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CELEBRATION —OF THE— FOURTH OF JULY!
Grand Excursion —OF THE— TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION NO. 3, To Miami Grove.

THE CINCINNATI TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION are making arrangements to celebrate the Fourth of July in an appropriate manner, by an excursion to MIAMI GROVE, twenty-one miles down the river, and cordially invite all who wish to celebrate the day to accompany them.

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The boat will leave the foot of Walnut-st. at 7 o'clock for Covington and Newport, and return to Walnut-st.; thence to the foot of Western-row and Fifth-st, and thence to the Grove.

Tickets $1—To be had of the Committee of Arrangements, and at the counting-rooms of the Enquirer, Times and Press; of G. H. Washabaugh, Gazette news-room, and at the boat on the morning of the Fourth. je24

SOCIAL PICNIC—TO BE GIVEN ON WEDNESDAY, July 4, at VULCAN GROVE.—The undersigned would respectfully announce to their friends, and the public generally, that they will give a Social Picnic as stated above.

The commodious and splendid steamer MARS has been engaged for the occasion, and will leave the foot of Walnut-st. at 7½ o'clock precisely, and after making the necessary landings, she will proceed to the beautiful grove, seventeen miles up the river.
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NOTICE TO LIQUOR VENDERS.—The Committee of Arrangements of the above Picnic do hereby notify all liquor venders that the sale of intoxicating drinks will positively be prohibited on the grounds, or in the immediate vicinity. Persons infringing upon the action of the Committee will subject themselves to the risk of having their liquors destroyed, and themselves debarred from any participation in the festivities of that day.
je17-1t S&W E. KEESHAN, Chairman.

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LITTLE MIAMI—[7 minutes faster than City time,] 7:30 A. M., 10 A. M. and 11 P. M. Columbus Accommodation, 4 P. M. Xenia Accommodation, 6 P. M.

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON AND DAYTON—[7 minutes faster than City time,] 6 A. M., 7:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M. and 6 P. M. Hamilton Accommodation, 8 A. M. and 3:50 P. M.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI—[12 minutes slower than City time,] 4:25 A. M. and 5:35 P. M. Louisville Accommodation, 2 P. M.

INDIANAPOLIS AND CINCINNATI SHORT-LINE—[12 minutes slower than City time,] 5:40 A. M., 11:50 A. M. and 6 P. M.

MARIETTA AND CINCINNATI—[7 minutes faster than City time,] 6:15 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.

COVINGTON AND LEXINGTON—[City time,] 5:45 A. M. and 2:25 P. M.

CINCINNATI, RICHMOND AND INDIANAPOLIS—6 A. M., 2:30 P. M., 6 P. M.

TRAINS ARRIVE.

LITTLE MIAMI—3:50 A. M., 8 A. M., 11:04 A. M. and 4:40 P. M.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI—7:30 A. M., 12:28 P. M. and 9:50 P. M.

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON AND DAYTON—7:45 A. M., 10:40 A. M., 1 P. M., 5:30 P. M., 7:35 P. M. and 9:15 P. M.

INDIANAPOLIS AND CINCINNATI—10:15 A. M., 4 P. M. and 12 P. M.

MARIETTA AND CINCINNATI—10:32 A. M. and 5:13 P. M.

COVINGTON AND LEXINGTON—10:35 A. M. and 4:58 P. M.

CINCINNATI, RICHMOND AND INDIANAPOLIS—7:45 A. M., 1 P. M., 5:30 P. M.

VARIETIES.

A thirty-seven pound muscalonge was taken in the St. Lawrence River, a few days since.

It is said that the Prince of Wales, while in this country, will go to Red River for a buffalo hunt.

Life is a journey, and they only who have traveled a considerable way in it are fit to direct those who are setting out.

The London *Field* says that about 480,000 people were on the course during the "Derby day" at the late Epsom races.

The registry of births and deaths in London for the last week in May, shows 1,517 births and 1,004 deaths.

The total number of registered electors in Great Britain is stated by a recent official return to be 1,071,975.

Street railroads are to be introduced in Birkenhead, opposite Liverpool, under the direction of Mr. Train, of New York.

A woman, Polly Ann Ridge, committed suicide from jealousy, a few days since, in Nashville, Tenn., by taking laudanum.

Don't touch the lute when drums are resounding. A wise man remains silent while fools are speaking.

Truth is never drowned; in vain you plunge her beneath the water—she always rises to the surface.

Hon. George Bancroft has at last consented to deliver the oration at the anniversary of Perry's Victory, in Cleveland, September 10.

If you are too timid to lay your hands on the girl to whom you are making love, she will think you are an unfeeling monster.

Communication is now perfect from Nantucket, Mass., to the main land by submarine telegraph.

Timothy Riordan, convicted, in Pittsburg, Penn., of murder in the second degree, for killing Patrick Guring, was sentenced, last Saturday, to six years' imprisonment.

H. M. ship *Bulldog* has been selected for the purpose of making a complete survey of the route of the proposed North Atlantic Telegraph.

Henry Prill, convicted, in Somerset County, Penn., of the murder of Eli Weimer, with whose wife he had formed a criminal intimacy, was hung on Friday.

A magnificent silver service was presented to Hon. Gerard Stith, the retiring Mayor of New Orleans, by a number of his friends, a few days since.

The Saratoga (N. Y.) *News* says that Mr. Phillips, residing in that village, shot a black snake on Sunday, which measured seven feet in length.

A young American in Paris, who recently followed a gay lorette home, believing he had made a conquest, was robbed of $500 at her house.

One great difference between Japan and the United States is, that if you insult a man there, he rips his own bowels out, while if you insult one here, he rips out yours.

In Boston, the other morning, a man laboring under *delirium tremens* was found hanging by his hands to the eaves of a three-story house.

One day this week, Jesse Adams, of Boggs Township, Penn., died from the effects of a boil, which came out on a point of his chin a short time previous.

A pipe of gin and sixteen casks of rum were seized by the authorities in Worcester, Mass., the other day, at the freight depot of the Boston and Worcester Railroad.

The Japanese at New York have ordered a small copy of Thorpe's painting of the Falls of Niagara, which they intend to take home with them.

Brother Jonathan thus describes a steamboat: "It's got a saw-mill on one side and a grist-mill on t'other, and a blacksmith shop in the middle; and down in the cellar there is a tarnation great pot boiling all the time.'.

Harriet Martineau says that cats may be prevented from killing chickens by tying a dead chicken to the neck of the cat that has acquired this habit, and obliging her to drag it around for two or three days.

The three celebrated race-horses, "Planet," "Congaree," and "Daniel Boone," have been entered in a sweepstakes for $5,000, to be run on the Fashion Course, Long Island, during the coming autumn.

Frank Eastman, eleven years old, of Gilmantown Corner, N. H., while playing on an ox cart, recently, was thrown to the ground, and the wheel passing over his neck, killed him instantly.

The Reading (Pa.) *Gazette* says there are fourteen offices in the gift of the people of Lancaster County, this fall, for which there are no less than eighty-two candidates, in one party alone.

The Japanese are said to be quite tolerant in religious matters. If they are so, it is well for them that their stay here is brief; for they would soon become infected with our intolerance.

The New Yorkers are said to be anxious to hurry the Japanese off, because the "barbarians," by their superiority in morals and manners, put the enlightened Gothamites to the blush.

The Court of Common Pleas, of Lancaster, Penn., recently decided that widows and single women, engaged in store-keeping, whose annual sales do not exceed $500, are exempt from the mercantile tax.

A man in Syracuse, N. Y., has opened a billiard saloon, and devotes it during a part of the week to the use of the fair sex. Billiard-playing is a healthful exercise for women.

The Harbor of Sevastopol—The Malakoff—The Ruins of the War.

A foreign correspondent of the Philadelphia Evening *Bulletin* writes thus in a recent letter:

The harbor of Sevastopol is much like the Golden Horn—an arm of the sea, a mile wide, running up a mile or two, between high unwooded banks. It is one of those places destined, one would think, for a great city, and which will come some day. Russia made it as it was, as a threat and point of departure against Turkey; and bitterly has she paid for it. Driving off, in true Russian style, between long stretches of once splendid houses, halls, and temples, all ruined and fallen open to the sky; crossed ever by other streets in the same condition—a ruin so complete that Pompeii itself seems no more a city of the dead than does Sevastopol—we arrived at the ruins of the docks, which are now grass-grown, every vestige of masonry having disappeared. It is hard to imagine how such immense masses could have been destroyed, even with the use of gunpowder. Of Fort Alexander, opposite Constantine, not a vestige remains. The walls inclosing these docks are still standing, yet pierced everywhere by cannon balls and defaced by grape. Sevastopol is fearful in its desolation.

We then rode to the cemetery of the English and the hill of Malakoff. The whole ground around is plowed by shot and shell; the tower, a pile of ruins. Many men are yet employed—four years after—in gathering the masses of iron—the poor harvest of the bloody sowers—and the work is not yet done. This hill, the highest near the town, and whose possession caused the instant retreat of the Russians, is not much higher or more commanding than the others, and it is no wonder the Allies—not near it—were so long in finding it to be the key of the position. I gathered grape and Minie balls, and for ages will every upturned turf tell this story of almost superhuman courage and devotion. The cemeteries are in good order, yet the frosts of spring have already done much to remove the memorials of those gallant fellows who laid down their lives there.

Thence around to the Fourth Russian Bastion, where we saw mines made by Todleben, and countermines by the French. The terrible artillery of the French were here advanced to less than one hundred yards of the Russians! Of course nothing human could stand such a fire; but the fall of the Malakoff made it at once untenable, and the Russians made their glorious retreat—perhaps the most glorious in history. I saw here rocks which had been thrown up by these enormous mines. The magnitude of these operations here is almost overpowering. How was it possible for the French ever to get so near, with such murderous artillery, in the face of unlimited number and skill on the part of the Russians. We saw the field of Inkermann, "a near thing," as every Englishman says, and rode around by the English quarters, marked by the ruins of huts, by a road running in a picturesque ravine with rocky sides, pierced in ages far remote with graves. Then returning, with our minds filled with these pictures of desolation, it needed not another view of this dead city, of its roofless walls and fallen structures, to realize the total destruction of Sevastopol.

GRAND AMPHITHEATER OF SNOWY HILLS.—A letter dated at Sukum Kale, in Circassia, contains this description:

This harbor is amid an amphitheater of snowy mountains, such as can not be seen in all Switzerland. Elbrous, one hundred miles off, is conspicuous. It is near eighteen thousand feet high, and has many compeers. All along, as far as the eye can distinguish, these snowy giants extend on the left; we face the bottom of this roadstead, and all along the right, for many a league, stretches another chain alike in grandeur. This is the most wonderful point of view on the sea level that can be conceived of. The shores are low, but the hills rise very soon, and are followed by range upon range, till the high mountains, forming the greater part of the back ground, rise up darkly in the distance, till the eye meets the line of the snow, sparkling and gleaming in the morning sun.

A DANDY ROBBED FOR HIS ASSURANCE.—During a recent severe shower a man was walking down Broadway, in New York, sheltering himself under a large family umbrella, when a young dandy, well-known in fashionable circles, thought to improve the opportunity. He hurriedly accosted the stranger, inquiring for his health, family, &c., and proceeded to narrate an adventure of his. By the time he had concluded the story he had arrived at his place of destination, when bidding good day he left the owner of the umbrella to conjecture who had presumed upon his acquaintance. The young man was congratulating himself upon having escaped a wetting by his address, when he found his watch missing. He speedily looked up a police detective, and learned, upon describing the man upon whom he had been practicing his assurance, that he was a well-known pickpocket, whose portrait has graced the Rogue's Gallery for two years.

LOUIS NAPOLEON A RELATIVE OF THE SULTAN OF TURKEY.—A Paris correspondent says Louis Napoleon is of kin to the present Sultan of Turkey, he is a grandson of Josephine Tascher de la Pagerie, who married a De Beauharnais and afterward the Bonaparte. One of her companions and very near kinswomen, was a girl two years younger than herself, (Josephine was born in 1764, her companion was born in 1766,) named M'lle Aimee Dubuc de Rivery. This young lady's fortune carried her to Constantinople, where she became the favorite of the reigning Sultan, and the present Sultan of Turkey is her grandson! The island of Martinique, has consequently given to Europe three female sovereigns—the Sultaness Valida, (M'lle Aimee Dubuc de Rivery,) the Empress Josephine, (M'lle Tascher de la Pagerie,) and the wife of Louis XIV, M'me de Maintenon.

THE HORRORS OF ENGLISH PAUPER LIFE—A MAN SCALDED TO DEATH.—The horrors of an English pauper's life may be imagined from an item in an English paper which states that Richard Manning, aged sixty-two years, a lunatic pauper in the Work-house of St. Matthew's, Bethnal Green, was taken to the bath-room and placed in the bath, which was scalding hot. He screamed, and when dragged out was scalded over the whole surface of the body and in a shocking state of suffering. Medical assistance was immediately rendered, but Manning gradually sank and died.

WIFE DESERTION AND WIDOW ELOPEMENT. A report is in circulation in Auburn, N. Y., that a gentleman of that city, hitherto respectable, has eloped with an attractive widow, with whom he was on intimate terms. The gentleman left about two weeks ago for New York, but all inquiries there have failed to discover his whereabouts. The handsome widow left town about the same time. The gentleman deserted an interesting and amiable wife.

"OLD BUCK" DEFENDING HIMSELF.—It is reported that the President is preparing a document, which will be sent to the country, "showing up the objects and intentions of the whole pack of maligners who have endeavored covertly to injure and defeat his Administration."

AN UNPARDONABLE SIN IN A SERVANT. "Why did you leave your last place?" inquired a housekeeper, about to engage a servant. "Why, you see, ma'am," replied the applicant, "I was too good looking, and when I opened the door the folks took me for the missus and missus for me."

A Camp of Wandering Tartars—Their Appearance at Worship.

A correspondent thus writes from the east coast of the Black Sea:

We visited a camp of wandering Tartars near—true nomades of the plains. Many of the women were engaged in cooking doughnuts, which looked very good, but, from some small experience in such matters, I declined tasting them. As the wind always blows on the plains the live on, they dig a wedge-shaped hole in the ground to build a fire in; putting the pot in the little end, always to leeward, that the flames and smoke may blow against it. The men wear a sheep-skin uniform, consisting of hat, (wool out,) coat and pants, (wool in,) generally a long poinard or pistols in the belt. Water is always scarce with these people, and they grow very economical in the use of it. I saw quite a good-looking girl (making very heavy allowances for dirt and dress) washing her whole abundant head of hair in a bowl that did not hold a pint. Their miserable wagons run on wheels without tires, and often in pieces.

The dirt of these gentry, living as they do on the open plain, is a strong feature, and you pass to leeward of their camp at your peril. Two bodies of men were arranged in two long lines, each with a priest before them, going through their orisons. Each man sat upon a sheep-skin, and followed the chant and prostrations of the leader. I could not find out their religion, people say they are Mohammedans, but I doubt it. Yet they worship in a beautiful temple—a green-sward, plentifully sprinkled with flowers, this lovely May-day, extending, sloping down to the bay; on the right the rolling hills stretched around till the furthest promontory ran out into the sea in a line with the waters of Azof, which met the horizon; beyond, on the far side, other rolling, treeless hills, on which were thinly sprinkled the houses; before the blue waters of the Strait and the little city, with its squares and places, and many striking buildings, rising gradually to the commanding hight on their left, on which stood an old and ruined church and pillared museum.

Interesting Discoveries in Athens.

The Providence (R. I.) *Journal* gives the following translation of interesting discoveries recently made in Athens:

Eastward of the church of "Kapnakaraei," at a place where, according to Mr. Pittakis, a temple of Ceres stood, a very curious inscription in Attic letters, on a marble slab, has been discovered by workmen while making the sewer in Mercury-street. It is a minute record of charges for copper, lead, tin, &c., used in making the figures that adorned the pedestal of the statue of Ceres. It gives also the price of labor expended on the figures, and the expenditures for lead and timber used in building the platform or steps for raising within the temple the great pedestal, which was constructed of stones fastened together with clamps. It contains also a memorandum of expenses for setting up two statues upon this pedestal, and of the method of elevating such massive bodies, and fastening them to the base. The sum total expended is five talents, and three thousand four hundred drachmas.

In the town of Megara also, a large and interesting inscription, belonging to the Byzantine times, has been found. It states definitely the wages of teachers, musicians, archeologists, grammarians, lawyers, and the like.

In the Paecile Stoa likewise, a decree has been discovered, relating to the irruption of the Goths, 279 B. C., their defeat at Delphi by the Aetolians, Athenians and other Greeks, and to the festival commemorating this victory and deliverance, which was celebrated every third year at Athens.

THE NEW SYSTEM OF CHECKS ON RAILROADS. A new system of tickets has been adopted upon one or two railroads, which is designed to facilitate the settlement of accounts with the several station agents. Every ticket is numbered, commencing with "0" and going up to "1,000,000," and then commencing at "0, A" and increasing again. By this arrangement the number of tickets sold from any given station may be ascertained at any moment, without reckoning. The last ticket sold denotes the number. The tickets of each station are numbered separately.

BALLOON ASCENSION BY A FEMALE AERONAUT.—Miss Myra Rosella made her long-promised ascension, in the balloon "Venus," from Palace Gardens, in New York, on Tuesday. There was a large attendance in the garden, and throughout the city the most lively curiosity was manifested to witness the ascension. Previous to ascending, she thanked the audience for their attendance, and promised to land safe. The balloon took a south-east direction, and probably landed somewhere on Long Island about eight o'clock in the evening.

CONNUBIAL EFFECT OF PROPERTY.—For the benefit of the census takers, it is proposed that each head of a family make out a list of the value of the property he may own, and give it to his wife, that she may be able to answer the census man's questions in his absence. This plan is open to one serious objection. If every woman knew precisely what her husband was worth there would be a great depreciation in conjugal affection throughout the land.

SINGULAR AND FATAL CAMPHENE LAMP EXPLOSION.—The little daughter of Frederick Hull, in New London, Conn., while returning home from a store with some burning fluid, came across some children who were amusing themselves with a bonfire, and stopped to join them. By some unknown means the fire communicated to the fluid in the can, and an explosion followed by which the little girl was so injured that she died in a few hours.

THE DISINTERESTED MODERATION OF ENGLAND. The last advices from England have brought intelligence that Great Britain has accepted the sovereignty of the Fejee Islands, which was made to it a short time since. The same offer was made to the United States about three years ago and declined. The result is another proof of the disinterested moderation of England, and of the grasping propensity of the United States.

HOW TO PRESERVE FLOWERS.—It is said that vases of flowers will retain their beauty and fragrance much longer if a little carbonate of soda is dissolved in the water in which they are placed. In this way flowers may be kept fresh and sweet for a fortnight.

THE FIRST ARRIVAL OF SUGAR FROM MEXICO.—A cargo of sugar, the first imported, was recently received in New York, from Campeachy, Yucatan. It is pronounced a good, strong article, fully equal to the Cuban, in the hardness of its crystals, when refined.

ANOTHER CHURCH STRUCK BY LIGHTNING. The German Lutheran Church of Johnstown, Penn., was struck by lightning during a recent thunder storm. The electric fluid struck the slender spire which topped out the belfry, shivering the former to fragments, and descending by the latter to the roof, where it tore a track through the shingles to the eaves, thence descending by the spouting to the ground.

LITTLE CAPACITY REQUIRED TO DESTROY.—Burke says: "The shallowest understanding, the rudest hand, is more than equal to the task of pulling down and destroying. Folly and rage can dilapidate more in half an hour, than wisdom, deliberation, and forecast, can build in many years."

Horace H. Day, the famous and wealthy India-rubber man, commenced his life with only twenty-five cents.

Decease of an Old English Journal—Interesting Reminiscences.

The publication of one of the oldest newspapers printed in the English language is about to be discontinued. It is announced, says the New York *Evening Post*, that the interest in the London *Morning Chronicle* was purchased some time since by the proprietor of the *Morning Post*. The *Chronicle* will be issued, as usual, until the first of August; after that date it will cease to appear. This intelligence will not surprise any one who is acquainted with the extraordinary progress made by the cheap press in Great Britain within the last few years. One could wish, however, that the *Morning Chronicle* had not been the first victim to this aggressive spirit of progress. There are associations connected with that journal of no little interest. It was in the *Morning Chronicle* that Sir Philip Francis—or somebody else—under a well-preserved incognito, gave to the world the "Junius Letters," the fame of which has not been confined to those countries where the English language is spoken.

These letters appeared in the *Chronicle* during the term of office of its first editor, Woodfall, who introduced into his paper the custom of regularly reporting the debates in Parliament, a new feature in English journalism at the time. Woodfall was considered "a recklessly brave person" for having given publicity to the ideas of Junius, Burke, Fox and Sheridan. Tom Moore, Campbell, Goldsmith, Byron and Dickens may also be numbered in the brilliant array of writers for "the good old Whig of the Strand." From Morgan McCarthy, the "joking genius," who imposed the famous "potato speech" on a drowsy brother chip as the genuine Parliamentary peroration of an indignant Irishman smarting under his country's wrong, to poor James Irwin, whose death occurred about a month since, the staff of the *Chronicle* was remarkable for its ability.

The *Morning Chronicle* was established in 1770, eighteen years before the *Times*. In noticing its progress, an eminent English author makes a statement to which we would respectfully ask the attention of those gentlemen who are continually instituting invidious comparisons between "the rough and ready journalism" of the United States and "the high-toned spirit of the British press." "The *Chronicle*," says the author of *England Under the House of Hanover*, "like the *Times*, began its career in accordance with the taste of that age (1770), with courting popularity by detailing most indelicate private scandals, and with coarse libels on public as well as private characters." It would seem from this that the antecedents of our London cotemporaries are not so spotless as they would have us believe. But the *Chronicle*, when the only means by which it could then succeed had carried it to popularity and affluence, took a noble course. "There is more brilliancy in the *Morning Chronicle* than in the *Times*, without the formality and without the effort. The *Times* takes up no falling cause; fights no up-hill battle; advocates no great principle. It is 'ever strong upon the stronger side.'" These words were written by Hazlett sixty years ago.

A WOMAN CANVASSER IN IRELAND—SHE SINGS HER HUSBAND INTO OFFICE.—A correspondent of the Waterford *Mail* gives the following anecdote of the late election for Clare:

The contest turned wholly upon personal popularity, and Calcutt, who is a farmer-like, jolly Irish gentleman, was better calculated to win upon the people than the fashionable young captain of a crack corps. His wife, too, would make the fortune of any candidate. A fine, dashing woman, she rode about the country in the carriage with her husband in his canvassing expeditions; and, when he was one day in a public house, seeing a parish committee, and she was outside in a barouche, awaiting his return, the frieze coats gathered round the vehicle, and giving three cheers "for her honor," called upon her to make a speech.

Prompt as lightning, she replied, "I won't trouble you, my friends, with my oratory, but I'll sing you a song, which an Irishman, with music in his soul, would any day prefer to a speech;" and with that, in a clear and pleasant voice, she struck up "Let Erin Remember," and followed the ditty with several other melodies of Tommy Moore. A person who witnessed the scene assured me there was nothing incongruous about it; the lady sung her best, and entered into the spirit of her song, and the frieze coats listened entranced. From that moment forth, during the canvass, she never appeared in public without having to sing a song.

A BRACE OF CONUNDRUMS BY LORD PALMERSTON.—The London correspondent of the New Orleans *Delta* says: "I told you in my last about Delaine, the editor of the *Times*, being received in so friendly a way by Palmerston, and that it has raised the ire of the Premier's foes. But His Lordship must have his *bon mot* at the expense of the affair; so the last thing in town attributed to Lord Palmerston is this conundrum: "Why are my dinners like Lady Palmerston's dresses? Because they are muzzling Delaine" (*mousseline de laine*); and so also his chop-fallen colleague, Gladstone, who has got them all into a muss, is made the subject of conundrum number two: "Why is Gladstone like lobster salad? Because he is very good, but disagrees with every body."

JAPANESE OBSERVATION OF THE SABBATH. One of the Japanese doctors, Kas Assake, attended Dr. Chapin's Church on Sunday morning, and listened with much apparent interest to an eloquent sermon, in which frequent allusions to the Embassy were made. During the day several of the Japanese visited Trinity Church, ascended into the spire, examined the bells, and took sketches of the scenery. Others went to Jones's Wood and to the Battery, or took rides up town. Sunday was to them a day of recreation rather than repose.

THE BELT EXCITEMENT IN ENGLAND.—A correspondent writes from London: "The belts were made by the greatest and most fashionable silversmiths in London, and were exhibited for two days, during which time an incessant stream of aristocratic ladies came to have a look at the trophies. Police had to be employed to keep the passage clear—and at last the belts were sent away in terror by the silversmith, who was afraid of losing some of his gems in the excitement which took place."

A BEAU'S CHIEF SORROW.—Beau Brummel once had his pocket picked. The pecuniary loss he bore with the greatest equanimity, but declared that he would hang, if he met with them, the ungentlemanly villains who, by neglecting to rebutton the pocket of his pantaloons, had caused him to walk the length of the street with his pocket turned inside-out.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT TO A SOMNAMBULIST.—A somnambulic German, Joseph Geiger, walked out of a window of the North River Hotel, in Troy, N. Y., the other night. The window overlooked the river, and the unfortunate man striking on a projection of the dock, fell into the water. His outcries brought assistance, and he was rescued with only a leg broken.

RESPONSIBILITY OF NOTARIES PUBLIC.—Losses have occasionally been sustained by the oversight or neglect of Notaries in transmitting notices of protest. The Massachusetts Courts have decided that as a Notary is an officer of the State, the bank employing him is not liable to their customers for losses by negligence on his part. Another view is held by the New York Courts.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

Political News—Douglasites will not Unite on an Electoral Ticket.

PHILADELPHIA, June 29.—For the Douglas ratification meeting in Independence-square, Saturday night, Reverdy Johnson, John Cochrane and Major Herran, of Louisiana, are promised certain, with other eminent speakers. Notwithstanding the briefness of the notice, an enthusiastic manifestation is anticipated.

It is stated on good authority that the Douglasites will refuse all overtures on the part of the Breckinridgers to unite on the Electoral ticket, and will demand an expression of preference from the Electors appointed by the Reading Convention, and amend the list if necessary.

DETROIT, MICH., June 28.—Most of the nominations at the Convention yesterday were made by acclamation. The proceedings were generally harmonious. It was announced that General Cass was in the city. A motion to invite him to attend the Convention was laid on the table. A subsequent motion to recall it was voted down by a decisive majority, as was a resolution indorsing the foreign and domestic policy of the present National Administration. Resolutions approving the nomination of Douglas and Johnson were enthusiastically passed.

Notwithstanding the rain, this evening, a ratification meeting, large and enthusiastic, is being addressed by several speakers, from different stands.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., June 29.—There was a great ratification meeting of the nomination of Breckinridge and Lane last night, at which the enthusiasm was tremendous. A. R. Smith's address elicited great applause. He was followed by several others.

CONCORD, MASS., June 28.—The Republican demonstration to-night, ratifying the nomination of Lincoln and Hamlin, is a grand and imposing affair, embracing a torch-light procession, illuminations, etc.

The mass meeting is held in the State-House-square, where addresses are being made by Hon. E. H. Robbins, Gen. Goodwin, Ex-Governor Colby and others. Altogether, it is one of the most enthusiastic demonstrations ever held in the State.

PORTLAND, ME., June 28.—The Democratic Convention passed strong resolutions indorsing Douglas and non-intervention.

After their adjournment, a large Douglas ratification meeting was held, and addresses were made.

Overland Mail News.

SPRINGFIELD, MO., June 29.—The Overland Mail, with San Francisco papers of the 8th inst. and telegraphic advices of the 9th, passed here at four o'clock this morning.

Since the skirmish with the Indians on the 2d, near Pyramid Lake, the volunteers under Col. Hays have been unable to bring on any more fighting. It was thought the Indians had fled. San Francisco had contributed $4,000 for supplies for the volunteers.

A full list of persons killed by the Indians in the Carson Valley region, since the Indians have become hostile, has been published, amounting to over eight hundred men.

Judge Terry has applied for a change of venue, on the ground that he can not obtain a fair trial in San Francisco.

Judge H. P. Hann, late United States Senator, died on the 6th inst.

Returns from two southern counties in Oregon are received. Jackson County gives Shiel, (Democrat), for Congress, 830; Logan, (Republican), 463; Josephine County, reported, Shiel 289, and Logan 137. Logan's vote in Jackson is a gain of 100 on his vote of last year. These returns are favorable for the Republicans.

Advices from San Blas, Mexico, to the 13th ult., state that two English men-of-war had landed their crew and taken possession of San Blas, and were holding it against the Liberals.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—A company of twenty picked men, well armed, left Carson City to-day, escorting the Pony Express. They will proceed to meet the express coming this way.

The Indians have fled from Pyramid Lake, without giving fight. The volunteers are to be disbanded.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—Among the acts passed by the late session of Congress, was one to carry into effect certain stipulations in the treaties between the United States and China, Japan, Siam, Turkey, Persia, Tripoli, Tunis, Morocco and Muscat, by which our laws in criminal and civil matters are extended over American citizens in those countries; also the common law of equity and admiralty.

Ministers and Consuls have full judicial powers, and can punish according to the magnitude of offense. The President is authorized to appoint seven Marshals to execute processes: One in Japan, four in China, one in Siam and one in Turkey.

Murder and insurrection, or rebellion against the Government of either of said countries, with the intent to subvert the same, are made capital offenses, punishable with death. Our Consuls and commercial agents on the Islands not inhabited by any civilized people, or whom we have not recognized by treaty, are also empowered to exercise judicial functions over American citizens.

Balloon Ascension—Judge Douglas—The Great Eastern.

PHILADELPHIA, June 29.—Professor Lowe ascended last evening in his mammoth balloon, and landed, at nine o'clock, in Medford, New Jersey.

Judge Douglas will arrive here on Saturday night, *en route* to New York, and will probably receive a serenade after the ratification meeting.

The *North American* recommends that the *Great Eastern* visit Philadelphia for a short time, if only to clear herself of barnacles in the fresh water of the Delaware.

Mutiny on a Coolie Ship.

BOSTON, June 29.—The ship *Kitty Simpson*, from Macao for Havana, with three hundred and fifty coolies, put into Table Bay, May 3. Five coolies attempted to take the ship, but were driven below, one shot and several wounded. The ringleaders subsequently received from fifty to one hundred lashes, and were secured in irons.

River News.

PITTSBURG, June 29—M.—River thirty-five inches by the metal mark, and falling. Weather cloudy and warm.

MORMONS ON THEIR TRAVELS.—The other morning some six hundred Mormons passed through Rochester, N. Y., on their way to Utah. They came up on the emigrant train, and occupied eleven coaches. Eight hundred came over on the vessel from England. A railroad official says that one coach contained the elders and their concubines. He thinks they were quite a good-looking, intelligent party, and knew just about enough to rule over their deluded followers. They were quite adverse to talking, particularly to those outside of the "ring."

SIMILARITY OF THE NEAPOLITANS TO AMERICAN SLAVES.—The Neapolitans, says Harriet Beecher Stowe, remind one of the plantation negroes of America, a merry, rollicking, ragged, careless set, to whom it is sufficient to lie in the sun and sing. They have such a passion for gay colors and musical sounds, and such a flexibility of motion and sense of he dancing and the singing element in nature.

Thomas Hoffmann, convicted in the Baltimore Criminal Court of the murder of Hugh D. O'Sullivan, has been sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in the Maryland Penitentiary.

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