henry Warner, two years since, induced a New York boarding school miss to elope with him. They were married and settled in Chicago, where he became a drunkard and a gambler. About six months since he deserted her, and on Friday she endeavored to commit suicide by taking morphine. Medical aid prevented a fatal result. Girls should beware how they are induced to elope. There are occasional exceptions, but usually the risks of unhappiness are very great.

It may interest smokers to know that cigars, which have until now been made by hand, may hereafter be made by machinery, at a considerable saving in cost, if we can believe reports. A cigar-making apparatus has recently been invented in Germany, and patented in this country, which can, it is said, turn out one hundred and fifty thousand cigars a week.

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