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## Medicine.

**MORTIMER SLOCUM, M. D.,**  
Tenders services to those citizens of San Antonio who wish to have medicine administered according to the Homoeopathic Law of cure.  
Office on Main street, two doors west of Post-Office. dly

## NOTICE.

HAVING been educated as Midwife in Germany, and having done business as such with good success for long years, I solicit the patronage of the public of San Antonio and its neighborhood, and promise to justify the confidence which the public may place in me.  
My residence is Alamo street, near Feldmann's Bakery.  
MARY KLARBE, no49-1f  
San Antonio, August 30, 1866.

## MRS. ECKEL,

Graduate of "Marburg Institute, Europe," offers her services to the people of San Antonio as Midwife. Her long and varied experience in this service renders her one of the best professions.  
Residence, Main Avenue, opposite house of Mr. William Elliot. 6-ly.

## Law, etc.

**BOWERS & WALKER,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
Office—Congress Avenue.  
(no. 11-ly) Austin, Texas.

**JESSE STANCEL,**  
Attorney & Counsellor at Law,  
GALVESTON, TEXAS.  
Prompt Attention to Business.  
May 11, 1866. no34ly

**FOCKE & WILKENS,**  
COTTON FACTORS,  
AND  
General Commission Merchants,  
OFFERMAN'S BUILDING, GALVESTON.  
Exchange on New Orleans New York, London, and Hamburg. Jan 8ly

**LEIGH & DITMAR,**  
LAWYERS,  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
OFFICE FRENCH'S BUILDING, ROOM NO. 15.  
142ndwif

**NEWTON & PICQUE,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
414-3rdwif SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

## Law Notice.

Thomas M. Paschal will hereafter be associated with the undersigned in all new business entrusted to their care in Texas.  
A. & G. W. PASCHAL,  
Attorneys at Law.  
August 9th 1867f

**THEO. HERTZBERG & J. HOYER,**  
Notaries Public,  
COMMERCE STREET,  
Two doors east of Nette's Drug Store,  
sep18y SAN ANTONIO.

## Hotels.

**INGRAM HOUSE,**  
VICTORIA, TEXAS,  
WILLIAM J. NEELY, Proprietor.  
This House is furnished and opened for the public. Good Stabling on the premises.  
Jan 23d&w3m

**WASHINGTON HOTEL,**  
Galveston, Texas,  
M. F. THOMPSON,  
Proprietor.  
146-ly

**CITY HOTEL,**  
G. STEVES, PROPRIETOR,  
Indiana, Texas,  
Connected with the establishment is a superior Soda Water Fountain and Ice Cream Saloon. Ladies' patronage respectfully solicited.  
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**Klopper Hotel.**  
FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT!  
MR. KLOPPER calls the attention of her friends to the extra facilities for travelers with teams. Attached to her house is a spacious yard fronting on the river, where any quantity of stock can be secured.  
d11f] 3] Commerce street, San Antonio.

**THE TARDE HOUSE,**  
CASTROVILLE, TEXAS.  
The above named well-known Hotel is open for the accommodation of the traveling or pleasure-seeking public. The arrangements are complete throughout, and no pains are spared to make guests comfortable. To those who seek a quiet and elegant home in the country, this Hotel will suit them to a charm, and for comfort and cheapness it has no rival in the State.  
191f V. TARDE.

**PEYTON SMYTHE,**  
County Clerk Bexar county, and ex-officio Notary Public, keeps on hand Blank Deeds, Deeds of Trust, &c., for gratuitous distribution in Bexar county.  
Instruments of Writing drawn and acknowledgments taken on liberal terms. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.  
Will also prepare Proposals to the U. S. Quartermaster for Contracts; he keeps on hand printed forms, etc.  
He can be found at the County Clerk's Office, Military Plaza, San Antonio, Texas.

## Business Cards.

**HERTZBERG & SIMON,**  
Glassware, Mouldings, Pictures, Pipes, Fancy Goods, Brushes, Stationery, Music.  
**NEWSPAPER AGENTS,**  
Commerce Street,  
at S. S. Sampson's old stand,  
SAN ANTONIO.  
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**Wm. Chrysler and Anderson,**  
Manufacturers and Dealers in all kinds of **CABINET FURNITURE,**  
AND **House Furnishing Goods,**  
**FRENCH'S BUILDING,**  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
CASH paid for WOOL and HIDES.  
March 28th 1867. 94f

**DRESEL & BRIAN,**  
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS  
IN  
**Dry-Goods and Groceries,**  
HATS,  
SHOES,  
CROCKERY,  
NOTIONS.  
San Antonio, April 26, 1867. 113f

**PHILIP CONRAD,**  
Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE  
and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress  
Maker and Upholsterer,  
**MAIN STREET,**  
Opposite York & Greenlight.  
Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of Mattresses, and offers his services for repairing furniture, paper hanging, curtains, drapery, and carpeting.  
San Antonio, May 6th. dly

**J. S. Lockwood,**  
BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,  
on Commerce street,  
opposite Bell & Bros. Jewelry store,  
San Antonio.  
Currency and Exchange bought and sold; Collectors made on all accessible points. 80 if

**W. WESTHOFF & CO.,**  
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,  
Wholesale Grocers,  
Forwarding and Commission Merchants  
And Dealers in Hardware.  
Liberal advances made on consignments of Country Produce. 13y

**SCHMIT & VOIGT,**  
GENERAL  
Commission Merchants,  
Handley's Building, 41 Pine Street,  
GALVESTON, NEW YORK.  
August 23. no48-1y

**BOGERT & OAKLEY,**  
DEPOSITORS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN  
American, English, German, & French  
Hardware,  
Cutlery,  
Guns, &c.,  
89 Pearl street, and 56 Stone street,  
NEW YORK.  
Orders promptly executed at lowest prices. No Travelers or Drummers employed. All goods bearing our stamp warranted extra quality. sep5 6m

**HANCOCK & WALKER,**  
Commission & Forwarding Merchants,  
No. 203 South Second,  
ST. LOUIS, MO.,  
36w

**KRAUDEL & POSERT,**  
Have just opened a first class  
Confectionery  
On Commerce St. opposite Nette's Drugstore.  
Weddings, Balls, and Parties, furnished with the finest Cakes, on short notice.  
Pyramids made to order.  
They will also keep on hand a full assortment of Confectioneries of every description together with FANCY GROCERIES, &c.  
San Antonio, Dec. 2f d14&w3m

**R. FEINBERG & CO.,**  
Importers of  
French, English & German  
FANCY GOODS,  
4 & 6 Warren Street, near Broadway  
NEW YORK.  
August 23. no48ly.

**WULF & SHELTELIG,**  
Importers  
General Commercial Agents,  
CHIHUAHUA, MEXICO, TEXAS,  
San Antonio, Texas, 73  
je28 cor. Alamo & North streets]

## Business Cards.

**ALBERT TURPE,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
EAGLE PASS, TEXAS.  
The highest Cash Price paid for Hides. sep17f

**WM. SMITH BROWN & CO.,**  
Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in  
**Boots and Shoes,**  
No. 53 Chambers Street,  
sep21&w6m New York.

**J. E. COWEN,**  
IMPORTER AND JOBBER  
OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC  
**DRY GOODS,**  
**BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,**  
4 & 6 HUTCHIN'S BUILDING, FRANKLIN ST  
HOUSTON, Texas.  
Particular attention to filling orders, accompanied by cash or produce. 123f

**G. W. WARE & CO.,**  
Commission Merchants,  
AND DEALERS IN  
**Hides, Wool, &c.,**  
LAVACA, TEXAS.

REFERENCES:  
Frazier, Major & Co., New York.  
Canal Bank, New Orleans.  
W. H. H. Withersall, Esq., New Orleans.  
William Chrysler, San Antonio.  
National Bank of Texas, Galveston.  
Heyck & Helfferich, Lavaca.  
Charles Taylor, Esq., Indianola.  
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**McKENNEY & HAIGNE,**  
Receiving, Forwarding  
AND  
General Commission Merchants,  
ALLEYTON, TEXAS.  
We cheerfully recommend this firm as being prompt, reliable, and worthy of patronage.  
A. H. EDEY, Galveston, Texas.

**A. STAACKE,**  
AGENT FOR THE MANUFACTORY OF  
**Wilson, Childs & Co.,**  
PHILADELPHIA.  
Orders for any kind of their work solicited.  
San Antonio, Texas, July 8, 1867.

**J. H. KAMPMANN'S**  
New Door, Sash and Blind  
FACTORY,  
On Nacadochee street, Alamo City,  
SAN ANTONIO.  
The undersigned informs the citizens of San Antonio, and the public in general, that he is prepared to fill all orders for  
**DOORS, SASHES AND BLINDS,**  
to rip and plane Lumber, to make one and one and a quarter inch Flooring, and all other articles connected with the carpenter business.  
Seasoned Lumber of best quality of white and yellow pine, constantly on hand.  
All orders will be promptly executed.  
aug6d6m J. H. KAMPMANN.

**E. A. FLORIAN,**  
INSURANCE AGENT,  
No. 5, French's Building,  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
Capital Represented,  
**\$9,000,000**  
December 19, 1866. d3m

**NORTON & DEUTZ,**  
SUCCESSORS TO NORTON & BRO.  
**Hardware.**  
LEATHER,  
— AND —  
**Woodenware Dealers,**  
SAN ANTONIO  
Sept. 2

**CONKLIN & DAVIS,**  
SUCCESSORS TO  
**J. CONKLIN & CO.,**  
**GROCERS,**  
AND  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
No. 94 Front street,  
New York.  
L. E. CONKLIN,  
L. R. DAVIS. j628

**W. A. BENNETT,**  
Banker,  
Dealer in Exchange and Government Securities,  
San Antonio,  
Will pay particular attention to the collection of Claims at all accessible points in Texas. d&w1f

**FRANK NEWTON,**  
DRALER IN  
**STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,**  
AND COUNTRY PRODUCE,  
SOLEDADE STREET,  
Keeps constantly on hand and receiving  
**FRESH FAMILY SUPPLIES,**  
of all kinds, and at reasonable rates. 20w1f  
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of all kinds, and at reasonable rates. 20w1f

## AN AUTUMN JOY.

BY GEORGE ARNOLD.  
It is a fair autumnal day,  
The ground is strewn with yellow leaves;  
The maple stems gleam here and gray,  
The grain is bound in golden sheaves;  
Afar I hear the speckled quail,  
Pipe shrilly 'mid the stubble dry,  
And muffled beats from busy falls  
Within the yard near by.

The latest roses now are dead,  
Their petals scattered far and wide,  
The sumach berries, richly red,  
Bedeck the lanes on either side;  
A dreamy calm is in the air—  
A dreamy calm on the sea—  
Ah, never was a day more fair  
Than this, which blesses me!

I see the stacks of ripened corn—  
The yellowed mosses on the roof,  
The diamond dew drops of the morn,  
That string with gems the spider's web;  
An aure base is hanging low  
About the outline of the hills,  
An chanting swan-few southward go  
From marshes, flats, and kils.

For many years, the autumn brought  
A solemn sadness to my soul—  
It combed 'em on my lightest thought,  
And on my gayest moments stole;  
Texas sad, yet sweet—a strange alloy  
Of hope and sorrow interwined—  
This autumn brings me only joy,  
No shadow haunts my mind.

And why is this? The dead leaves fall—  
The blossoms whiten as of old;  
And winter comes, with snowy pall,  
To wrap the earth so chill and cold;  
The sea-fowl, sprung athwart the sky,  
Still chant their plaintive monotone—  
And why, when leaves and blossoms die,  
Should I feel joy alone?

Oh, ask me not—I must not tell:  
I dare not all my heart disclose—  
A fairy wove a magic spell  
Around me, when decayed the rose;  
Two gifts did fading summer bring—  
Two symbols of unending bliss—  
Upon my finger glows a ring,  
Upon my lips—a kiss!

## SPIRIT OF THE GERMAN AMERICAN PRESS

The Cincinnati Volksblatt calls A. Johnson's amnesty proclamation a nullification against the Reconstruction law. The intended effect of the amnesty would not be limited to the States lately in Rebellion, but would nullify even the laws of the States of Tennessee and Missouri, as far as those laws disfranchise all participants in the rebellion and make them incapable of holding office. The Volksblatt looks at this proffered amnesty as a plan to have the rebels, with the exception of three or four dozen, registered for the purpose of organizing secession-Democratic governments, and of preventing the supremacy of the loyal element. As a part of this plan, Gen. Sheridan and Sickles had to be removed. This proclamation, if the President should attempt to carry it out practically, must lead to a conflict with Gen. Grant, and must be as perilous to the country as Buchanan's traitorous message of 1860, in which he declared that the United States Government had no right to coerce the seceding States.

The Illinois Staats Zeitung, in its issue of last Tuesday, ridicules the essays of the Chicago Tribune for the last eight days of proving what the Constitution so clearly defines, that the President can be impeached for misdemeanors, whether they are indictable or not. The Zeitung cannot consider the founders of the Constitution as idiots, but thinks they were men of good sense and sound minds, and that the juxtaposition of impeachment and indictment had some sense. Therefore, it looks like an attempt to carry water into Lake Michigan if the Tribune spends a whole week to prove what appears as clear as the sun.

In another article the Staats Zeitung thinks that the decisive moment for Gen. Grant for action has arrived. He must command the District Commanders not to obey the President's orders, because they are illegal, and he (Gen. Grant) is responsible for the execution of the act of June 29, 1867. If then the President should attempt to break the authority of Gen. Grant, it would be Grant's duty to arrest the President and detain him a prisoner till Congress reassembles. This would appear to the world as the greatest vindication of the law in a Republic.

The Westliche Post of St. Louis applauds the platform adopted by the Republican State Convention of Wisconsin. The resolution in regard to prohibitory liquor laws and the enforcement of Sunday laws is considered as conciliatory, and as the basis upon which Germans and Americans may come to an honorable understanding.

The Post sees no cause of complaint in regard to the defeat of the Republican ticket in California. If the party allows itself to be governed by a corrupt ring of political speculators, it deserves to be beaten. Such a defeat is the best

## DIAMONDS AS CURRENCY.

The Indianapolis Telegraph considers the proclamation of amnesty as an usurpation of the powers of Congress, which ought to be followed by an impeachment, but has no confidence that Congress will punish the usurper. The Telegraph don't think that the prescribed oath will prevent one single rebel from violating the Constitution and the laws of Congress. This proclamation is the resurrection of the doctrine of States rights and secession.

## DIAMONDS AS CURRENCY.

The Duke of Brunswick, of diamond notoriety, has a rival, not only in eccentricity, but likewise in the extent of his collection of precious stones. M. Negroin is the name of this happy individual. He lately called on Mr. Yver, a well-known notary, and requested of him to look out for a Parisian hotel, the price of which was not to exceed £10,000 sterling. Mr. Yver having found a hotel which suited the great man's fancy, proceeded to make out a deed of sale. On the day fixed for the payment, the man of law was somewhat startled by receiving a handful of diamonds, instead of the gold pieces he was accustomed to. "What difference can it make?" said the nabob. "Send for an expert; he will tell you that my stones are of the purest water. I will deposit for the value of a million, if you wish, at the bank, in order that he may select those he prefers." The verification took place, the diamonds were acknowledged to be of the purest water, and thus the bargain was concluded.

A few days after this curious transaction, M. Negroin called again on Mr. Yver, and begged of him to purchase a country house for him, within a few miles of Paris. There were to be gardens, hot-houses, a park, &c. The price was to vary from £25,000 to £30,000 sterling. "Will you pay, sir, for this estate in diamonds?" "Certainly," replied M. Negroin. "I possess several millions' worth. I do not wish to dispose of them just now, because there is a fall in their price both in the Paris and London markets, but those who receive these stones in payment are fortunate; for their value is greater than their current price."

## A CONGRESS OF GERMAN POLITICAL ECONOMISTS.

### A UNIFORM MONETARY STANDARD.

The Congress of German political economists at Hamburg has given attention to the question of a uniform monetary standard. Dr. Soetbeer, of Hamburg, contended that in view of the political changes in the map of Germany, and the general striving for unity, the time is favorable for the introduction of a new currency common to all the States of the Confederation. He favored the adoption of the French metrical system, and was supported by Professor Bergius. Herr Gumbrecht opposed this proposition, on the ground that the gold standard must of necessity be introduced sooner or later, and that in the present state of transition all discussion of the subject was out of place, as long as the question of the standard was not decided it was of no use arguing in favor of any particular gold coin; and it would never do to make a distinction between the principal current coin of Germany and the proposed ideal unit of value. He therefore submitted as an amendment, "To strike through the first two articles of the resolution, and to alter the final part of Article I into the words 'and to recommend the immediate adoption of the gold standard'."

Dr. Wolf disapproved all attempts to doctor the present monetary system, and recommended a postponement of all discussion on the subject till the introduction of a new standard.

After an animated debate the questions were put to the vote, and the amendments of Messrs. Gumbrecht and Wolf were both passed.

A FINE OYSTER.—"Make," said Dr. Franklin, "a full estimate of all you owe, and all that is owing to you. Reduce the same to a whole. As fast as you collect pay over to those you owe, if you can not collect, renew your notes every year, and get the best security you can. Go to business diligently; waste no idle moments; be very economical in all things; discard all pride; be faithful in your duty to God, in private and public worship, and do unto all men as you would they should do unto you. If you are too needy in your circumstances to give to the poor, do what-ever else is in your power for them cheerfully; but if you can, always help the worthy poor and unfortunate. Pursue this course diligently and sincerely for seven years, and if you are not happy and independent in your circumstances, come to me and I will pay your debts."

THE PAN ANGLICAN SYNOD.

At length the Protestant world is electrified by the short telegraphic announcement that the great Episcopal Synod, in session in England, have issued an address denouncing Popery and ritualism and advocating Church Union.

OUTRAGES IN KARNES COUNTY.

Two parties, consisting of four persons in all, stock hunting, met recently on the Cabera in the lovely county of Karnes. One party had threatened to whip the other party.

A Mexican who had been engaged in Helena driving a team, upon leaving the place, was impeded enough to state openly in the town of Helena, and in the presence of some of the singular inhabitants of Karnes, that he had money enough to buy a team of his own, and declared his intention of doing so.

This miserable being, the victim of lawless men and of the present regime, under whose administration such scenes are of almost daily occurrence upon our frontier, crawled into the bushes by the roadside and hid himself until the next day, when a passing train, attracted by his cries, took him into a wagon and carried him to Navarro's ranch, where he died on the third day after his removal.

These are but other victims added to the long catalogue of the crimes of this region. Oh, Lord, how long is this to be? When will our military and civil authorities give security to life, by the punishment of known criminals, who are now suffered to murder with impunity inoffensive men upon the public road and in open day?

MONTANA—The St. Helena (Montana) Herald of Sept. 5, says:

The recent election for Delegate in Congress from that Territory so far as heard from being a "splendid democratic triumph," is very close, and the result doubtful. Madison county, in which Virginia City is situated, gave McLean, Copperhead, 532 majority in 1865. It gave Saunders, Rep., 300 majority at the late election. Jefferson county, which the Cops carried in 1865 by 11 majority gives Saunders, Rep., 98 majority this year.

The immediate result of the battle of Antietam was something more than the defeat of Lee; it was the emancipation of the slaves. President Lincoln told Mr. Chase that he made a vow, if Lee was driven out of the loyal States, immediately to issue the Proclamation of Freedom, and he promptly kept his promise. Is it not rather significant that neither the orator nor the poet, at the recent dedication—not even the Chief Executive of the United States—made the slightest allusion to this memorable fact?—New York Tribune.

The Treasurer of the United States reports \$240,000,000 as the amount of securities for circulating notes held in trust for National Banks. We hear of \$38,741,000 as the receipts of Internal Revenue for Saturday. The total of customs collected in five days was \$3,342,028.

IS MILITARY RECONSTRUCTION A FAILURE?

We believe that the history of the military reconstruction plan of Congress has proven at least a partial failure. A failure inasmuch as it was open to the successful attack of a contumacious president, a failure inasmuch as its provisions have worked great hardships to a large number of loyal men and left open a wide door for the admission of a host of red-handed rebels. A failure inasmuch as it has been placed secondary to the illegal civil governments existing at the time of its inauguration. The reconstruction bill distinctly declares that its object is to establish legal governments as no legal governments existed in the States lately in rebellion. Troops were stationed throughout the South; military commanders charged with the execution of the law and the preservation of the peace. A conflict arose between the civil and military Texas, the rebel governor was displaced and an eminent patriot placed in his stead, a change at once encouraging and pleasing to loyal men. A still further remedy was sought in the removal of rebel judges, but here the good work has stopped. We took the ground before the appointment of Governor Pease, and before the last session of Congress, that the only true and just policy was to carry out the spirit and intent of the reconstruction act by sweeping away every vestige of civil government, suspend every function of State authority; place keepers, in the pay of the U. S. Government, over the public records, and try offenders by military commission. We believe this to be the only true policy still. The removal of Throckmorton was a most gratifying event, but how has it effected us? Gov. Pease is in the Governor's chair but under him are a host of rebel county and town officers, who in truth rule us after the most approved method of the Confederacy. Here in San Antonio we are cursed by a rebel mayor, rebel justices, rebel collectors, etc., in fact the whole government of the State is in the hands of rebels. How does it work? Treason is rampant, to murder a Union man, black or white, is meritorious, to interfere in the least with Confederate outlaws, highly unconstitutional.

Now what role does the military play in this reconstruction force, in which the tragedy of a thousand murdered men is interwoven. They play second fiddle to the civil authorities unless some officer has temerity enough to disobey orders. A freedman is murdered in broad day light in Laverne, a few miles from here, the civil authorities make no effort to arrest the murderers, and a squad of soldiers sent to the tragic scene find no one to give them the slightest clue to the cruel deed except the affrighted freed people, who live in dread of their lives; nothing is done in the matter; according to the civil authorities, who still consider slavery a part of the civil code it was a strictly constitutional act; the rebel newspapers found abundant apology for so slight an offense as the cold blooded murder of a colored man. Recently a colored man is dragged before a rebel tribunal at the same place on the charge of theft, his friends fearing that violence would be done him went in a body to the parties who were going to try him, and demanded their authority for arresting the colored man, they answered they needed no authority; the man was taken by his friends and delivered to the military authority. This was considered a great outrage by the rebels. Sixty armed rebels enter a private meeting of freedmen and abduct four of their number; we have not heard the end of the matter. What did the military? The commanding officer, in accordance with his instructions, sent a force to assist the civil authorities. The good judgment and sense of the officer in command of the troops alone preventing the most calamitous consequences. Thus the military reconstruction has proved a partial failure. Congress will do well to remedy the mistake at once upon its meeting in November. We may worry through under the present law as it is at present enforced, but it will be a doubtful affair. Let strict military rule be established until we are in a condition to accept a civil government. The present anomalous state is disastrous to every interest of the loyal people and the government.

SHERRIDAN AT THE WHITE HOUSE.—General Sheridan called on the President yesterday and paid the usual conventional compliment due to the Commander-in-Chief from subordinate officers. The interview was so exceedingly formal that it lasted but about five minutes. —Washington Chronicle.

Latest Dispatches.

The Markets.

GARIBALDI WONT PAROLE. SOUTH AMERICAN NEWS. A Steamer Burnt at Sea. Yellow Fever on the Coast. ETC. ETC. ETC.

Money Market.

New York, Oct. 1.—Money firm and active. Gold closed at 143 3/4.

Garibaldi Refuses Parole. FLORENCE, Sept. 30.—Garibaldi refuses to give parole to Italian Government. From South America.

Lisbon, Sept. 30.—Advices from Brazil report that the allied South American fleet bombarded Paragan ports of Camparito and Aumarito, but accounts as to the result differs.

The Pan Anglican Synod. LONDON, Sept. 30.—The Pan Anglican Synod issued an address condemning ritualism, popery, and urging church union.

Steamer Burnt at Sea. NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The steamer Rapid from New Orleans on the 21st, and Havana 26th, arrived here and reports as follows:

At 2 o'clock A. M. on the 27th we discovered a vessel on fire about five miles distant, and immediately bore for her; we found her to be the steamship Liogo of Philadelphia, from New Orleans via Havana to Philadelphia. We at once sent out boats to render assistance, and after getting the passengers on board and seeing her chances of being saved was small sent word to the captain that we would lie by until the fire was extinguished or ship abandoned. At 7:30 the flames suddenly burst out from the main deck, and the captain was obliged to abandon her, leaving in the last boat with the officers. At 8 A. M. she was one mass of flames, fore and aft, and the mast fell by the board. We remained by while Captain Morse sent his first officer and chief engineer to see if there was a possibility of saving her hull, they reported her port side was burst out with heat, and that she was evidently settling. At 9 A. M. we proceeded on our course. At 10:30 we saw her again over to port side, and suppose she sunk.

Stormy Weather. On account of stormy weather were unable to finish receiving report from New Orleans last night.

Yellow Fever. HOUSTON, Oct. 3.—Deaths yesterday, 16; yellow fever, 14.

DEMOCRATIC GAINS FOR '67.

The following estimate made by the New York World has been going the rounds of the rebel press: DEMOCRATIC GAINS FOR 1867. The following are the democratic gains in round numbers, since last spring:

Table with 2 columns: State and Gain. Connecticut 3,000; Kentucky 20,000; In New Hampshire 5,000; In Rhode Island 2,000; In Vermont 5,000; In California 28,000; In Maine 14,000; In Montana 1,000; Total 78,000.

Here is a total democratic gain in seven small States and one Territory of nearly eighty thousand votes—nearly one-quarter of the entire popular majority for Lincoln in 1864 in the loyal States. In remarking upon which the N. Y. Tribune says: "Substituting the truth for the above statement, we find the following results (taking, as we have said, in the case of California the vote for 1865 instead of that of 1866, when there was no contest):

Table with 4 columns: States, 1866, 1867, Gain. Connecticut 43,974 44,808 834; Kentucky 95,979 90,225 loss 5754; New Hampsh. 50,481 32,048 2167; Rhode Island 2,316 3,178 862; Vermont 10,383 10,893 510; California 44,715 42,393 loss 2415; Maine 40,315 44,702 4386; Total 268,664 268,254 loss 410.

So it appears, by the actual record, which cannot be truthfully gainsayed, that instead of a gain of seventy-five thousand—we do not count Montana—the democracy is down for a net total loss. This will do until we get the exact official figures.

THE SOUTHERN ELECTIONS.—The New York Tribune's special say:

The dispatch of yesterday, concerning the anticipated postponement of elections in the South was official, coming from President Johnson himself. Gen. Grant has not yet had any correspondence with the military commanders on the subject. According to the President, he and Gen Grant had agreed that such a course should be taken, but although this alleged understanding has been existing for several days, General Grant has as yet taken no steps in the matter, and it is given out, semi-officially, from the War Department, that he will do nothing, either in the way of ordering or suggesting, but will leave everything with the military commanders themselves. According to this statement of the situation, if Mr. Johnson wants a postponement, he will be compelled to order it on his own responsibility.

GENERAL HANCOCK.—General Hancock has decided not to go to Baltimore to receive a present which the loyal citizens there have prepared for him. He says that the fact that he has been ordered to relieve Sheridan gives rise to the opinion that he is a copperhead, to speak in common parlance, and he is afraid that in the presentation speeches something might be said which would injure his status as a district commander. It is an agreeable fact that he has thus far, in his interviews with thousands of people of all shades of political opinion, expressed himself as a firm supporter of General Grant's policy of reconstruction, which is the same as that of Congress. In short, Hancock, though not an extreme man, is believed to be a good radical. —Washington Chronicle.

Admiral Farragut proves the maxim of Solomon, that a man diligent in his calling shall stand before kings. Late, the Kings of Denmark and Greece had the honor of standing before him.

New Advertisements.

Sale of Horses.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Oct. 2, 1867. Will be sold at Public Auction, at this Depot, under the direction of Capt. D. W. Porter, A. Q. M., U. S. A.

On SATURDAY, the 12th instant, At 10 o'clock, A. M.,

Ten (10) Cavalry Horses, condemned as unfit for the public service.

For road and farm animals good bargains may be had. Terms—Cash in Government funds. J. G. C. LEE, Brevet Lt. Col. and A. Q. M., Depot Quartermaster.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff of Medina County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that you summon, by publication, Bernard Effinger, (whose residence is unknown), personally to appear before the District Court, to be held in and for Medina County, at the Court-house thereof, in Castrolville, of said County, on the Eighth Monday after the First Monday in September, A. D. 1867, then and there to answer the petition of Anna Effinger, filed in said Court against the said Bernard Effinger, and alleging in substance: That the said Anna Effinger was lawfully married to the aforesaid Bernard Effinger, in Europe, in the Kingdom of Wurtemberg, in the year 1859; that they emigrated to this country, and were residents of Quil, in the County and State aforesaid, in the year 1862; that her said husband, Bernard Effinger, did, on the 23d day of July, 1862, at Quil, in Medina County and State aforesaid, leave her with the intention of abandonment, with two young female children, without support, and has been absent from thence until now, and that said Bernard Effinger is not a resident of this State. Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Valentine Haass, Clerk of the District Court of Medina County, [L. S.] and the seal of said Court, at Office in Castrolville, this second day of October, A. D. 1867.

Issued the same day. VALENTINE HAASS, Clerk District Court, Medina County.

Came to hand this 2d day of October, A. D. 1867. Publication ordered to be made, for four successive weeks, in the San Antonio Express.

PHILIPP HAAS, Sheriff Medina County.

SCHMITT & DUERLER, Commerce Street, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Wholesale Manufacturers OF ALL KINDS OF Crackers, Candles, Syrups, AND

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Also a Select Assortment of Fancy Groceries, Such as

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San Antonio, Oct. 2, 1867.

A Valuable Homestead for Sale At Auction!

BY MEYER, SAWYER & CO., At their Salesroom, on the east side of the Main Place in this city.

On SATURDAY, October 5, 1867, at 10 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at Public Auction, that well known residence of Mrs. Glanton, situated on Main or Commerce street.

This property is conveniently and well situated as a residence for families, and in the most desirable place for a commercial business. The title will be fully guaranteed, having been in possession of the present proprietors over twenty years.

At the same time and place, a large lot of HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.

Terms of Sale.—CASH, (Specie or its equivalent.

C. B. SIBERT, Auctioneer. San Antonio, Sept. 30, 1867.

Proposals for Army Transportation.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Oct. 1, 1867.

SEALED PROPOSALS, which must be made in duplicate, will be received at this office until Saturday, the 30th day of November next, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the transportation of military supplies for two years, from the 1st day of January next, on the following routes:

ROUTE No. 2.—From San Antonio, Texas, to Forts Chadbourne and Belknap, Buffalo Springs, and such other Military Posts and Camps as are or may be established on the Texas Frontier, south of Red River, and north of 32° north latitude.

ROUTE No. 4.—From Indianola, Texas, to San Antonio, Texas, and intervening points.

ROUTE No. 5.—From Indianola, Texas, to Austin, Texas, and intervening points. Bidders will state the rate per one hundred (100) pounds per one hundred (100) miles, at which they will transport said supplies, and must give their names in full, with residence and post office address, and if a firm, the name of each member will be separately signed.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars, signed by two or more persons, (whose responsibility must be certified to by a Clerk of a Court of Record), that the bidder will, in case the contract is awarded to him, enter upon the fulfillment thereof, and furnish good and sufficient security that he will faithfully carry out the conditions therein set forth, and each security will state his place of residence.

Separate bids and bonds are required for each route, and on each route will be required to keep on his route good mule teams, of not less than six miles each, in numbers as follows:

On route No. 2, Twenty-Five Teams. " " " 4, Seventy-Five " " " " 5, Twenty-Five "

Should, however, the transportation on any route be lessened from any cause, to such an extent as not to require the number of teams above named, it may be temporarily lessened by the officer in charge of the transportation line.

The amount of bonds that will be required of the Contractor will be Fifty Thousand Dollars, (\$50,000) on each route.

The person or persons to whom any award is made, must be prepared to execute contracts and give the required bonds at once, and be in readiness for service on the first day of January next, as before mentioned.

Satisfactory evidence of the loyalty and solvency of each bidder, and persons offered as security, will be required.

The bids will be opened on the day and hour before named, and bidders have the privilege of being present at the opening.

No proposal will be entertained that does not fully comply with the terms of this advertisement.

Any contract made under the advertisement will be subject to the approval of the Quartermaster General, and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Forms of contract may be seen at the office of the Chief Quartermaster, 5th Military District at New Orleans, the Chief Quartermaster District of Texas, at Galveston, the Post Quartermaster, at Austin, and at this office.

Proposals must be plainly endorsed "Proposals for Army Transportation," and addressed to the undersigned at this place.

J. G. C. LEE, Brevet Lt. Col. and A. Q. M., U. S. Army.

STAGE LINE.

Two commodious Stages and one baggage wagon run regularly once a month by way of Pedras Negras (Eagle Pass) to Chihuahua. This line connects at Oleniega with the stage that runs to Monterey and thence to Matamoros or Saltillo; San Luis Potosi, Zacatecas or the City of Mexico.

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The Stages are well protected by a strong armed escort. For rates of passage, specie shipments and freights, apply to

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WULFF & SCHTELIG, Agents, corner Alamo and North streets, June 28-6m San Antonio, Texas.

LEVENSTEIN & CO., Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS in

Fancy and Staple DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, &c., &c., &c. Just received a large stock of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, and will sell all at the very lowest prices. San Antonio, April 11th. 3m

EMPIRE Shuttle Sewing Machines. ARE SUPERIOR TO ALL OTHERS FOR FAMILY AND MANUFACTURING PURPOSES. Agents wanted. Address, EMPIRE S. M. CO. 615 Broadway, New York.

Local Intelligence.

THE CHOLERA APPAR.—We learn that Lieut. Clemens, who was sent to Larrenia, has returned, after seeing that the difficulty was all settled. The freedman, first arrested, was examined and proved to be innocent, thus proving that the men who first arrested him were in the wrong, and also that the presence of the military had a salutary influence upon rebel civil authorities.

INDIANS.—We learn from a citizen from Castroville that a few days since the Indians came to the vicinity of that town and stole some horses; the citizens pursued and chased the Indians, firing several shots at them, and recovered the stolen stock. The whole settlement is in a state of alarm constantly.

BRONS NOMINARS.—The examination of quite a number of witnesses took place before Justice Nordhaus yesterday in the case of the Mexican, arrested on the charge of killing Wells. We have not yet heard the decision.

SALE OF HORSES.—See advertisement of Homes for sale by Government.

The Bank of California, in San Francisco, the great money-king of the Pacific coast, now condescends to receive greenbacks on deposit, and answer checks drawn against them—thus treating them as currency, though not the currency.

For Rent.

The Store lately occupied by Messrs. Field, Enger & Co., on Solidad street, next north-east corner Main Plaza. Possession given 1st of October.

Apply to W. A. BENNETT, J. H. KAMPMANN, or S. G. NEWTON, Trustees. sep20dt

LOST.

A County Warrant, No. 805, claim 663, for \$50 00, payable to Wm. Drummond's order, issued Sept. 4, 1867.

All persons are warned against buying the same, as the undersigned intends to apply for a reissuance of the same. J. A. NAVARRO. San Antonio Sep. 27, 1867. 1f

Notice.

The Law Firm of TEEL & COCKE is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All legal business entrusted to the firm to date will receive our undivided attention until finally disposed of.

T. T. TEEL, JACK COCKE. San Antonio, Sept. 28, 1867. 1mdaw

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

A Large Lot on Commerce street. Also, Two Valuable Residences, at easy distances from the Main Plaza.

We are authorized to sell the above property at very low rates for cash. sep26 St JEFFERSON & MURPHY.

Gentlemen's Dining Room.

The undersigned having taken the building on the northwest corner of Main and Alamo streets, formerly occupied by Mr. Frank Umsheld, has repaired the premises, and will open a Gentlemen's Dining Room, and will receive Day Boarders, after Saturday, the 7th of September. sep5f Mrs. L. E. ECKEL.

LIVERY STABLE.

The undersigned gives notice to the public that he is prepared to board and livery horses at his stable on Market Street, formerly known as the "Texas" or "Bradley's Stable." His stable is the best situated for the comfort and health of animals of any in the city, with plenty of lot room to turn them in and every accommodation. The public are respectfully invited to give him a call. E. W. BULLARD. San Antonio, June 17, 1867. n153f

Farm to Sell or to Rent.

The Farm on the Cibola, at the Seguin crossing, opposite Perryman's, belonging to Mrs. Madaras, is for sale or rent upon a term of several years. It contains 340 acres, 40 of it under perfect culture, with a comfortable brick dwelling house of five rooms, and a separate kitchen. Continual running water.

Terms to be ascertained at Messrs. UHARKE's, on the Cibola creek, four miles from San Antonio. aug20f

Revenue Stamps.

Revenue Stamps of every denomination for sale at the Internal Revenue Office in French's building, No. 14. sep9f

BURTIS & FRENCH, Importers and Jobbers of CROCKERY, CHINA AND GLASS WARE. No. 12 Barclay street, (Four doors below Astor House.) je28ly. New York.

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The undersigned having procured the patent right for Bexar County, will have a supply of the Generators on hand by the 15th of September, and offers to sell them at One Dollar, specie, each. He has also been authorized to sell County Rights and Generators to all counties where said patent has not been introduced. F. SIMON, At the store of Hertzberg & Simon, San Antonio. aug102m

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THE UNDERSIGNED wish to let Fifty (50) Acres of their Field upon shares, for one or several years. The field is in a high state of cultivation, and the fence perfect. The place is only four miles from San Antonio. For particulars inquire at the farm of sep10f F. & L. UHARZY.

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