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Tenders his services to those citizens of San Antonio who wish to have medicine administered according to the Homoeopathic Law of cure.

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May 17, 1866.

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Instruments of Writing drawn and acknowledged taken on liberal terms. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

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FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT.

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This House is refurbished and opened for the public. Good Stabling on the premises.

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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.

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CABINET FURNITURE,
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CASH paid for WOOL and HIDES.
March 24th 1867.

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SHOES,
CROCKERY,
NOTIONS.

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Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment
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for repairing furniture, paper hanging, cur-
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Wholesale Grocers,
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Liberal advances made on consignments
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August 28. [no48-ly.]

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Particular attention to filling orders, accom-
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DRY GOODS,
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Flannels, Hosiery,
Gloves, Dress Shirts,
Collars and Ties,
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White Goods,
Linen Goods,
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English Crapes,
Shawls,
Cloaks,
Yankee Notions, etc., etc. 17sept1f

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Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in
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No. 53 Chambers Street,
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IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
American, English, German, & French
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Cutlery,
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Orders promptly executed at lowest
prices. No Travelers or Drummers em-
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ranted extra quality.

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tion of Claims at all accessible points in Tex-
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Cooking, Parlor and Box
STOVES.

Just received, and for sale at
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The highest Cash Price paid for
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AND DEALERS IN
Hides, Wool, &c.,
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Fraser, Major & Co., New York,
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National Bank of Texas, Galveston,
Heyck & Hefelrich, Lavaca,
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Receiving, Forwarding
AND
General Commission Merchants,
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We cheerfully recommend this firm as being
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E. A. FLORIAN,
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No. 3, French's Building,
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Capital Represented,
\$9,000,000

December 19, 1866.

CONKLIN & DAVIS,
SUCCESSORS TO
J. CONKLIN & CO.,
GROCERS,
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 94 Front street,
New York.

NORTON & DEUTZ,
SUCCESSORS TO NORTON & BRO.,
Hardware,
LEATHER,
AND
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SAN ANTONIO

Sept. 5 TEXAS.

BURTIS & FRENCH,
Importers and Jobbers of
CROCKERY,
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No. 12 Barclay street,
(Four doors below Astor House.)
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FOCKE & WILKENS,
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A. STAACKE,
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PHILADELPHIA.

Orders for any kind of their work solicited.
San Antonio, Texas, July 8, 1867.

By Telegraph.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.)
Washington Items.

WASHINGTON, December 11.—A Na-
tional Convention of dealers and manu-
facturers organized to-day. Thirty influ-
ential gentlemen from various parts of
the country were present. Committees
were appointed, after which the conven-
tion adjourned.

The following is a more full account
of the important movement in Philadel-
phia:

The attendance at the meeting of the
Union League was very large. All were
present. Officers were unanimously
elected, except that of Major Mitchell,
for Vice-President.

The report of the Board of Directors,
containing a strong endorsement of Gen-
eral Grant for the Presidency, simply be-
cause he had proved himself to be a great
military man, was opposed by A. G.
Thomas and others, who thought it was
impolitic for the League to endorse Grant
until he had shown himself to be a Re-
publican.

The report was finally adopted, and
the resolution nominating Grant as the
Union League candidate for President,
was adopted. The minority were much
dissatisfied with the action of the
League, and conjectured that it would
have a bad effect.

WASHINGTON, December 11.—The
Southern Railroad Committee's testimony
is voluminous, and among other things
shows that the roads were freely used
by the Confederates without protest or
objection on the part of the Presidents
or Directors, and service was freely ren-
dered.

An analysis of the Virginia convention
shows that Hanover county, the birth-
place of Clay and Henry, Orange county,
the birth-place of Madison and Tyler,
and Albemarle county, the birth-places
of Harrison and Tyler, are all represented
by negroes.

The Republican National Executive
Committee met and fixed on Chicago,
May 20th, for the National Convention.

At two o'clock this afternoon Sec-
retary Welles received a despatch from
Thomas Savage, Consul-General at Ha-
vanna, dated the 10th, in which he says,
from our Consul at Jamaica we hear fur-
ther news of earthquakes at St. Thomas,
Tortola and St. Croix. The earthquakes
began on the 18th of November and
continued till Monday, the 20th. The
destruction of life and property is im-
mense.

The steamer Desoto was washed ashore
and into the harbor bottom upwards;
her officers and crew were saved.

The steamer Monongahela was thrown
into the town of Middleton, at Croix,
and broken to pieces; nothing is said
about her officers and crew.

European.
LONDON, December 11.—The Fenian
sympathizers are making preparations
for a funeral in Liverpool next Sunday,
in honor of Allen Gould and Larkie, Or-
angemen. The city threatens to break
up the procession. A serious riot is
feared.

BERLIN, December 11.—Bancroft had
an audience with the Queen of Prussia.

NEW YORK, December 11.—Cornelius
Vanderbilt was elected President, and
Samuel Torrance Vice-President, of the
New York Central Railroad.

Markets.
NEW ORLEANS, December 13.—Cot-
ton declined; Orleans 15 to 15½; sales
5000 bales; receipts 2000; exports 865.
Gold 84.

Texas cattle first 40—third quality 12
to 20.
Sheep \$1.50 to \$6.00.
Gold closed heavy 34½.
Governments steady.

The expense of the Indian Commis-
sion, was \$150,000. Commissioner
Taylor attributes the ending of the In-
dian war to this commission, saving a
million a week.

Philbrook, of Wisconsin, is the com-
ing poet.

The wonderful productions of this
country is illustrated in an incident that
actually occurred in Western Texas a
summer or two back. An "Arkansas
traveler" who had started from home
with a complete outfit, full team of ox-
en &c., encountered rough weather and
swollen streams, until the casualties of
the trip reduced him to two old broken
down steers and a saddle mule. These
were turned out to graze in the usual
manner. In due course of time, on
gathering up his stock, our hero, brand-
ed seventy-five calves, of course the pro-
geny of his stock; what region can
beat it?

YESTERDAY, a seedy looking indi-
vidual with long hair, and unshaven face.
Wearing an awfully tattered gray jacket
with the yellow buckskin (seavaly)
trimmings on; the man and clothing
being so disfigured by grease and dirt
as scarcely to resemble a human, entered
the city, and approaching a citizen, cau-
tiously inquired who the commanding
officer was, on inquiry he proved to be
a soldier, who at the time of the "break-
up," took to the mountains, and has
since lived the life of a recluse hoping
for the return of the Confederacy and
corn bread. He says he came for his
"pay roll" (parole.)

SCENE IN MAYOR'S COURT.—Not a
thousand miles from San Antonio: Case:
Prosecution of gamblers.

Prosecuting Attorney. Q. I wish to
ask the witness if he saw gambling at
this house?

A. I did.

Q. Do you say you saw men in this
house gambling?

A. I did.

A'ty. The witness will state who he
saw at this place and what they were
doing?

Witness. Do you want me to tel?

A'ty. Certainly I do, state all you
know.

Witness: Well then you ought to
know for you set at one end of the table
betting, and Mr. M. (the defendant's At-
torney) was betting at the other.

The witness was permitted to stand
aside.

MASSACHUSETTS

Whatever else may be said of Massa-
chusetts, it cannot be denied that the
Bay State takes the lead in social re-
forms. Here the wiser treatment of
society's criminals was inaugurated.
Here the common school system fur-
nished its best examples. Here the
asylum was placed upon its proper
foundation. Here idiots were first re-
deemed from their mental darkness.
Here normal schools met their first
public recognition. Here houses of re-
fuge for abandoned and crime tending
childhood were first established. And
now on its sterile soil is founded the
first State institution which secures to
unprivileged girls an industrial training.
This institution takes young girls with-
out parents, homes, and friends, trains
them to some industrial vocation, and
thus saves them from lives of degrada-
tion and of sin. It inspires them with
an ambition to be useful, and it teaches
them the methods by qualifying them
for various industrial callings. It em-
bodies the highest elements of Christian
charity; and the example so fully set is
to be followed in Connecticut, where the
first men in the State, headed by Gov-
ernor English and Ex-Governors Hawley
and Buckingham, are appealing to the
benevolent for \$50,000 to endow a sim-
ilar institution, and thus qualifying
scores of girls for earning their own
livelihood by training them to follow
some industrial occupation.—Evening
Express.

ADMIRAL SEMMES SHIPS A ROUGH SEA

The New York Tribune, in referring
to the course of lectures just delivered
Nashville by Admiral Semmes, upon
the Alabama, calls it an opportunity for
the citizens of Nashville "to hear how
gallantly this scoundrel and incendiary
scuttled defenceless schooner, and how
cleverly he kept out of the way of any-
body big enough to talk back," and
says that "if Capt. Kidd had not been
prematurely hanged he might have an-
ticipated the gallant Southern in a line
of lectures not heretofore heard outside
the walls of penitentiaries or of the low-
er order of tap-rooms."

The Daily Express.

Official Journal of the United States.
Official Journal of Bexar County and City of
San Antonio.

W. B. MOORE, A. SIEMERING, J. F. NEWCOMB,
A. Siemering & Co., Publishers.

FRIDAY, DEC. 13, 1867.

REMARKS OF MAJOR MOORE, MADE BEFORE THE "ALAMO LODGE, UNION LEAGUE OF AMERICA," ON THE EVENING OF TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1867.

A resolution was introduced and unanimously passed, requesting of Major Moore, for publication, a copy of his address delivered before the Union League on Tuesday night last, on the occasion of his return from the North, where he had ample opportunities to feel the Northern pulse, and learn the wish of the Northern people. The remarks were received with marked approval, and many expressions, with applause. Believing that our loyal friends would like to read them, they are given in this paper:

MR. PRESIDENT, AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEAGUE:—Remembering that on an occasion six months ago, those I deemed friends, called me out before this assemblage to expose my inability to speak. I have prepared a few notes to guide me to-night in my remarks. But before referring to them I wish to reassure our colored friends, that the recent apparent opposition to their enfranchisement by the North, is not out of friendship to their former masters. The war Democrats who voted to swell the Copperhead ranks, are as fully determined that no unrepentant rebel shall participate in the government of these States as they ever were. They fear that you will be led by passionate appeals of bad men, as the low white trash of New York city is led by such men as Fernando Wood. The rapid advancement of education among you, and the moderation of Union men of all classes in the recent conventions of the South, are reassuring them; and, like the temporary victory of Seymour's Copperheads of New York in 1862, during the blunders of McClellan, the ripples of the tide are receding from before treason only to gather force and sweep back with irresistible fury to wipe out their prejudices and ignorance. [Applause.]

In the Fall of 1865, when the Volunteer Army was being mustered out of the service, Congress passed a law permitting such of the soldiers as wished to avail themselves of the opportunity, to be mustered out where stationed. At this time treason had shrunk back into the smallest proportions; rebel soldiers on parole had no occasion to excuse themselves; but the vipers who remained at home, forcing poor men in the ranks, and speculating upon the necessities of their families, were declaring their satisfaction at the downfall of treason. An instance is given us in the infamous *Devine*, who, on bended knees and with tears in his eyes, before a citizen, protested his joy at the suppression of slavery. The great strength of the nation and the assurance of its representatives of protection, induced many thousands of the army to remain South, in hopes to establish themselves in business and find comfortable homes. Everything prospered as gaily as "a carriage bell," until the Acting President began a plan of reconstruction which virtually gave the control of the Southern States into the hands of the enemies of the country, and placed the loyalists at their mercy. It soon became apparent that loyalty would be disreputable in the South, and the first manifestation was developed against the "Renegade Loyalists," as Union men in the South were termed. Then came the persecutions of the colored men, and finally the "imported loyalists" was included, until the "d-d nigger," "d-d renegade," and "d-d Yankee," were synonymous terms. Such being the case, all three classes were driven together; they have accepted the situation, and we now form the Republican Union party of Texas, with every prospect of a glorious triumph over our implacable enemies. [Applause.]

The success of our measures rests with ourselves. If we rush into visionary schemes, and, in contending for our own rights, inflict upon our enemies the outrages we seek to avoid, our friends throughout the country will abandon us. The Democratic idea of—"vote yourself a farm," has always carried with that rotten party all the ignorance and vice of the people. In the early years of the Republic, ignorance predominated; now,

happily, intelligence has a majority, and we must shape our policy with a view to please it; otherwise the dismal howl of the rebels of "war of races" will become true, and we will bring about our own destruction.

What, then, do we want? During my recent travels I carefully studied the wishes of the North on this subject, and feel myself qualified to answer. The recent elections are nowise an indication of friendship towards rebels. It is true that a majority in many of the Northern States oppose negro suffrage. There is an undefinable dread of an untried policy, that must be overcome, and can be overcome only by our action. Wisdom and moderation in council must be our guide.

Every loyal man in the South must place himself upon the negro suffrage platform. As a friend remarked, "a man who can carry a musket or pay taxes, can vote;" and I for one am unconditionally on that platform. [Applause.] I will never fear to go to the polls and deposit my vote alongside a loyal colored man; but will always hang my head in shame so long as I am compelled by the actions of a villainous President or other means, to acknowledge a traitor my equal. [Loud and continued applause.]

We can live down the recent Democratic gains in the North by moderation; but once attempt confiscation in the South and the Republican party will be swept out of existence like chaff before the wind. It will bring about a division between the white and black races. A party with even one-tenth of the white population may succeed; but an entire separation would end in defeat.

My policy would be to disfranchise the rebels to such an extent that they can never elect their class to office, and they would thus be compelled to work for their own living; even the Copperheads acknowledge the justice of such a measure, and as long as they are not persecuted in their persons or property they have no friends at the North save a few political tricksters. My recent visit North took me through the magnificent cities and wealthy manufacturing districts of the East; I visited the fertile plains of the West, and sought to learn the secret of the great activity of that region. I followed the course of the great Union Pacific Rail Road to the foot of the Rocky Mountains and as we passed over the vast region of wilderness and across the stretches of sandy desert that these people surmount to reach the mining regions, I asked why are they turned in the direction of this barren country? everything answers, "the freedom of its institutions," life is safe except against the Indian and common consent permits your killing him. Here in Texas the climate, soil, and position possess ten times the attraction of any new country I visited in my whole journey, yet the fact that people are persecuted for opinions sake and the ruffians who do the work are lauded with praise by a vast number of representatives; papers, drives and will continue to drive all industry from our borders so long as it exists.

Outrage against innocence can never succeed; if on the other hand innocence makes no effort to protect itself against the assaults of murderers and outlaws it is underserving the boon of freedom. We must therefore keep united and in our strength pass laws to punish outlaws, and by the grace of God punish them, those who have shed innocent blood must be brought to justice.

Regions of the North where before the war I was accustomed to see the tall grasses of the prairie, are now fertile fields, and stretches of miles where the monotony of the plains was unbroken by tree or shrub, are now thickly dotted with farm houses and orchards. The County of my own home has increased from fourteen to thirty thousand inhabitants in seven years. It is known as Owen Lovejoy's district, and never gave a Democratic victory. Iowa, Nebraska, and in fact the whole Northwest are springing from insignificance into empire, and to-day the Northwest of the Mississippi valley rules the nation, and contains the Radical element and power of the country. Already Illinois is the fourth State in wealth and numbers, being ranked only by New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio. Yet in 1820 the year she was admitted, they had to wire work, to make out the requisite number of inhabitants to form a State. I was at no loss to know from whence this vast increase sprang. During a months stay in New York city, I visited Castle Garden daily, and there saw the arrivals of more than a thousand immigrants each day. These people were examined, and if any were incapable of supporting them-

selves they were sent to the country from whence they came at the expense of the vessel bringing them over, the others were sent over the country in any direction they chose, and this seemingly immense stream became speedily absorbed by those among whom they settled. No where did I hear the term "d-d dutch" no where save in Texas are the foreigners driven to exclusiveness. People from all regions are received in the North with open arms as American citizens, this is why our own fertile State is left blooming alone, while her less lovely companions are being wooed and won by the sturdy immigrant.

We have a duty to perform in Texas and we must perform it. Men have governed here who legislated to give all their relatives fat offices and contracts. We must legislate down these vipers and elevate men who will vote money and lands to build railroads and appropriate at least a million of dollars to bring a swarm of thrifty immigrants. If necessary to pay their passage and supply them temporary stopping places. This is the revenge I want from the rebels, I shall devote my feeble efforts to bring it about, I will tax them to pay the expenses of those who are to supplant them, and I know no wish that seems so near its consummation.

As a "mendicant loyalist" I have settled in Texas for a permanent resting place. So long as a prospect of making loyalty respectable exists, I shall remain here in the harness of republicanism; I deem this remark necessary to refute the innuendos of unprincipled opponents; whose wishes being father to their thoughts, comforted themselves with the belief that my recent absence was permanent. As to recent Northern elections "The Democrats are welcome to all the crumbs of success they can pick up in the odd years. The Republicans will take the *loaves* in the even years. The net Democratic gain in the recent election, so far as national politics are concerned, is one United States Senator. At this rate, with but eleven Democrats and Johnsonites now in the Senate to start with, how long will it take to overthrow the Republican ascendancy there? Meantime what becomes of reconstruction? It MARCHES STRAIGHT ON TO COMPLETION UNDER THE ACTS OF CONGRESS AS THEY ARE, negro suffrage and all. The recent elections therefore, have no solid comfort for Democrats, nor do they intimidate or discourage true Radicals anywhere. "Rebels may cling to purblind droning, effete conservatism, and drift with it into the realms of the forgotten; but we will protect, and enfranchise the only friend of the Union in the South during the war, the negro, for more than two hundred years a chattel and a slave; now through Radicalism; a freedman and free citizen forever."

New Advertisements.

DR. F. HERFF,
Respectfully announces to his friends that he has resumed practice in the city.
Office, at Nette's Drug store, on Commerce street. (d&w)

Steinway's Pianos.
The first Grand Gold Medal awarded at the Universal Exposition in Paris, 1867, for the three styles, viz: Grand, Square and Upright.
For particulars inquire at
ZORK & GRIESENBEEK, Agents.
See 11 dtf

House to Rent.
One of the finest houses in the city, situated on the east side of the river, adjoining the residence of Mr. Pentenrieder. Apply at the business house of E. Pentenrieder, Main street. (dec. 6-11)

NOTICE.
The Mayor will be in attendance at the Mayor's office every day from 8 o'clock A. M. till 12 o'clock M. and from 2 o'clock P. M. till sun down. On Sundays from 8 o'clock till 10 o'clock A. M.
Regular meetings of the City Council every 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month.
W. C. A. THIELEPAPE, Mayor.
Attest: MARTIN H. CAMPBELL, City Sec.
San Antonio, Dec. 3rd, 1867. (dlm)

DR. NOHL,
CITY PHYSICIAN,
Residence: opposite Gravel's east side of the river.
Office hours before eight o'clock A. M., and from 2 to 4 P. M. (dec. 5-dw tf)

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San Antonio, Dec. 3rd, 1867. (4td 1tw)

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For particulars apply at the Mengo Hotel, or Stock Yard near by.
R. W. FEAY.
San Antonio, Nov. 19, 1867. tf

House and Lot for Sale.

The house and lot situated on Goliad street, the property of E. Keppa, is for sale. The house has three rooms, each 20 by 18 feet; a warehouse is attached 40 by 16 feet. All in good order and title guaranteed.
Apply to the owner or at the office of the San Antonio Express.
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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 Cimarron 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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200 Bales of Cotton.
200 Bales of Cotton wanted by
JEFFERSON & MURPHY,
San Antonio, Nov. 19, 1867.

Local Intelligence.

The Quarter-Masters Department of our city is in receipt of funds.

COAN BEEF.—Mr. Ed. Hickey's stall has some prime corn beef, put up for family use.

SERENADE.—The German Working men's Singing Society, gave Dr. Herff a serenade on Wednesday evening.

RECRUITS.—Sixty-five recruits for the 9th cavalry arrived in our city from Indiana, yesterday, under two commissioned officers they marched the distance of one hundred and fifty miles in seven days.

DECEIT.—The traitor organ of this city denies that petition has been circulated, signed and sent off, to reinstate the decapitated traitors. We believe it can be proven.

SANTA CLAUS.—Hertzberg & Simon have crammed their establishment with fine presents for the holidays, for little people and big people. It is only a few days to Christmas, and those who want the pick must go early.

CHURCH TABLEAU.—The ladies of the Presbyterian Church have arranged a series of tableaux which will be presented this evening at Dryden's Hall. The proceeds of the affair to go towards finishing and making comfortable their church building; a worthy object. We understand that the tableaux talent on the occasion will be of the highest character, and the entertainment well worth seeing.

A MISTAKE.—The following item appeared in our daily of Thursday: On one of the hung Juries in a gambling case before the Mayor, two jurors declared that they would not convict any one as they did not recognize the laws and jurisdiction of the United States.

The above is incorrect, the party who informed us made a mistake. A remark made by one of the jurors, a perfectly loyal man, who declared that he did not recognize rebel laws.

A NOVEL SCENE.—On Wednesday last the Military Plaza was the scene of an auction sale of the effects of a runaway boarder. The entire outfit of a bachelor, from his over coat to tooth picks were sold to an appreciative lot of bidders. There were not less than two hundred articles; as each article was marked with the owner's full name, we venture the assertion that Mr. S. has more mementoes out among his friends than "any other man." Moral, young man pay your board or skedaddle with trunk and all.

Marion's Court, December 12 1867. William German, abusive language fined \$5 and costs. Wilson Piekens, freeman, assault and battery, tried by Jury fined \$5 and costs. Manuel Sanchez, noisy and disturbing the peace fined \$3 and costs. Manuel Reyes vulgar and abusive language fined \$5 and costs. Geo. Robinson, freeman, swindling bound over in the sum of \$300 for his appearance next term of District Court.

Herff or Dr. Herff.—Dr Herff and family, except two sons left in Germany to be educated, arrived in our city on Wednesday after an absence of one year and a half on a visit to Europe. During his visit he devoted himself to his profession, and returns to make glad the hearts of his hosts of friends. The Dr. has endeared himself to our citizens by his years of successful practice and his sterling qualities as a man. He returns doubly armed to conquer all the ills flesh is heir to. We are also glad to state that the Doctor is in fine health and full of enthusiasm to perform good deeds. We bid him a heartfelt welcome.

RACES. \$150 Currency. We will give a purse of one hundred and fifty Dollars to be run for in San Antonio the 20th of December. One hundred dollars to the first horse and fifty dollars to the second, ten per cent entrance.—Free for all Saddle Horses.—half mile and repeat, horses to carry one hundred pounds. Entry to be made by the fifteenth at Messers Hotel. PEAY & SPANGLER.

DISSOLUTION. The mercantile co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name, style and firm of E. Welling & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The settlement of the business of said firm will be made by E. Cramer, and all debts due thereto, collected by him. R. WULFING, E. CRAMER, M. KRAUKAU. Referring to above circular the undersigned will continue the business under its own name. C. CRAMER. San Antonio, Dec. 5, 1867.

Proposals for Fresh Beef.

COMMISSARY OFFICE 4th U. S. Cavalry, CAMP VERDE, TEXAS, Dec. 8th, '67.

SEALED PROPOSALS, which must be in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, are invited until 12 o'clock M. December 25th, 1867, for supplying Fresh Beef (either on the hoof or slaughtered, as may be required) to the troops at Camp Verde, Texas, and to all Posts, Camps and Hospitals, in the vicinity, drawing supplies therefrom, from January 1st, 1868, or as soon thereafter as may be required, to December 31st 1868; or such less time as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

The bids will state the price per pound net currency for the fresh Beef furnished, on the hoof, and the price per pound net for that furnished slaughtered.

Proposals must be accompanied by a proper guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, stating that if the proposal is accepted, the bidder will enter into a contract, and that they will enter into bonds in the penal sum of Three Thousand Dollars, for the faithful performance of the contract.

The names of firms should be stated in full with the address of all the members of the firm. No bid will be entertained when put in by contractors who have previously failed to comply with their contracts, nor, when it may be discovered that the bidder has offered directly or indirectly more than one bid.

The beef cattle furnished must not be over five years old and weigh not less than 500 five hundred pounds net dressed. The beef furnished must be of good marketable quality, in good proportions of fore and hind quarters, neck, shank and kidney tallow excluded, and to be delivered at such time and in such quantities, as may be required.

Payments will be made monthly, or as soon thereafter as funds may be received therefor. The Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered. Endorse envelopes inclosing bid "Proposal for Fresh Beef." Address Proposals to the undersigned. D. A. IRWIN. 1st Lt. 4th U. S. Cavalry, A. K. C. S. Dec 11-64

NOTICE!! Having received an order for 10,000 BUSHELS OF PECANS!! I am prepared to pay the HIGHEST CASH PRICE for the same. H. GRENET oct10d&wsm

COLT'S PATENT FIRE ARMS. For Sale at 563m NORTON & DEUTZ.

NOTARY PUBLIC.—Over Lindmiller's Drug Store, Main Street. Office hours, 8 to 12 A. M.—2 to 3 P. M., or can be found at any time by making inquiry at the Express printing rooms on Market Street. JAS. P. NEWCOMB.

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SLOCUM'S BOOK STORE, Commerce Street, Opposite Bell's Jewelry Store. Keeps constantly on hand School Books at Wholesale and Retail. A fine assortment of STATIONERY of all kinds. CHILDREN'S BOOKS, Catholic & Episcopal Prayer Books, and other Books. Suitable for Presents! A large assortment of PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS Toilet Articles, Pen Knives, and Miscellaneous Articles. Also THE INDELLIBLE PENCIL, Wholesale and Retail. The Latest Novels constantly on hand. Cards of all Kinds. In fine a full assortment of everything pertaining to this line of business. For All the Latest Newspapers, Magazines, etc. Music! Music!! Music!!! A fine assortment on hand, and receiving NEW MUSIC every week. oct27if

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An invention by which a common Kerosene Lamp can at once be transformed into a Gas Lamp, of a most brilliant light, entirely safe against explosion; no chimney needed, and is not subject to be blown out by the strongest breeze or current of air; at the same time giving a better light than the combined light of two ordinary Kerosene Lamps, and saving fully one-third of the kerosene oil, by simply applying the gas generator.

The undersigned having procured the patent right for Bexar County, has now a supply of the Generators on hand, and offers to sell them at One Dollar, apiece, each. To Dealers, they will be offered by the dozen at a very fair discount.

The undersigned 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, nov102m San Antonio.

BELL & BROS. DEALERS IN Jewelry, Silver-ware, Plated-ware Diamond Goods, American and European Watches and Clocks, Gold Pens and Pencils of every kind, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold, Silver, Steel and Tortoise-shell Spectacles and Eye Glasses, with Pebble and Glass Lenses, Suitable for the aged or near-sighted. Engravers and Manufacturers of ALL ARTICLES IN THEIR LINE WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, repaired and warranted. Orders Filled Promptly. Main Street, Five doors east of Main Plaza, Opposite their Old Stand. San Antonio, Texas. March 29, 1866

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C. H. MOORE & COMPANY, Shippers and Dealers in Doors, Glazed Sash, and Painted Blinds. Having on hand a large assortment of CHOICE STOCK. We are enabled to fill all orders at Greatly Reduced Prices. Orders from the country solicited and promptly filled. MARKET STREET, GALVESTON, oct18dly

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THE HEALING POOL and House of Mercy, HOWARD ASSOCIATION REPORTS, for young men on the crime of Solitude, and the errors, abuses, and diseases which destroy the manly powers, and create impediments to marriage, with sure means of relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, DR. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa. 1844&wsm

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A Card to Invalids. A clergyman, while residing in South America as a missionary, discovered a safe and simple remedy for the cure of Nervous Weakness, Early Decay, Diseases of the Urinary and Seminal Organs, and the whole train of disorders brought on by baneful and vicious habits. Great numbers have been already cured by this noble remedy. Prompted by desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a sealed envelope, to any one who needs it, Free of Charge. Please inclose a post-paid envelope, addressed to yourself. JOSEPH TYNNAN, Station D, Bible House, New York City daily

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ERRORS OF YOUTH. A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar Street New York. weekly

To Consumptives. The Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON will send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the prescription, with the directions for making and using the simple remedy by which he was cured of a Long Affection and that dread disease, Consumption. His only object is to benefit the afflicted, and he hopes every sufferer will try this prescription, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Please address Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, No. 165 South Second Street, Williamsburgh, N. Y. sep21

Information. Guaranteed to produce a luxuriant growth of hair upon a bald head or beardless face; also, a recipe for the removal of Pimples, Blisters, Eruptions, etc., on the skin, leaving the same soft, clear, and beautiful, can be obtained without charge by addressing THOS. F. CHAPMAN, Chemist, 823 Broadway, N. Y. sep21

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These Pianos received the Highest Award of Merit at the World's Fair, over the best makers from London, Paris, Germany, the cities of New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston; also the Gold Medal at the American Institute, for Five successive Years! Our Pianos contain the French Grand Action, Magnificent Over-string Bass, tall Lion Frame, and all Modern Improvements. Every Instrument warranted Five years. Made under the supervision of J. H. GROVSTEEN, who has a practical experience of over thirty-five years, and is the maker of over eleven thousand Pianos. Our facilities for manufacturing enable us to sell these Instruments from \$100 to \$200 cheaper than any first class piano forte. 5, 1y

PHILIP WERLEIN, 89 BARONNE STREET, Successor to the old and well known houses of Philip F. Werlein, and P. F. Werlein & Halsey; 3 & 5 Camp street, and 173 Canal street, at No. 83 Baronne street, New Orleans, La.

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I beg to inform my friends and the public generally, that I have the agency for the States of Louisiana and Texas, of the celebrated new scale Marshall & Miltner Piano Fortes, which are now the most perfect piano-fortes, in tone, touch, durability, workmanship and finish of any now made in Europe or America. I am daily receiving testimonials of the superiority of these pianos from the first artists, and even many of my most energetic competitors say they are the best pianos they have ever seen. While I express my acknowledgments for all past favors, and solicit a continuance of the same, I assure my patrons that their interests shall continue to be the object of my special devotion. Respectfully, PHILIP WERLEIN

Any piece of music or book sent post-paid, on receipt of the marked price. Circulars, Price Lists, Illustrated Catalogue of Pianos and Organs, catalogues of music, price lists of strings (gut and Italian) and instruments furnished on application. P. S.—I respectfully invite the trade, as teachers and professors of music, to favor me with their orders, which will always be executed with care and promptness at the lowest cash prices. Schools and Seminaries supplied on the most liberal terms.

Mr. P. F. WERLEIN, of the old house, will be in attendance, and will be happy to wait on his old friends and patrons, as formerly. Agents wanted in every county in the State for the sale of the celebrated new scale Marshall & Miltner Piano Fortes. \$50 Prices from \$500 to \$700, according to external finish, etc. sep1y

BROWN & PERRINE, 420 Broome St., N. Y. We would call the attention of the public and the trade to our elegant New Scale Pianos, the following styles: Style A, 7 octave, front large round corners, plain case, silver octagon or curved legs, straight bottom, best moulding, 25 plinth. Style B, 7 octave, same as style A, but with decorative moulding on plinth, curved legs and top. Style C, 7 octave, front corners large round, serpentine bottom, moulding same as on style D, 7-vee type and back, fancy curved legs. Style D, 7 octave, four large round corners, raised back, mouldings on rim and plinth, serpentine bottom, curved type and elegant curved front legs. The above styles are all finished in elegant Enamel cases and have the full iron frame, French action, sharp pedal, bevelling keys and key fronts, and exceed in overstrung bass, nearly all the 7 octave Pianos now manufactured. They are made of the best materials, and for finish, durability, purity and sweetness of tone, cannot be surpassed. We invite the attention of the public, of dealers and the profession, to a critical examination of the merits of our Pianos.

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Music Department. We would respectfully call the attention of their leaders and singing school teachers to our establishment, where all kinds of Church Music, Glee and Anthem Books can be obtained on the most favorable terms. The long experience of our Mr. Parker in Musical conventions, choirs, the concert room and Sunday school, enables him to give advice and information on all points of musical interest as to the selection of proper works of instruction, formation of musical schools—programs in musical studies, and items of general interest to composers, leaders, teachers and students. Sheet music furnished on the usual terms with promptness and dispatch. Country orders solicited—and collections made for pupils, teachers, choirs, &c., &c.

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A. NETTE, Has just received a large stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERIES, and SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, in fact all the leading articles, such as PATENT MEDICINES, that are usually kept in a First Class Drug Store. The stock being selected by himself of this market. 41-4

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[Official.]

PUBLIC ACTS OF THE THIRTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.

CHAP. CXXXIII.—An Act making Appropriations for the Support of the Army for the Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and Additional Appropriation for the Year ending thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and for other Purposes.

[Continued.] For the construction and maintenance of the greatest fleet proper, four hundred thousand dollars.

For the construction, construction, and maintenance of steam rams, four hundred thousand dollars. For pay of private physicians, purchase and repair of surgical instruments, purchase of extra hospital bedding, clothing, fuel, and other necessary comforts for the sick and convalescing in the various military hospitals, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For compensation of chaplains of hospitals, from the date of the commencement of their service to the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, twelve thousand dollars. For the contingent expenses of the Paymaster-General's office for the year ending thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, one thousand dollars.

Sec. 10. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of War be authorized to contract for the army army ration of coffee and sugar, for the extraction of coffee, combined with milk and sugar, to be procured in the same manner as under like restrictions and guarantees as preserved meats, pickles, butter, and assorted vegetables are procured for the navy, if he shall believe it will be conducive to the health and comfort of the army, and not more expensive to the Government than the present ration, and if it shall be acceptable to the men.

Sec. 11. And be it further enacted, That the restriction or limitation contained in the proviso to the joint resolution, approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, transferring the superintendency of the Capitol extension from the War Department to the Department of the Interior, shall not be construed or applied as to prevent the completion of, and the payment for, the painting now in progress on the wall over the stairway on the western side of the 30th wing agreeably to the terms of the contract made between General M. C. Meigs, on behalf of the Government, and E. Leutze, the artist, on the ninth day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

Approved, July 3, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXIV.—An Act to reorganize the Navy Department of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be established in the Navy Department the following bureaus, to wit:

- First. A Bureau of Yards and Docks. Second. A Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting. Third. A Bureau of Navigation. Fourth. A Bureau of Ordnance. Fifth. A Bureau of Construction and Repair. Sixth. A Bureau of Steam Engineering. Seventh. A Bureau of Provisions and Clothing. Eighth. A Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint from the list of officers of the navy, not below the grade of commodore, a chief clerk for each of the Bureaus of Yards and Docks, Navigation, Equipment and Recruiting, and of Ordnance, and shall in like manner appoint a chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, who shall be a skilful naval constructor; and shall also appoint a chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, who shall be a skilful engineer, and be selected from the list of chief engineers of the navy; and shall also appoint a chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, who shall be selected from the list of the surgeons of the navy, and a chief of the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, who shall be selected from the list of paymasters of the navy of not less than ten years' standing, each of which chiefs of bureaus shall receive a salary of three thousand five hundred dollars per annum, unless otherwise heretofore provided for by law, which shall be in lieu of all other compensation whatever. The said chief of bureaus to hold their said offices for the term of four years: Provided, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect any provision heretofore made by law for special cases.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Navy shall appoint the following clerks and other officers, to-wit: For the office of the Secretary of the Navy, a chief clerk, who shall receive a salary of two thousand two hundred dollars per annum; one clerk at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars; one clerk at a salary of sixteen hundred dollars; five clerks with a salary of sixteen hundred dollars each; three clerks with a salary of fourteen hundred dollars each; four clerks with a salary of twelve hundred dollars each; one messenger at nine hundred dollars per annum; one assistant messenger at seven hundred dollars; and two laborers at six hundred dollars each per annum.

For the Bureau of Yards and Docks, one chief engineer, who shall receive a salary of two thousand dollars; one chief clerk at eighteen hundred dollars; one clerk at six hundred dollars; one clerk at four hundred dollars; one draughtsman at four hundred dollars; one messenger at four hundred dollars; and two laborers at six hundred dollars each per annum.

For the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting, one chief clerk, who shall receive a salary of eighteen hundred dollars; two clerks at a salary of fourteen hundred dollars each; one messenger at eight hundred dollars and forty dollars.

For the Bureau of Navigation, one chief clerk at eighteen hundred dollars; one clerk who shall receive a salary of fourteen hundred dollars; one clerk at twelve hundred dollars; one messenger at eight hundred and forty dollars.

For the Bureau of Ordnance, one assistant, to be selected from the commissioned officers of the navy, with the pay of three thousand dollars per annum; one draughtsman at fourteen hundred dollars; one clerk at fourteen hundred dollars; one messenger at eight hundred and forty dollars.

For the Bureau of Construction and Repair, one chief clerk at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars a year; one draughtsman at fourteen hundred dollars per annum; five clerks at a salary of fourteen hundred dollars each; one at twelve hundred dollars; one messenger at a salary of eight hundred and

forty dollars per annum; and one laborer at six hundred dollars per annum.

For the Bureau of Steam Engineering, one chief clerk at a salary of eighteen hundred dollars; one draughtsman at fourteen hundred dollars; one clerk at fourteen hundred dollars; one assistant draughtsman at twelve hundred dollars; one messenger at eight hundred and forty dollars per annum; and one laborer at six hundred dollars per annum.

For the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, one chief clerk with a salary of eighteen hundred dollars; four clerks with a salary of fourteen hundred dollars each; one clerk with a salary of twelve hundred dollars; one messenger with a salary of eight hundred and forty dollars per annum; and one laborer with a salary of six hundred dollars per annum.

For the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, two clerks with a salary of fourteen hundred dollars each; and one messenger with a salary of eight hundred and forty dollars per annum. For the protection of the building occupied by the department, one day watchman and two night watchmen at a salary of six hundred dollars each per annum, and for the general care of the building, furnace, and grounds, one laborer at a salary of six hundred dollars, and one laborer at a salary of three hundred and sixty dollars.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Navy shall assign and distribute among the said bureaus such of the duties of the Navy Department as he shall judge to be expedient and proper; and of the duties of the said bureaus shall be performed under the authority of the Secretary of the Navy, and their orders shall be considered as emanating from him, and shall have full force and effect as such.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That all estimates for specific general, and contingent expenses of the department, and of the several bureaus, shall be furnished to the Secretary of the Navy by the chiefs of the respective bureaus; and all such appropriations shall be under the control and expended by the direction of the Secretary of the Navy, and the appropriation for each bureau shall be kept separate in the treasury.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That the chief of the respective bureaus of the Navy Department shall be authorized to frank all communications from their respective bureaus; and all communications to their bureaus on the business thereof shall be free of postage.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, That all acts and parts of acts conflicting or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Approved, July 3, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXV.—An Act making Appropriations for the current and contingent Expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling Treaty Stipulations with various Indian Tribes, for the Year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and they are hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department and for fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes:

For the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, namely: For pay of superintendents of Indian affairs and of the several Indian agents, per acts of fifth June, eighteen hundred and fifty, twenty-seventh February, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, thirty-first July, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, third March, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, nineteenth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, nineteenth June, eighteen hundred and sixty, eighth and thirteenth February, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and per fifteenth article of treaty of nineteenth April, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, with the Yantons, ninety-one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

For the pay of the several Indian sub-agents, per act of thirty-first July, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, six thousand dollars. For the pay of clerk to superintendent at Saint Louis, Missouri, per act of twenty-seventh June, eighteen hundred and forty six, one thousand two hundred dollars.

For the pay of interpreters, per acts of thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, twenty-seventh February, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and eighteenth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, twenty-four thousand nine hundred dollars.

For pay of twenty laborers for reservations in California, twelve thousand dollars.

For presents to Indians, five thousand dollars.

For provisions for Indians, eleven thousand eight hundred dollars.

For buildings at agencies and repairs thereof, ten thousand dollars.

For contingencies of the Indian department, thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

For the employment of temporary clerks by superintendents of Indian affairs on such occasions and for such periods of time as the Secretary of the Interior may deem necessary to the public service, five thousand dollars.

For fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes.

Blackfoot Nation.—For seven of ten instalments as annuity, to be expended in the purchase of such goods, provisions, and other useful articles as the President at his discretion, may from time to time determine, per ninth article of the treaty of seventeenth October, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, twenty thousand dollars.

For seventh of ten instalments as annuity, to be expended in establishing and instructing them in agricultural and mechanical pursuits, and in educating their children, and promoting civilization and christianity, at the discretion of the President, per tenth article of the treaty of seventeenth October, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, fifteen thousand dollars.

Chasta, Scoon, and Lappoo Indians.—For eighth of fifteen instalments of annuity, to be expended as directed by the President, per third article treaty eighteenth November, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, two thousand dollars.

For eighth of fifteen instalments for the pay of a farmer, per fifth article treaty eighteenth November, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, one thousand dollars.

For eighth of ten instalments for pay of physician, medicines, and expense of care of the sick, per fifth article treaty eighteenth November, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For eight of fifteen instalments for pay of teachers and purchase of books and stationery, per fifth article treaty eighteenth November, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Chippewas of Lake Superior.—For two-thirds of twenty-first of twenty-five instalments in money, per fourth article treaty fourth October, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and eighth article treaty thirtieth September, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, eight thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars

and thirty-three cents. For two-thirds of twenty-third of twenty-five instalments for the pay of two carpenters, per fourth article treaty fourth October, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and eighth article treaty thirtieth September, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, eight hundred and fifty-four, eight hundred dollars. For two-thirds of twenty-first of twenty-five instalments in goods, per fourth article treaty fourth October, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and eighth article treaty thirtieth September, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, seven thousand dollars. For two-thirds of twenty-first of twenty-five instalments for the support of schools, per fourth article treaty fourth October, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and eighth article treaty thirtieth September, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, one thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents.

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