

BEETHOVEN.

The German Centenary Celebration at Bonn.

Performance of the Master Works of the Great Composer.

Bonn, August 23, 1871. After a year's postponement, on account of the war, the birthplace of Beethoven has celebrated the centenary of this great composer in a manner which again proves how genuine in the German love of art. During the four days allotted to the celebration the master works of the great musician have been performed in a style which will ever be a bright recollection to the amateurs who braved the heat of midsummer to enjoy the rare artistic treat.

This was a magnificent performance, and was deemed by many to be the most elegant and recherché feature of the whole affair. The concert was held in the hall of the Bonn Conservatory, and was attended by a large number of the most distinguished artists and members of the chorus, the representatives of the press and a number of invited guests. The program was most interesting, and included the most valuable works of the great composer. The performance was a triumph, and the hall was filled to the top.

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STATE TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

The Anti-Drum Party in Conclave—Frishtick Picture of Political Parties—A State Ticket Nominates Opposition to the Local Prohibition Law. Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1871. The State Convention of the Anti-Drum party was held here to-day. The Convention was called to order by Simon Brownell, of Washington.

LIFE ON THE WATER.

On the Explosions of Steam Boilers, Collisions, Shipwrecks, &c. The writer-if space can be found for it—would like to tell a little story in explanation of his situation as to what has fallen on the topics he has indicated in the title. An honest backwoods Jersey man had caught a load of wild pigeons in his nets and brought them for sale to Chatham square.

MIMICKING MERMAIDS.

Exhibitions and Contest at the Free Swimming Bath—Old and Young Ladies—Contest for Prizes—An Army of Boatmen Unemployed. The free bathing house at the foot of Fifth street, East River, was yesterday afternoon the scene of a very pleasant reunion of frequenters of the place.

THE MINSTREL BOYS.

Minstrel Operations—Two Wives at a Time. At Jefferson Market yesterday a young man, aged twenty-one years, named John Kelly (not the curly-headed John, alias Christie, alias Wilson, alias Devere, who states that he is a theatrical performer, and who is in connection with traveling variety minstrel troupes, was arraigned on a charge of bigamy.

AN ENIGMA.

A Maryland Negro Praised the Doctors.

He Declares that Fire Has No Effect Upon His Flesh. He Eats Rotten Lead, Handles with Bare Hands Red-Hot Iron and Does any Number of Stunning Things.

The Doctors Witness His Exhibition and Pronounce Him Fireproof.

A Full Description of the Man and His Performances with Fire. EASTON, Talbot Co., Md., August, 1871. The magician was surrounded with the thousand appliances, both mechanical and chemical, necessary to the successful operation of that calling, performed feats that startled the beholder, and seem to be unmitigated as controverting well established philosophical laws.

THE PRACTICE OF CRIGANARY.

Every gentleman present was there for the purpose of detecting, if possible, any trick or fraud in the performance of the negro in his performance. Whatever solution may be had of this matter, it is the matter set forth above, without the use of any mechanical or chemical appliances.

THE MOTHERS OF NINE CHILDREN.

There were in an abortive case of hanging suits, presenting a choice variety of every style of form, figure and beauty. At an early stage of the proceedings Judge Johnson, sitting on the bench, and the Fifth street and Charles street baths, came upon the scene, and with unnecessary exercise of authority, to a great extent.

AMERICAN POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

Meeting of Fruit Growers in Richmond, Va.—Distinguished Courtesy to the Delegates—South Carolina and Massachusetts Shake Heads—Magnificent Display of Fruits and Flowers—Annual Address by Marshal P. Wilder. RICHMOND, Sept. 6, 1871.

THE TEXAS INDIANS.

The Dallas Herald—An Account of the Indians who were taken to the reservation on the northern frontiers of Texas, and who were taken to the reservation on the northern frontiers of Texas, and who were taken to the reservation on the northern frontiers of Texas.

DOVER'S DELIGHT.

Jersey Military On An Excursion—Newark's crack regiment, the hamboasted "Orange" William Allen, started from that city yesterday morning on a special train, amid the plaudits of the populace and the huzzas of enthusiastic friends.

ROBBERY IN ROBOKEN.

On Tuesday evening a home in Biscopfield street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was entered by thieves and robbed of articles valued at \$150. The police authorities are hunting up the thieves. It is foolish of these officials to imagine that keeping a watch on the streets will be of any use in detecting the thieves.

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