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THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 20, 1848.

Lafayette Public Schools. The examination of the scholars of the Lafayette Public Schools has, as the public are aware, been going on for the past two weeks, and will be concluded to-day.

The pupils were yesterday examined principally upon grammar, reading and arithmetic; and we were truly astonished at the rapidity, facility and correctness with which they answered every, even the most difficult, questions that were propounded.

THE MOVEMENTS ABROAD.—Such a prodigious amount of public attention is now given to affairs in Europe, that our readers will require no apology from us for devoting a large portion of our space to facts, suggestions, etc., relating to those affairs.

THE STEAMBOAT CINCINNATI.—The steamer Cincinnati yesterday brought us very late papers from the river. The Cincinnati made the trip from Louisville and back, taking on board a full cargo, in the short space of twelve days.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.—This evening the performances are for the benefit of Mr. Charles Mason. Mr. T. Placide, Mrs. Hunt and Mr. Chippendale, will appear.

THE NATIONAL.—We owe an apology to the National for asserting in our paper of yesterday that it would support General Taylor, "no votes, no votes;" the error arose from our not having observed that these expressive words had been dropped from the column announcing the candidature of the old hero.

RECEPTION OF GEN. SCOTT.—Yesterday morning, committees from the different Municipalities Councils, met in the office of Mayor Crossman, in order to take into consideration appropriate measures for the reception of Major-General Winfield Scott.

MISS JULIA DEAN.—This young lady has just concluded two decidedly successful and flattering engagements at the St. Charles Theatre, quite appropriately closed with glorious benefits—brilliant with the beauty which filled the boxes and crowded with the numbers of her admirers.

THE CRESCENT'S RESPECTS TO JOHN WENTWORTH, M. C., for interesting Congressional documents.

WHO KNOWS MARGARET WATT?—If Margaret Watt—whose parents reside at Cookfield, Dunganon county, Ireland—is living, she should write to them. If dead—and any person knows of her—will she write? Direct to "Andrew Watt, care of John McConnell, P. M., Rock Post, by Dunganon county, Tyrone, Ireland."

THE STEAMBOAT ALBAMA, Alex. Scott and Aleck Scott, brought us late papers from Louisville, etc.

PRESENT TO RECORDER BALDWIN.—We had the pleasure, a few days since, of viewing a beautiful phreton, which the members of the Second Municipality Police have purchased to present to Recorder Baldwin, as a testimonial of their appreciation of his character and services.

WASHINGTON HOTEL.—The lovers of recreation, quiet life, choice fare and friendly hospitality, will do well to bear in mind, from this time forth, that the Washington Hotel, Lake-end of the Pontchartrain Railroad, is now open, and to remain open during the summer.

THE CROPS.—From all parts around us, says the Concordia Intelligencer, we gather the same accounts of the corn and cotton crops. "The spring time of year" was never more propitious. Everything is smiling and flourishing in our fields, and the balmy weather that we are now enjoying, enriches the prospect of plentiful crops.

ALABAMA ODD FELLOWS.—The R. W. Grand Lodge of I. O. F. of the State of Alabama, commenced its annual convention in Mobile on the evening of the 17th inst. A large number of representatives from different parts of the State is in attendance. The session will probably continue throughout the week.

INTERPRETANCE AND MURDER.—From the New Albany Bulletin, we learn that on the 21st inst., in Clark county, Ia., a man named Davis, murdered in his own house a man named Van Over. They got drunk in friendship.

Washington Correspondence of Crescent.

WASHINGTON, April 19, 1848. So the Resolutions of the Senate are at length passed by the House, by a vote of 134 to 20—(the two members, Messrs. Cassin, of Rhode Island, and Root, of Ohio.)

Mr. Bayly, of Virginia. Both were in much better tone and temper than the speeches of the previous week, and the House was in a much milder mood to act upon the subject which had been brought forward.

Mr. Bayly again replied, that the institution of slavery had not been introduced by the French Government, but was an institution of the people he represented, to interfere in any manner with Southern rights or Southern institutions.

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Binjamin Course—Algers.

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Mary Bowen was the favorite against any named nag, and in conjunction with Jack Prior, had the call against the field. The attendance was good, but not large, and the odds were fair for once.

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TAKING A PART IN "MARRIED LIFE."

London print has the following announcement: MARRIED.—On the 23rd inst., at Sefton Church, near Liverpool, Dr. SHERIDAN MURRAY, of Sefton Hall, to Miss SUSAN CUSHMAN, lately of Boston, Mass.

ELUTION BETTING.—There is going to be more betting, founded on the result of the next Fall's contest, than any previous election has ever developed in this country.

THE PRIVATE LETTER FROM ITALY states that the lazaroni of Naples were very much disappointed that they had still to pay for their macaroni, "notwithstanding the Constitution."

IT IS SAID that the friends of Senator Hale are all starting a newspaper in New York city, to advocate his claims for the Presidency.

THERE ARE THREE hundred and three manufacturing in France, for making sugar from the beet root. We believe there are numerous establishments of the same description in our Northern States.

THE BRITISH CANNAL, at the point where it was crossed by the ex-King of France, in his flight to England, is about 70 miles wide.

GUINNESS & BUSH, 12 Camp Street, N. O. DEALERS IN MARY AND TOLLER ARTICLES: COMBS, BRUSHES, PERFUMERY; FANS, BRUSHES, PURSES; Dressing Cases, Work Boxes, Desks, SHIRTS, SCARFS, CRAWLS, GLOVES, GOLD PENS, CUTLERY, ETC.

LAUNDRY STARCH POLISH. Preparing Starch without the addition of any greasy substance AND FOR PRESERVING. Brilliant Pearly Gloss on the Linen.

SPLENDID CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT. Boyle & Sands, careful for past years, would respectfully announce that they have removed to the new and commodious premises, No. 20 Poydras Street, corner of Tchoupchoulas St. N. B. Gentlemen who wish to visit us, will find us at their old and constant address.

SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING.—ALFRED MUNROE & CO. No. 31 MAGAZINE STREET, have received by recent arrivals a very choice assortment of FASHIONABLE SUMMER CLOTHING, to which they would invite the attention of their friends and customers.

GERMANIC REVOLUTION.—We doubt whether this is not of more importance even than the revolution in France. The States of Germany, with Austria, Prussia and the Italian principalities—all so closely connected together—number an immense population, and are only to us second in importance to France and England, because our communication is more direct with the latter. A foreign print, "The remainder of this month is pregnant with events of momentous importance to all Germany. On the 20th of Congress her Sovereign Powers will be held at Dresden. They will there determine how Germany shall best prepare herself against attack from without. They will also decide upon such measures of constitutional reform as they are willing to grant, and upon what wider base they will found the Germanic Confederation. On the 30th the Heidelberg delegates meet at Frankfurt, where they will be joined by many other Liberal deputies. The decision of the Congress will then be known, and will be compared with the plan of a constitution prepared by the Heidelberg committee, which is now nearly ready."

COST OF MONARCHY.—The public expenditure of Great Britain and Ireland for the year 1847, was £30,222,000; of France, £52,462,124. The charges on the consolidated fund in England, amounted to £31,821,000; leaving £18,401,000 for army, navy, etc.; in France, to £15,200,000, leaving £37,262,124 for the same purposes.

RAILROAD ENTERPRISE.—If the projects now on foot for extended lines of new railroads, do not fail, (and we see no sound reason why they should,) a few years will see an immense improvement in the rapidity of conveyance in this country, between the far south and the far north. We see it noticed, in reference to the Pittsburg and Cleveland Railroad, that besides the subscription of \$100,000 in her corporate capacity, the citizens of Cleveland have subscribed \$50,000 in their individual capacity. The route from Hudson to Cleveland is to be immediately surveyed, with a view to put under contract in July.

SYMPATHY FOR INDIANS.—A large meeting of ladies and gentlemen was held in Philadelphia, on Friday, the 7th inst. Mr. Linn Brown presiding, to take counsel as to the best means of preserving, civilizing, &c., of the Indians. A memorial to Congress was adopted for concentrating the tribes at two principal locations this side the Rocky Mountains.

FRACAS AND DEATH.—At a fire in New York, 8th inst., some dispute arose between Michael Bradley and Chauncey Ennis; when the latter, it is said, in self-defense, struck the former a blow which caused his death. Ennis immediately went to the police office and delivered himself up to the officers.

BRIGHT ROMANCE AND DARK REALITY.—The New York papers of the 10th, tell a sad tale of the young Miss Mary Decker, of Staten Island, fell in love with Charley Garret—how Mary's parents forbid the match—how Mary eloped with Charley and married him—how they lived in clover for two or three days—and how poor Mary then discovered that Charley was a villain, and had a first wife and child not far off. At the last accounts, some big-boned oysterman, (Mary's father was a dealer in clams and oysters,) were in pursuit of Master Garret, with a strong probability that they would catch him, and a dead certainty that they would fly him alive if they did.

COMMUNICATED.—Messrs. Editors of the Crescent, we are through the medium of your valuable paper, to inform you that we have received a copy of one of your issues, which we have perused with interest. We are glad to see that you are not only a fair and impartial reporter, but also a judicious and judicious editor. We are glad to see that you are not only a fair and impartial reporter, but also a judicious and judicious editor.

ATLANTIC, LAKE AND MISSISSIPPI TELEGRAPH. (Including the New Orleans Line, through the Mountains.) As I have now extended the "Atlantic, Lake and Mississippi Telegraph" from the Atlantic Seaboard to the Gulf of Mexico, I have now a continuous line of telegraph from the Atlantic Seaboard to the Gulf of Mexico, I have now a continuous line of telegraph from the Atlantic Seaboard to the Gulf of Mexico, I have now a continuous line of telegraph from the Atlantic Seaboard to the Gulf of Mexico.

THE GRAEFENBERG SARASAPILLA COMPOUND.—This elegant and unadorned PAIN EXTRACT OF SARASAPILLA is a discovery of the most valuable and important nature, and is a remedy for all the diseases of the human system, and is a remedy for all the diseases of the human system, and is a remedy for all the diseases of the human system.

STEAMBOAT DEPARTURES THIS DAY. Pittsburgh—HUNKER HILL, Keokuk, 5 P. M. Pittsburgh—HUNKER HILL, Keokuk, 5 P. M. Pittsburgh—HUNKER HILL, Keokuk, 5 P. M.

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FINE PANAMA HATS AT \$3 50. I HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF PANAMA HATS, which I offer at the above low price of \$3 50.

EXTRA! EXTRA! BRAVERIA'S—SUITABLE for Overseas or Planters—a large supply on hand.

FINE DRAB VISTA HATS. A FURTHER assortment, just received.

STORAGE FOR COFFEE. We can take on Storage, on one floor, second story, in a well-ventilated building, all kinds of Coffee, and store from 20 to 30,000 bags. Also, in our Coffee store, we find it to our advantage to call and confer with our warehousemen.

JUST RECEIVED. BATHS—SUITABLE for Overseas or Planters—a large supply on hand.

NOTICE. A NOTICE appeared in the public papers of this city on the 15th inst., charging Mr. B. W. KIMBALL, with having stolen a certain quantity of goods from the store of Mr. J. H. BUNCE, 30 Canal St.

WESTERN AND PHOENIX.—The subscribers, having received a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods, and having a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods, and having a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods.

TRUNK REPOSITORY. R. HOVEY, Manufacturer of Trunks, No. 188 Pearl Street, New York, would inform the public that he has a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods, and having a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods.

WASHINGTON HOTEL. Lake-end of the Pontchartrain Railroad. The present season, we have a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods, and having a large quantity of Western and Phoenix, and other goods.

THE RESTAURANT. The Restaurant, will at all times be supplied with the Fish that the Lakes produce, such as Pompano, Blue Fish, Croakers, Trout, Salted Fish, etc., besides all the delicacies of the New Orleans market.