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Physician and Surgeon.
OFFICE, at Netto's Drug Store,
On Commerce Street.
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868.

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A Eulogy of Woman, by "Mark Twain."

At the dinner given by the Corres-
pondents' Club at Washington, a short
time since, "Mark Twain" was called
on to respond to the usual toast to
"Woman," which he did in the follow-
ing characteristic style:—

Mr. President:—I do not know why
I should have been singled out to receive
the greatest distinction of the evening—
for so the office of replying to the toast
to woman has been regarded in every
age. [Applause.] I do not know why
I have received this distinction, unless
it be that I am a trifle less homely than
the other members of the Club. But be-
cause, sir, I love the sex, I am proud
of the position, and you could not have
chosen any one who would have accepted
it more gladly, or labored with a heavier
good-will to do the subject justice, than
I. Because, sir, I love the sex, irrespec-
tive of age or color. [Laughter.]
Human intelligence cannot estimate
what we owe to woman, sir. She sews on
our buttons [laughter], she mends our
clothes [laughter], she ropes us in at the
fairs—she confides in us; she tells what
ever she can find out about the little pri-
vate affairs of the neighbors; she gives us
a piece of her mind sometimes—and
sometimes all of it; she soothes our ach-
ing brows; she bears our children—ours
as a general thing. In all the relations
of life, sir, it is but just and a graceful
tribute to woman to say of her that she
is a brick. [Great laughter.]

Wherever you place woman, sir—
in whatever position or estate—she is an
ornament to that place she occupies, and
a treasure to the world. [Here Mr.
Twain paused, looked inquiringly at his
hearers, and remarked that the applause
should come in at this point. It came
in. Mr. Twain resumed his eulogy.]
Look at the noble names of history! Look
at Cleopatra! look at Desdemona! look
at Jane of Acre! look at Lucretia Borgia!
[Disapprobation expressed. "Well,"
said Mr. Twain, scratching his head
doubtfully, "suppose we let Lucretia
slide." Look at Julia Meth! look at
Mollie Eve! [Cries of "Oh!" "Oh!"]
You need not look at her, unless you want
to, but (said Mr. Twain reflectively, after
a pause), Eve was ornamental, sir, par-
ticularly before the fashions changed! I
repeat, sir, look at the illustrious names
of history. Look at the Widow Moore!
look at Lucy Stone! look at Elizabeth
Cady Stanton! look at George Francis
Train! [Great laughter.] And, sir, I
say with bowed head and deepest veneration,
look at the mother of Washington!
she raised a boy that could not be—could
not lie. [Applause.] But she never had
any chance. [Oh! Oh!] It might
have been different if he had belonged
to a newspaper correspondent's club.
[Laughter, groans, hisses, cries of "put
him out." Mark looked around placidly
upon his excited audience and re-
sumed.]

I repeat, sir, that in whatever position
you place a woman she is an ornament
to society and a treasure to the world.
As a sweetheart she has few equals and
no superiors [laughter]; as a cousin she
is congenial—as a wealthy grand-
mother, with an incalculable distemper, she
is precious—as a wet nurse she has no
equal among men. [Laughter.]

What, sir, would the peoples of the
earth be without woman?
They would be scarce, almighty scarce!
Then let us cherish her—let us protect
her—let us give her our support, our
encouragement, our sympathy—our-
selves—if we get a chance. [Laughter.]

But, jesting aside, Mr. President,
woman is lovable, gracious, kind of heart,
beautiful—worthy of all respect, of all
esteem, of all deference. Not any here
will refuse to drink her health right cor-
dially in this bumper of wine, for each
and every one of us has personally
known and loved and honored, the
very best one of them all—his own
mother! [Applause.]

E. A. Smith, of Pittsfield, who is col-
lecting material for a history of the town,
has just discovered the origin of the
word "Houstone," long supposed to be
an Indian word. It is of Dutch origin
and means "the winding river of the
west."

The requiem which Pacini composed
for the transferee of the ashes of Bel-
lissio to Catano, served for his own funeral.

The pleasant Hindoo practice of
smothering dying persons with the an-
cered mud of the Ganges still prevails
under British rule in India.

Steel rails have been laid on the In-
dian River railroad as far North as Sieg
Sieg, and the laying of them is to be
resumed in the spring.

Wealth is not his who gets it, but his
who enjoys it.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Three jokers found here that were the
light in a Baltimore circus.

The errand of society is often formed
from the milk of humane kindness.

Queen Victoria has taken the second
prize for fat pigs at a Birmingham ex-
hibition.

Some one proposes to write the finan-
cial history of John C. Fremont.

A Liverpool lampfitter has valued
himself at \$100,000 and gone into a brain
fever over it.

Ten thousand yards per week of oil
cloth have been made in a Maine factory
during the last year.

The shooting of a man carrying off a
rope having a horse attached to the end
is quietly recorded by a Missouri paper.

Several families in Newport were re-
cently poisoned by eating scallops con-
sidered after they had frozen and thawed
again.

A Nassau (W. I.) paper announces
the arrival of an "artist" from Boston.
His artistic specialty is noted as pulling
teeth.

The somewhat startling announce-
ment is made that Mrs. Stonewall Jack-
son has received \$15,000 from the sale
of the life of her husband.

Napoleon has now the velvet hat and
sword of honor which the Pope was to
give the prince best deserving the title
of "Defender of Rome."

Some ladies of our acquaintance say
that if the "stay law" is not unconstitu-
tional, it is nevertheless very damaging
to the constitution.

The Supreme Court in Portland Co.,
Me., is blocked up with 2,000 cases. A
correspondent says that a man can do no
more than hope his grandson may live
to see the end of present suits.

An Erraville (Ind.) merchant, named
Murray, made a raid on the rats in his
store the other day. The "var-
mints" attacked him, biting holes in his
boots, but his terrier dispatched fifty
two of the rodents.

An English announcement of a Christ-
mas entertainment offers as its program,
"Orphans in Hell," including Miss
Russel, Miss Rivers, Miss Fitz Henry
and others.

Another Lilliputian marriage is an-
nounced that of Commodore Nutt and
Miss Minnie Warren. The combined
fortunes of the pair amount to \$250,000.

A new system of telegraphing, claim-
ing to obviate many of the defects of the
Morse system, was tried on the West-
ern Union company's wire at Portland,
the other day, and was quite successful.

Joseph E. Brotherson, of New Bed-
ford, formerly a Lieutenant in the 4th
Massachusetts cavalry, turns up in Min-
nesota, as a soldier of fortune, and swindles
an attractive Southern lady out of
\$6,000 worth of diamonds, which were
recovered by the aid of the police.

An Athenian, who was hesitating
whether to give his daughter in mar-
riage to a man of worth, with a small
fortune, or to a rich, who had no other
recommendation, went to consult Them-
istocles on the subject. "I would be-
stow my daughter," said Themistocles,
"upon a man without money, rather
than upon money without a man."

The most brilliant wedding that ever
took place in Dresden was that of a
young American lady—name not given
—to an officer of the Saxons army.
Royalty was present in full rig.

Hon. Norman Williams died lately
at his residence, in Woodstock, Vt. He
was a graduate of the University of Ver-
mont, in the class of 1810, and a cham-
pion of the late Senator Collamer.
He was aged about 76 years.

At a musical festival in Boston a
chorus from Mozart's Twelfth Mass was
sung. A cousin from the country (of
course) was present, and on the way
home, discussing the music, exclaimed,
"The piece I liked best was that chorus
from the Twelfth Massachusetts."

The example set by the Lanthorn con-
ference in celebrating the Eucharist
with bread made of wheat grown at Na-
sareth and wine from a vineyard at
Bethlehem, has been quickly followed
in this country. Mr. Beecher has a
new pulpit made of wood from the
Mount of Olives. The new Metropoli-
tan Methodist church at Washington
is to have a pulpit and communion table
of wood from Mount Lebanon. Mr.
Beach lately brought back from the Holy
Land a quantity of water from the
river Jordan. A gentleman of this
city has offered a large sum for a little
of this water to be used in the baptism
of his child. All the children of an elo-
quent Congregational minister in New
England have been baptized with water
from this same sacred river.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINEES FOR THE CONVENTION FOR THIS DISTRICT.

E. DEGENER, JAMES P. NEWCOMB.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR THE CONVENTION FOR GALUPE DISTRICT.

F. A. VAUGHN. REPUBLICAN NOMINATION to the Convention for the Counties of Comal, Hays and Blanco. G. KLAPPENBACH.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. L. KESSELER, as a candidate for the Constitutional Convention, for the counties of Comal, Hays and Blanco.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN A. ALBERTHAL, as a candidate for the Constitutional Convention, for the Gillespie District.

APPEALING TO THE GERMANS.

No community of people in the United States are more intelligent or better informed upon matters pertaining to Republican Government than the Germans of Western Texas; and there are few settlements of Germans and none of other naturalized citizens on this continent where as much refinement and finished education and manners can be found. The Germans of Western Texas, are as a mass, staunch and intelligent Republicans. When treason against the American Republic flouted its foul banner over the land no nationality sprang so unanimously to the defense of the Union as the Germans, and in Texas they died by hundreds the death of martyrdom rather than turn traitors to the Government of their adoption. Before the rebellion the Germans of Western Texas with such men as Douai at their head were denounced as abolitionists, and when the war broke out it is no doubt they became the especial objects of Southern hate and revenge. The rebellion is over so far as armed hostility is concerned, but now the people are called upon to vote themselves back into the Union, upon a plan recognizing the equal political rights of all its citizens without regard to color or race and the Germans of Western Texas are appealed to vote with the revived rebel party which has assumed the name of the "white-man's party." The Germans are appealed to prevent the colored man from voting, they are appealed to defeat Reconstruction, and an insulting attempt is made to rouse in these free thinking and brave people a cowardly prejudice against the colored men, freed by the almighty fiat of Abraham Lincoln and the prowess of the Union Army. Such an appeal can but excite disgust in the eyes of every honest German. They are not men to be dragged or pulled about, by such a crew as the Herald leads or follows. The Germans know too well the situation even if they were guided by no higher motive than interest than to cast their votes with the rebel party; they know that this cry against the negro is an electioneering trick, they know that if the rebels could count upon the negro vote that they, the Germans, would be trodden under foot; they know that if it were not for the 47,000 colored voters in Texas we could not have a loyal State Government and that loyal men would not be able to live here; they know that these 47,000 colored voters are firm in the cause of Union and freedom and will cast their votes for none but loyal men. The Germans are wide awake to all these things and yet the Herald and Devine have the audacity to insult these free and intelligent Republicans by attempting to appeal to a prejudice to gain their support.

I never knew a scolding person that was able to govern a family. What makes people so stiff? Because they can not govern themselves. How can they govern others? Those who govern well are generally calm. They are prompt and resolute, but steady and mild.

GENERAL HANCOCK'S ATTENTION IS CALLED.

The Herald of Tuesday devotes three columns to the Board of Registration. It sounds like the last despairing wail of disappointed traitors. A series of charges are made against the Board, all of which are maliciously false. In this article it is attempted to convey the idea that the Board did not give an opportunity to the people to register. Let us look at the facts.

The Registration Board opened in the Court House in this city on the 1st of July, 1867, and continued until the 17th of the same month. The sittings of the Board were advertised in the newspapers, and by handbills in three different languages posted throughout the city. The Board then moved to Fisk's rancho and sent messengers to all points for miles around, and continued in session until the 23rd of July. Then moved to De-muque's or Garza's, on the Medina, remaining there until the 26th, when, hearing that there were several voters at San Laben's, they returned to Fan Antonio by that ranch, remaining there one day and a half, sending messengers through the neighborhood. On the 31st of July the Board opened at Aue's, Leon Springs, and continued until the 3d of August. They then made their report, expressing the opinion that there were several hundred voters in the county not registered, and that another session of the Board would be necessary to the full enrollment of the legal voters. Under this representation of the Board, the General commanding this District ordered the Board to reopen on the 9th of August and continue five days.

Every opportunity to register was given, and there can be no doubt but every man in the county was aware of the sittings of the Board of Registration, and that all who valued the right of voting, applied.

Again the registration has been opened, and the total result shows over 1603 persons registered, and 148 rejected, making 1751 applicants. Of the 148 rejected persons, one-fourth are Union men. Had every man been registered and none refused, the 1751 would be the result.

Now, as to some of the charges of the Herald, which are intended to reach the ear and eye of General Hancock. Most of these charges are trivial, and malicious and all false. The Herald says that 1663 voters have been disfranchised by the Board of Registers. This willful lie should of itself condemn the whole three columns of charges, since only 1751 persons applied, and over 1600 were registered.

Then the Herald recounts the certificates of eleven rebels who were rejected, and says: "We have the affidavits of all of the above cases placed in our possession, and hundreds of other similar ones can be obtained." Another wholesale lie. How they are going to obtain "hundreds" of certificates from 148 rejected applicants, one-fourth of whom are loyal men, is not so clear to honest men; but since these blatant traitors were so anxious to perjure themselves, it may be possible for them to duplicate their certificates to "hundreds."

The simple truth is, the Board did their plain duty, regardless of the opinion of friend or foe, and the strictest scrutiny into their acts will prove every single assertion of the Herald to be a willful falsehood.

RECONSTRUCTION.

We are permitted to take the following extract from a private letter, written in the region of the late Hon. R. W. Black's home. Reading this will give our distant friends an idea of the profound peace. Mr. Black was the only fearless advocate of the reconstruction law in his District; his death gives the rebel hordes full sway, and while that state exists, of course they have "profound peace."

Fort Knox, Texas, Jan. 24, 1868.

"How is the political horizon about your region? Here I can hold no hope for a Union man; it is radically rebellious, and he who shows a loyal head will stand a poor chance. The few Union men here are shamefully afraid to express their sentiments—cowed and bullied by the heathenish hell-hounds of rebeldom. I have used my utmost endeavors to instill into them a feeling of security, even though they be small in numbers; but they are afraid of their shadows; though there is a semblance of truth in what they say—that they must either be 'know-nothings'—if not in spirit, in action—or be bushwhacked."

"I am afraid the cause will get very few votes here, or about here; and so you can tell our friend Newcomb. I trust, hope, and fervently wish he may be elected; it will be 'the right man in the right place.' We are doing what we can for him, but I see no prospect of doing anything here."

"I am thoroughly disgusted with this country, and could not be induced to live out here for any amount. The people are too belligerent for my weak nerves, and too lazy and indolent for my taste—and here I'll leave them."

MURDER AND ROBBERY.—In remarking upon Cook the murder, the Bulletin says: Never before has Texas been so overrun with lawless characters. Robberies and murders are getting to be common. Mail stages are stopped and robbed, and highwaymen are getting to be as numerous as they were in England in former days. The State is infested with bar characters new importations from abroad whom the late war has educated for deeds of plunder and rapine. Before the war a person could travel in all directions without fear of being molested in any shape whatever; highway robberies and murders were of very rare occurrence, and in those rare instances the offenders were always ferreted out and punished.

Yet this short sighted Rebel newspaper is loud in its praises of Hancock's Civil law and still keeps up its advocacy of the Southern Confederacy.

Reconstructed.

The following item from a Vicksburg paper shows the contrite spirit of the reconstructed:

After a long and painful absence, Mr. Davis is again gladdened by a view of his many loving friends, and he stands again an honored and adored advocate of his conscientious convictions in the midst of pleasant and familiar scenes in his adopted State. His coming was unannounced. So simple and unpretending was his coming that we can scarcely realize that so great and so celebrated a man stands among us.

Many hearts beat high with exultation, and many eyes were brightened in gladness at the joyful intelligence of the arrival of the glorious yet persecuted Chief of the last cause had again returned to his home. He seems to be enjoying excellent health.

IMPEACHMENT TO BE REVIVED.—The Washington Star says: "Several leading Radical members of the Senate and House have today, it is said, declared that if the President declines or refuses to recognize Mr. Scales as Secretary of War, they will immediately take up the impeachment measure and put the same through without delay."

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. Mrs. C. T. Jones wishes to inform her friends that she will commence giving lessons on the Piano Forte and Singing, on the 1st of February, and desires a share of their patronage.

To be found at the residence of A. W. Briggs, Col. Newton's house. (Jan 30/68)

SALE OF HORSES. DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, JAN. 28, 1868. Will be sold at Public Auction, at the Alamo yard in this city, on Tuesday the 29th of February, commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.

G. Cavalry Horses. condemned as unfit for public service. Delivery, immediately after sale. Terms: Cash in government funds. J. G. C. LEE, Provost Lt.-Col. and A. Q. M. (Jan 28-54) U. S. Army.

PROPOSALS FOR LIME AND CHARCOAL. OFFICE CHIEF QUARTER MASTER, 5th Military District, New Orleans, La., January 28th, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS, will be received at the office of the Chief Q. M. District of Texas, at Austin, until Monday, February 17th, 1868, for the delivery at the Depot of San Antonio, Texas.

300 Barrels Lime. 3,000 " Charcoal. Within sixty days from the date of this contract. Proposals to be in duplicate and the standing of the bidder guaranteed by two responsible persons.

Parties are requested to be present at the time of opening the bids. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids if deemed unreasonable. Proposals to be sealed, endorsed and directed to the undersigned, Chief Q. M. District of Texas, Austin, Texas. General J. A. Foster, Chief Q. M. District of Texas, Austin, Texas. (Feb 3/68)

G. H. TOMPKINS, Bvt. Brig. Gen. U. S. A., Chief Q. M. 5th Military District. (Feb 3/68)

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER. OFFICE CHIEF QUARTER MASTER, 5th Military District, New Orleans, La., January 28th, 1868.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Chief Q. M. District of Texas, at Austin, until the 15th of February next, for twenty five thousand feet best quality Cypress Lumber, to the Depot Q. M. San Antonio, Texas, subject to inspection, and to be delivered within thirty days from date of contract. Proposals to be in duplicate and the standing of the bidder guaranteed by two responsible persons.

Parties are requested to be present at the time of opening the bids. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids if deemed unreasonable. Proposals to be sealed, endorsed and directed to the undersigned, Chief Q. M. District of Texas, Austin, Texas. General J. A. Foster, Chief Q. M. District of Texas, Austin, Texas. G. H. TOMPKINS, Bvt. Brig. Gen. U. S. A., Chief Q. M. 5th Military District. (Feb 3/68)

VINE CUTTINGS.

The Vintage of J. L. Smith & W. Braunfels is being trimmed, and persons wishing cuttings from the finest varieties of Brandy and other foreign grapes, can obtain them by addressing him at San Braunfels. The great advantage to be gained by securing cuttings from these vines, is that they are thoroughly acclimated, and the vines made therefrom are unexcelled. Jan 31/68

ELECTION NOTICE.

In accordance with Special order No. 213, Headquarters 5th Military District, dated New Orleans, La., Dec. 28, 1867, an election for Delegates for the Constitutional Convention for the District comprising the counties of Bexar, Kerr, Bandera, Medina, Uvalde, Kinney, Maverick, Edwards and Zavalla, will commence on the 10th day of February next, at sunrise, and will continue for five successive days from sunrise to sunset each day, except a recess of one hour at noon. Those voting for a Convention, will have written or printed on their ballots, by which they vote for delegates, the words "For a Convention" and those voting against a Convention shall have written or printed on the same "Against a Convention." The voters of the above named counties will vote for two delegates. Voters will be required to show their certificates to the Judges of election.

All places where intoxicating liquors are sold will be closed on the election days, and the sale of the same prohibited. The Sheriff and other peace officers are requested to be present during the whole term of the election, and will be held responsible for the preservation of the public peace and good order, and will be subject to the orders of the Board of Registrars. Should the civil officers fail, from any cause, to preserve the peace, the Military Commander, who will be in residence, will be called upon for that purpose. JULIUS DRESEL, President of Board of Registration. 37dalswide

TURNER HALL.

Billiard Saloon and Bar-Room. Main Street, near the Bridge. The undersigned respectfully inform the public that they have added another fine Marble Billiard Table (of H. Kistler) to their Saloon, also a Jenny Lind Table. They always keep on hand the finest of Liquors, Wines, Segars, &c., &c. HAURIGEN & PIPER. Jan 31/68

DRS. KINGSBURY & HERNDON, SURGEON DENTISTS.

Office at Dr. K's old stand, near French's Building, San Antonio. (Jan 29/68)

Dr. Herndon who is a regular graduate, both of Medicine and Dentistry, and being well endorsed by gentlemen of the Profession, as a careful and skillful operator, will occupy my office during my absence from the city, and will fill all my outstanding professional engagements.

I take pleasure therefore in recommending Dr. H. to my patrons and the public generally. W. G. KINGSBURY. Jan 2/68

The State of Texas, County of Bexar. In County Court for Settlement of Estates, &c., January Term, 1868.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Johanna Richter, deceased. Ernest Richter, administrator of the Estate of Johanna Richter, deceased, having filed his final account and statement as such administrator, in the Hon. County Court for settlement of Estates, &c., of said county, and applied for audit and allowance and partitions, &c., of said estate, among the legal heirs and for discharge. You are hereby notified to be and appear at the February Term, 1868, of said Court, to be holden on Monday the 24th day of said month, at the Court House in said County, in the City of San Antonio, to show cause, if any you can, why said account should not be audited and allowed, and said administrator discharged, and to do and suffer such other things as the Court may there and there order and decree in the premises.

Witness, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County and Seal of said Court at office in San Antonio, this 28th day of January, A. D. 1868. PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co. By H. MacCORMACK, Dep't. (Jan 28/68)

RESTAURANT.

E. McDONALD would respectfully notify the old patrons of Whitehead's Restaurant, that he has located that establishment and will keep constantly on hand the choicest viands to be found in this market. Don't forget Judge Whitehead's stand on the Main Street, San Antonio, Texas. (Jan 28/68)

10,000 VINE CUTTINGS. (DIFFERENT KINDS.)

Just arrived a sound collection from the principal Vineyards of Southern France, and for sale by E. FENTENHEDER. Prices: 50 Cuttings, \$2.25; 100 " 3.00; 500 " 13.00; 1000 " 25.00. (Jan 28/68)

GEORGE MCKENNER'S BAR-ROOM.

Main Street, San Antonio, Texas. HAS the very best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., &c., where those who derive pleasure from the "Old Joy" will find comfort and consolation. (Dec 25/67)

BUSINESS NOTICE.

Mr. C. F. Nietzsch is authorized to sign my name for me during my absence. (Jan 30/68) J. A. HANSMANN. San Antonio, Jan. 16, 1868.

Hungarian Leeches.

Just received and for sale by A. NETTE, Druggist and Apothecary, Corner of St. and Commerce Sts. San Antonio, Texas.

TO LET.

The store on Flores street, known as F. Martin's store, lately occupied by F. C. Taylor. For particulars, inquire at P. Martin's, stable street, one door below Nette's Drug Store. (Jan 3-4/68)

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 Trinkets, 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.

DAVID FRIEDLANDER & CO., G. P. DEVINE'S OLD STAND, East Side of Main Plaza, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

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Daily Sales of Goods, Wares, and Merchandise of every description. Consignments respectfully solicited from home and abroad. To consignors from abroad we furnish worthy references in New York, New Orleans, and the principal cities of Texas. 1643m

DIRECT IMPORTATION.

ONLY ONE WORD! H. GRENET, Respectfully invites City and Country Merchants and the Public generally to examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

BY DOING SO THEY WILL FIND GREAT INDUCEMENTS to their advantage.

EVERY ARTICLE IS WARRANTED AS REPRESENTED.

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 Drug Store.

First Class Drug Store. The stock being selected by himself of his own making. 41-f

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PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING Public Buildings for Wilson Co.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Wilson county, in the town of Lodi, Wilson county, on or before the 15th day of February, 1868, for the erection of one Court House, to be built of stone, of the following dimensions, to wit: one story high and forty-five feet square. Each proposal must be accompanied with plan and specifications. Payments to be made in County bonds; at one, two, and three years, equal installments, with ten per cent interest from date of completion. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and structure on or before September 1st, 1868, out of first class building material. Proposals will be required to be accompanied with the names of two responsible parties and directed to the undersigned, at Sutherland Springs, Wilson county, Texas. W. LONGWORTH, Chief Justice. J. C. COOK, Agent for the County. Jan 12 4dwt

Local Intelligence.

ONE DAILY PAPER.

The San Antonio Express is the only Daily paper published in Western Texas. We publish fifty two PAPERS A YEAR MORE THAN THE LEADER. We give daily dispatches, while that concern only gives them three times a week.

Subscribe for the only daily paper in the city and support enterprise.

"It is our deliberate opinion that by the fraudulent conduct of the aforesaid board of registrars, in their zeal to subvert the interests of a tyrannical dominant party now in power and over riding the constitution of the Republic and the Supreme Court, they have wrongfully robbed at least from one thousand to twelve hundred American citizens of this county of their legal rights."—S. A. Herald of the 4th inst.

Such is the shameful falsehood perpetrated by the Herald to further the interests of its co-rebels. Only 1761 persons have applied for registration, out of which number 148 have been rejected. It is a well known and admitted fact that between 700 and 900 illegal votes were cast at the election held last year in this county and city. It is a well known fact that at least four or five hundred persons were registered under the Hamilton registration, who were not citizens of the United States; it is a well known fact that the Mexican voting population has diminished several hundred since the last elections. The Herald's assertion is too shameful a falsehood to deserve further refutation.

DRAWING THE CURTAIN OVER THE PAST.—Devine and his crew have drawn the curtain over the past, but it is only high enough to cover the glorious record of General Sigle, Carl Shurtz and the brave followers they look over the top and see "the brave Southern forefathers who fought so nobly at New Orleans." It covers the chain marks on the limbs of Mr. Simon and other victims of Devine, but beyond, they see the glory of those who "won Texas from the Comanche" (that's a good joke). The curtain covers the Negroes massacred, where some fifty Germans were butchered, but beyond, these sharp visioned patriots, see Bunker Hill and Yorktown. We glory in New Orleans, Banker Hill and Yorktown. We have also erected a monument on the banks of the Neches in memory of our brave brothers and fathers murdered while trying to seek the flag of our country in whose memory we glory. Where do we find consistency in the facile representations of the rebels?

ESCAPE ON MONDAY.—The murderer Dod escaped from the military guard-house on Monday night during the storm, in company with a soldier, in for desertion. Dod was brought in by Sheriff Musgrave of Atascosa county, and belongs to a desperate band of murderers, and it is most unfortunate he has escaped.

PASSAGE.—Mr. J. W. Haines of the Home news is a man on Monday. Mr. S. has lived for eleven years on the Hondo and is a staunch Union man. A native of New York and a man who has enjoyed all the refining influences of wealth and prosperity. Mr. S. has found the Texas frontier a very pleasant retreat after having suffered from the storms of misfortune.

COURT MARTIAL.—The Military Court Martial ordered to convene in this city, of which Gen. Mason is President, is now in session in the upper rooms of the Plaza House. This Military Court will be in session about two months.

MUD, MUD.—Our city is ankle deep in ugly mud. We hope the day will come, and we know it will come if we have two years of honest city government, then our streets shall all be properly graded and paved.

SMALL FISH.—Devine and his "white men" went fishing after camels, fates; they baited their hooks with a "niger," and after fishing all over the county, caught a "teal" and "mud."

TEXAS CAMELS.—The Indiana Bulletin says: "Famous camels, raised in Texas have arrived, to be shipped to New York, to be placed in the Central Park in that city. Our old citizens will recollect the arrival from Asia some years ago, of the camels, which excited so much curiosity, and near. These camels came from the stock and were born and raised at Camp Verde."

REPUBLICAN COUNTY.

We select a few names from the Republican committee and a few from the Conservative (Herald) committee that our citizens may know who they are asked to honor.

- REPUBLICAN.
- CAPT. FISK
 - DR. HERTZBERG
 - SAMUEL BELL
 - JUDGE STRIBBLING
 - E. MONDRAGON
 - GOVERNOR UJHAZI
 - CONSERVATIVE (HERALD)
 - COL. GEO. H. SWEET
 - CAPT. PENALOZA
 - JUDGE DEVINE
 - ROSENHEIMER
 - MAYOR J. H. LYONS
 - ED. BRADEN
 - W. B. KNOX

A HINT FOR TENANTS.—Few poets, especially young ones, are able to turn their verses to any such useful purposes as paying their rent. But this is the very way Allen Ramsey, a Scotch poet, turned his rhymes to this useful purpose. After his rent became due he met his landlord and explained his circumstances, and expressed his distress at his failure to meet his obligations. The jolly landlord was quite kind to him, and said that as he was a "lad of genius" he would give him a chance to cancel his debt without paying a shilling. "If," said the creditor, "you'll give me a rhyming answer to four questions in as many minutes, I'll quit you the rent altogether." Allen said he would try. The questions were: "What does God love? What does the devil love? What does the world love? What do I love?" Ramsey wrote:

"God loves man when man refrains from sin,
The devil loves man when he perverts therein;
The world loves man when riches on him flow,
And you'd love me could I pay you what I owe."

"The rent is paid," said the farmer, giving his tenant a heavy slap on the shoulders.

MADAME GARNIER BERNARD.—Has the honor to announce to the citizens of San Antonio, that she has opened a school to teach the French language, also to instruct in dress making and embroidery. Persons who will favor her with their patronage, may convince themselves in advance, of good results.

Residence, Alamo street, opposite Voltman's. (Jan 15th)

MEYER, SAWYER & CO.
AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
205. Main Plaza and Solidad street, next to the Plaza House.
A good yard for stock in connection with the premises.
Sale days—Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. (Jan 7th)

NORTON & DEUTZ.
Main Plaza, San Antonio,
DEALERS IN
Hardware,
Stoves, Agricultural Implements,
Woodenware, Window Glass, Paints,
Oils, Leather, Arms and
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(Jan 24th)

R. OPPENHEIMER & CO.
Importers and Dealers in
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS
and Shoes, Hats, Hosiery, Gents'
Furnishing Goods, Notions, &c.
38 N. 4th Commerce Street.
(Opposite the Foot Bridge.)
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Jan 16th

F. KALTEYER,
APOTHECARY AND DRUGGIST,
Presidio St., near the Court-house,
SAN ANTONIO.
Has just received direct from Europe, a well selected supply of
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, etc.
Among others—
English Colocyn,
English Mustard,
Metric Acid,
Acetic Acid,
Oil of Bergamot,
Oil of Lemon,
Lime, &c., &c.
Superior Steel Pens and Pen Holders,
Tympans,
Syringes, of
Block Tin,
Glass, and
India Rubber,
Cupping Glasses,
Medicine Chests, Medical Saddle-bags, etc.
*Genuine Eau de Cologne.
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Books, Stationery, AND NOTIONS.

GAMBLE'S BOOK STORE,
117 Commerce Street,
JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY OF
STATIONERY—
for Commercial purposes,
Ladies' Bath Gilt Note,
Octavo and Billet
Paper;
Lined Envelopes, &c., &c.;
Photographic Albums;
Pencil Cases;
Toilet Articles;
Perfumery, &c., &c.;
Ladies' Dress Buttons,
Writing Cases, Spectacles,
Cams, Umbrellas,
and many other articles, too numerous to mention.

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OF ALL KINDS OF
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Such as
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Always on Hand.
San Antonio, Oct. 2, 1867. dtf

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Main Plaza, San Antonio, Texas.
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Have abundant space for any quantity of goods for
Auction, Private Sale or Storage.
Also a large yard for Carriages, Wagons
Stock, &c.
Stock Auction every Saturday at 1
o'clock. Mules and Horses always on hand
for sale.
Cotton bought and sold.
Particular attention paid to the purchase
and sale of Real Estate.
Also, to disposition of Bonded Ware
Goods. (See 20th.)

THE Gas Generators
Have Arrived!
An invention by which a common Kero
sene lamp can at once be transformed into
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tirely safe against explosion, the 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 gener-
ator.
The undersigned having procured the pa-
tent right for Bexar County, has now a sup-
ply 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 in-
fringed.
Apply to
F. SIMON,
At the store of Hertzberg & Simon,
Nov 10th San Antonio.

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(ESTABLISHED 1856.)
CASH
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J.C. HULL'S SON,
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FAMILY & PALE
SOAP,
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STOVES!



COOKING,
PARLOR,
AND BOX
STOVES!
Just received by
LEROUX & COSGROVE,
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ELMENDORF & CO.
Hardware Merchants.
MAIN PLAZA.
Have constantly on hand, and offer
for sale
English and American Cutlery,
Iron and Steel of all sizes,
Carpenters Tools,
Mill & Crosscut Saws of all sizes
Boring Machines,
Nails of all sizes,
Butts, Hinges, Screws, etc.
Door Cabinet & Trunk Locks of all kinds,
Shoe Makers & Saddlers Tools & Trimmings,
Buckles Rings, etc.,
Bridle Bits & Webbing,
Oil Cloth, Hames, Gollars, etc.,
Tin, Rivets, & Kettle Ears, etc., etc.,
Steel Hoes and Agricultural Implements,
in general.

Landreth's Garden Seeds always on hand
And a general assortment of Hardware.
Also: Paints, Oils, Turpentine & Glass.
Paint, Shoe & Clothes Brushes,
Petroleum & Lamps,
Colt's Army & Navy Size Pistols,
Powder, Shot & Caps,
And all other articles in their line of
business at low prices.
Sole Agents for Herring's Safe's
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RIFLES.
Kentucky Rifles,
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(A splendid arm for Frontier Service.)
Henry's Rifles,
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SHOT GUNS,
At \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$40, \$50, and up
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In every variety. Orders from every
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Sole Agents for Texas for
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Cavalry Horses
Wanted Immediately!
Two Hundred and Seventy-
Seven Horses.
For which the highest prices in specie will
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Sold Horses must be sound in all particu-
lars, well broken, in full flesh and good con-
dition, from (15) fifteen to (25) twenty hands
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purpose.
For particulars apply at the Menger Ho-
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RESOLUTIONS.

(CONTINUED.)

A Resolution tendering the Thanks of Congress to Captain Louis M. Goldborough, and Officers, Private Deacons, Soldiers, and Marines under his Command, for the Victory at Roanoke Island.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the thanks of Congress be, and they are hereby, tendered to Captain Louis M. Goldborough, and to the officers, petty officers, seamen, and marines attached to the squadron under his command, for the brilliant and decisive victory achieved at Roanoke Island on the seventh, eighth, and tenth days of February last.

Approved, July 11, 1862.

A Resolution expressive of the Thanks of Congress to Lieutenant J. L. Woodson of the United States Army, and to the Officers and Men under his Command in the Monitor.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the thanks of Congress be, and they are hereby, tendered to Lieutenant J. L. Woodson of the United States Army, and to the officers and men of the iron-clad gunboat Monitor, under his command, for the skill and gallantry exhibited by them in the late remarkable battle between the Monitor and the rebel iron-clad steamer Merrimack.

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A Resolution in relation to Contracts with the United States.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be the duty of the several executive departments of the government to publish in one of the daily newspapers of the city of Washington, on Tuesday of each week, a list of all contracts which shall have been solicited or proposed to each, respectively, during the week next preceding, which list shall state briefly the subject matter of each contract so solicited or proposed to be made, its terms, the name of the proposed contractor and of all persons known to be interested therein, directly or indirectly, and of all persons who solicit, request, or recommend the making of any such contract: Provided, That the foregoing provisions shall not be applicable to bids made in pursuance of advertisements for contracts or purchases made under existing laws, but shall apply to all proposed modifications of existing contracts.

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Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in lieu of that part of the railroad grant to Minnesota Territory by act of Congress, approved third March, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, which extends northwesterly from the intersection of the tenth standard parallel with the north guide meridian, there shall be granted to the State of Minnesota the alternate sections within six miles limits of such new branch line of route as the authorities of the State may designate, having its southwestern terminus at any point on the existing line, between the Falls of Saint Anthony and Crow Wing, and extending in a northwesterly direction to the waters of Lake Superior, with a right-of-way between the fifteen mile limits thereof, provided this resolution shall take effect from the filing in the General Land Office of the acceptance by the authorities aforesaid of such substitution; whereupon the land north of the intersection aforesaid to the grant authorized by the said act of third March, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, being by said acceptance discontinued, shall be dealt with as other public lands of the United States.

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act, and report the same, with the facts connected therewith, to the Secretary of War; and commissions to have such compensation for their services as the Secretary of War may consider just and reasonable: Provided, That said commissioners shall be required to examine and report within sixty days after the passage of this resolution upon all such claims as may be presented by persons claiming to have been organized or employed in the State of Missouri, and to have performed service according to the provisions of the said act, and as required by said act: And provided, further, That within sixty days after the passage of this resolution the said commissioners shall examine and report upon all other claims arising under the act aforesaid, when payments shall be made as herein prescribed.

Approved, July 12, 1862.

A Resolution to provide for the Presentation of 'Medals of Honor' to the Enlisted Men of the Army and Volunteer Forces who have distinguished, or may distinguish, themselves in Battle during the present Rebellion.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to cause two thousand 'medals of honor' to be prepared with suitable emblematic devices, and to direct the same be presented, in the name of Congress, to such non-commissioned officers and privates as shall most distinguish themselves by their gallantry in action, and other soldier-like qualities, during the present insurrection. And that the sum of ten thousand dollars, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of carrying this resolution into effect.

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