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### Doctors.

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San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868. dwtif

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### OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, February 15, 1868.

It is almost incredible, and I am not  
sure that you will believe it—but we  
have at last had a fine day!—compara-  
tively fine, that is. Overhead we can  
see a blue sky whose purity Italy would  
envy; but then—monieur!—under  
foot it is so filthy! Even Constantinople  
would find it a work of serious difficulty  
to surpass us in dirty streets.

Yet we patient, long-suffering New  
Yorkers find time and temper to wonder  
at the recent bold action of Congress.  
The grand army of Copperheads shed a  
magnificent (crocodile) tears at the new  
violation of the Constitution, and the  
editors of the World insert their valve-  
head in double form in sensational edi-  
torials on the evil doings of a Rump  
Congress.

In Jersey, too—that elysium of per-  
secuted cock-fighters, burglars and pug-  
ilists, avoiding the too curious inspection  
of our Republican police—there was a  
"mass" meeting the other night, to pro-  
test with the wonted ardor of a "ferce  
Democracie" against the oppressions of a  
"Radical" Congress. And really their  
fulminations don't fall far short of the  
celebrated manifesto of the Three Tailors  
of Tooley street.

Judge George W. Paschal is managing  
a case in Washington in which Texans  
are greatly concerned. I allude to the  
cause, the State of Texas vs. White,  
Chiles et al. I subjoin a brief analysis  
of the ground taken by the counsel for  
the defendants in his— to dissolve  
the injunction:

"In the United States Supreme Court,  
to day, the cause No. 6, original State of  
Texas vs. White, Chiles, et al., was ar-  
gued on the motion to dissolve the in-  
junction heretofore granted restraining  
the defendants from using or disposing  
of certain United States bonds, obtained  
by them from the rebel Military Board  
at the outbreak of the rebellion. The  
motion to dissolve the injunction is based  
upon the ground that the State of Texas  
is not a State in the Union, and that she  
is not therefore entitled to appear as  
complainant in an action in the Federal  
Courts. The point is taken that Con-  
gress having determined that Texas is  
not a State in the Union for purposes of  
representation, she is not a State in the  
Union for the purpose of a suit in this  
Court."—[New York Times.

The Judge is confident of success, and  
says that if Andrew Johnson had not in-  
terfered, or, rather, abstained from defi-  
nite action, the defendants would have  
occupied a place in Court generally ap-  
propriated to the use of felons.

Dickens has been reading over in  
Brooklyn, and Plymouth Church has  
been crowded with admiring disciples of  
Henry Ward Beecher. That big audi-  
ence was evidently a little afraid of that  
small, red-faced, quick-eyed man, dressed  
so tastily and expensively, who on the  
tiniest whisper shot a single glance into  
the luckless wight who uttered it; every  
one thought to himself, most evidently:  
"Here is a man who is certain to make  
fun of us, and must really do our best to  
give as little cause for it as possible."  
And so they looked and, no doubt, felt  
as awkward as a country girl at her first  
ball. But I have reason to understand  
that Charles the Great is quite delighted  
with his second visit to New York. He  
has made a grand tour of inspection with  
some obliging satellites of Superintendent  
Kennedy and a *matou de joie* was  
"pulled" as the vernacular has it, for  
his especial benefit. The consequence  
was that the Evening News teemed with  
indignant letters from friends and rela-  
tives of the unlucky "pulled" ones.

Still I must confess that we have  
shown a singularly charitable inclination  
to fill his notebook. What with the  
murder of Slough in New Mexico, and  
the shooting of Busted in Alabama, the  
Buffalo railroad accident, and the plea-  
sant little dialogue between Julian and  
Chandler in the House of Representatives,  
we have given him every opportunity for  
displaying his satirical powers.

The San, under Dana's management,  
is going to champion Grant as a fit and

proper man for the Presidency. But as  
far as the populace of New York is con-  
cerned, I am afraid *Le Genral* has  
forfeited his high repute by his part and  
share in the Stanton *ecclebre*.

In the matter of amusements we are  
very slow. An audacious plagiarist, by  
name Augustin Daly, whose prolific gen-  
ius is capable of converting the "Lament-  
ations of Jeremiah" into a three-act  
comedy, with half a dozen sensatica  
scenes, "effects" and "situations," has  
burthened us with a terrible parody of  
Piekwick; it is by long odds the great-  
est failure that has ever followed an at-  
tempt to dramatize the undramatizable.

Those wonderful "Japs," as our gamias  
call the Japanese, have arrived, and seem  
resolved to make themselves the sensa-  
tion. They do all sorts of wildly-im-  
possible and indescribable things; one  
hoary old gentleman, with a remarkable  
resemblance to a pre-adamite baboon,  
electrifies a gaping house by his "in-  
trig" performances; he seems to think it  
nothing at all to support—not a wife  
and five small children—but a tut, a  
whole tree, a bird-cage, ever so many  
trapezes, and, finally, a little Japanese  
girl, on the soles of his feet! I am  
not much given to perpetrating bad  
jokes, but I am compelled to call this a  
very remarkable feat indeed.

Let me warn your readers against fall-  
ing a prey to the various gift-enterprise  
windlers who make this unhappy city  
their headquarters. Indeed, the whole  
principle is wrong in the extreme. Any  
object which is compelled to enlist the  
sympathies of that class which chiefly  
supports these foolish lotteries, is well  
deserving of failure. Postmaster Kelly,  
of New York, sends all letters addressed  
to the various firms of windlers to the  
Dead Letter office. Disgusted with this  
move, the angry knaves cause their cor-  
respondence to be directed to Brooklyn,  
which is under the supervision of quite  
another kind of man.

It may interest some of your readers  
to know that Queen Victoria's new work  
on her "Life in the Highlands," is out,  
and she scatters liberal largesses of praise  
among her Scottish subjects. I under-  
stand that the work is a great success.

### GENERAL ITEMS.

Motto for the married—never disap-  
pair.  
Miami Hauck pleases Chicago.  
Russia is building more railways.  
Virginia is shipping corn to Boston.  
An old revolver—the earth—Punch.  
Pears and peaches in Tallahassee.  
Philadelphia is locked in snow.  
Corpses are lower than ever in Paris.  
Beecher is going to lecture in Wil-  
mington.  
The wife of Duress filio has published  
a novel.  
Twelve snow storms in Louisville  
this season.  
The ninety-fifth asteroid has been  
discovered.  
The birthday of Paine was celebrated  
in Chicago.  
Two cousins preside over the Maine  
Legislature.  
There is a man in Kentucky who has  
no ear, never had any, and hears  
through his mouth.  
A London paper has a cheerful ar-  
ticle on the hideousness of the hearse.  
Mrs. Charles, of the Schonberg-Cotta  
family will soon publish a volume of  
poems.  
French experimenters have succeeded  
in rivaling the big trees of California.  
The effects of a deceased Spaniard  
in New Orleans were \$100,000 spent in  
lottery blanks.  
A coachman of Dubuque has fallen  
hair to £150,000 in gold. Pleasant  
"fare."  
A Georgia blacksmith says he wrote  
"Rock me to sleep" in 1850.  
Those seven Lowell girls are having  
the jolliest possible time in Dresden.  
Missouri has captured the biggest  
eagle yet—eight feet from tip to tip.  
The Austrian Emperor has thanked  
Tegethoff for recovering Maximilian's  
remains.  
The ex-King of Naples is the gayest  
"gambolier" in Europe.



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ELECTION NEWS.

The election news from various sections of the State continue favorable to the Union party, disconnected details will be useless to our readers. So soon as the general result can be obtained officially, we will publish them in full.

The result of the election has proven that the people of Texas-four fifths of a section being the people-are in full and complete sympathy with a firm and triumphant Congress. These people must not now relax their efforts and become indifferent-we have but reached the starting point, and gathered the "ribbons" ready for the race.

The Union party is in the ascendancy, it alone can redeem Texas; to it belongs the praise, to every enemy the rebuke in spite of himself-belongs the advantages that may accrue from the liberal policy of the Republican party.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

The resolutions in this morning's paper are those passed upon by the meeting Monday night.

The committee of twenty met yesterday and organized by electing G. W. Breckenridge, President National Bank, Chairman; John James, Secretary; and Joseph Dwyer, Treasurer.

The north boundary line of the Western State was not defined in the resolutions adopted by the public meeting. The Committee have deemed it proper to insert in the resolutions a clause defining this boundary, and have adopted the line suggested in the Express of the 22nd inst. This line is the 32nd parallel, commencing at the conjunction of Chihuahua, New Mexico and Texas, on the Rio Grande, running thence along the line between the last two, to the south-east point of N. M. and thence due east to a point on Brazos River.

CONSOLATION.-The National Intelligencer (Johnson's organ) states that the editor of the New York Tribune has reached a position lower than that attained by any gentleman who professes honor and integrity in politics. The Editors of the Express being the but of all the epithets in the Democratic vocabulary, can feel that his course emulates, in a degree, that of his illustrious cotemporary, the attacks, at least, are the same.

One dollar will pay for a month's subscription for the Daily Express.

DIVISION OF THE STATE.

At the call of a temporary Committee, organized for the purpose of taking steps in the division of the State, a large number of deeply interested citizens met at the Court-house Monday evening to organize permanent committees and give full expression to the wishes of the western portion of the State.

Peter Gallagher, Esq., was called to the Chair, and John James, Esq., elected Secretary.

The Chairman, upon taking his seat, called upon Hon. E. Degener, as President of the temporary Committee, to give a statement of its preceding and recommendations.

Mr. D. stated that the Committee had issued a call for this meeting, and telegraphed Thaddeus Stevens, M. C., to suspend action on the division of Texas until we could send him our views.

Upon motion of Peyton Smythe, Esq., the actions of the Provisional Committee were adopted as the sense of this community. Before this question was finally acted upon, a venerable gentleman, with flowing locks, arose and paid a high tribute to the pastoral wealth of the West; his remarks were greeted with such storms of applause that the Chair was compelled to call the meeting to order and proceed to act upon the question.

On motion of Judge Gamble, a committee was appointed by the Chair to select the names of twenty leading citizens as a permanent Committee to attend to the interest of the West in affairs pertaining to this vital question of division.

During the recess Mr. Degener elucidated the views taken by the Provisional Committee, which he said had been condensed in the form of a set of resolutions, intended to be submitted to the mass meeting then assembled, for their approval or rejection.

The following names were given and adopted as the permanent Committee:

- G. W. Breckenridge, President of the National Bank; Samuel A. Maverick; Ignacius Casiano, Charles Gricebank; Peter Gallagher, John James, James Vance; Wm. Thielepape, Mayor; Wm. W. Gamble, Judge of the County Court; James Dwyer, J. H. Kampman; David Bell, County Commissioner; A. Nette; T. H. Strubling, Judge of the District Court; F. Gross, Juan Antonio Chavez, Dietrich Stamburg, Wm. H. Jackson.

The resolutions were then submitted, and with an unimportant alteration, adopted, as follows:-

Whereas, The measure, now under consideration by the United States Congress, for the division of the State of Texas into four or more States, is fraught with consequences so vital to the future interests, prosperity and progress of the people, as to justify and demand a general expression of views thereon;

It is resolved by the People of Bexar County in mass meeting assembled, To express the following as their convictions:

1st. That the vast extent of the territory of Texas, a great portion of which is sparsely populated; the great difference of interests of the various sections; the marked diversity of manners and habits of life of the people of our State, renders it next to impossible to produce such harmony of action in our State government as the welfare and prosperity of the several sections demand.

2d. That a division of the State of Texas has on that account become an imperative necessity.

3rd. That the geographical character and position of the State, its inefficiency of population and wealth, renders a present division of Texas, into more than two or three States, inexpedient and impracticable.

4th. That the division line, for such purpose which would most likely secure the greatest favor with the people, begins at the mouth of Caney River on the Gulf of Mexico, thence North following the county line between Brazoria, Matagorda, Fort Bend and Wharton respectively, until it reaches Brazos River, following thence the course of said river to the North corner of Bosque county, and thence North to Red River.

5th. That the people inhabiting such district of his sections, which is situated North of the 32° of latitude and East of the Western boundary lines of Hardeman, Knox, Haskell, Jones, Taylor and a portion of Rannells' counties, should be secured in their right to form a third State, comprising said section, whenever the number of population entitle, or their interest require such a measure, and that provisions to that effect should be made in the constitutions of the Eastern and Western sections as above proposed.

6th. That it is the sense of this meeting that the City of San Antonio shall remain the Capitol of the Western State.

7th. That for the purpose of saving time and money, the necessary steps should be taken in Congress to duly authorize and require the Convention, to be held at Austin, to at once divide into two separate bodies, and frame Constitutions for the respective two sections.

8th. That a copy of these resolutions be annexed to the petition, proposed to be forwarded from this county to the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington. The press of this city are respectfully requested to publish these proceedings.

IMPEACHMENT.

The laws of the country have never been defined with sufficient clearness upon the rights of Congress to suspend from duty those under trial before it, until the present body passed a specific act providing for such a contingency; they have not only done this, but another law has been made, providing that the person who occupies the chair of the Senate at a time when both the positions of President and Vice President are made vacant, said President of the Senate shall hold the position of President of the United States until a regular election for President, although his term as U. S. Senator may have expired.

This secures to us as President Hon. B. F. Wade who will hold over until the newly-elected President is inaugurated on March 4 1869. The office reverts to Mr. Wade immediately that articles of impeachment are presented to the Senate by the House of representatives. When this occurs the Senate becomes a Grand Court, with Johnson as defendant and the nation plaintiffs.

DIVISION.

The following telegram was sent to Washington yesterday evening:

[TELEGRAM.]

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Feb. 25, 1868. Hon. Thaddeus Stevens, Washington, D. C.: Resolutions passed by citizens in mass meeting upon the division of the State: 1st. Boundary of Western Texas to be as follows: Beginning at the mouth of Caney River on the Gulf of Mexico, thence following the boundary line of the counties of Brazoria and Fort Bend to Brazos River, thence up Brazos to thirty-second degree of latitude, thence west to the Rio Grande.

2d. Ask authorization of Congress for Convention to divide into two bodies and frame separate Constitutions.

COMMITTEE.

WHO ARE FEEDING FROM THE PUBLIC CHIB!

The following article from the New York Tribune gives us an idea of the class of men who are now creeping into high places. Most of them, instead of being prominent would be non-entities, were they compelled to compete with gentlemen of ability, in civil life.

"The testimony of Mr. Rollins, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, before the Judiciary Committee, and his letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, which our Washington correspondent furnishes this morning, place the responsibility for the present inefficiency of the revenue system so clearly upon the President that, when plans for the relief of the national finances are under debate, it will be well to recur to it for a few valuable hints. The removals and appointments in the Internal Revenue service during the year 1866 were made by the President alone, without consultation with the Commissioner; and indeed Mr. Rollins soon ceased to make any recommendations to office, knowing that they would not be regarded. He believed that the changes made by Mr. Johnson had cost the country many millions of dollars. Many of the most competent and vigilant officers were removed for purely political reasons, and corrupt or inexperienced men appointed in their places, and 'as a rule, in those States where removals were largely made, the best men were removed.' On the other hand, officials whose removal Mr. Rollins had for good reasons requested, and against whom he had filed formal charges, are still retained. In view of the damaging character of his testimony, it is not at all surprising that the Commissioner himself should have been tarred out.

Mexico.

The Mexican correspondence which we publish this morning foreshadows what has just been telegraphically announced, the resignation of Generals Diaz and Escobedo. Both, and especially the former, have rendered signal services to their country, and their open rupture with the President will cause profound regret to all who hope for the restoration of peace and order in unhappy Mexico. From the long-tried patriotism of Diaz and Escobedo it is still to be hoped that their opposition to Juarez will be satisfied with resignation, and that it will not mislead them to a pronouncement. Even now their country is troubled by insurrectionary outbreaks in a number of States. A serious civil war, headed by some of the leading Generals, would plunge Mexico into misery and anarchy, and put off the resignation of the country into a remote future. [New York Tribune.

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New Advertisements.

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A new Brick House, opposite the Arsenal, on Flores St. containing three rooms, a large hall and kitchen. Enquire on the premises or of Dr. T. Templeman Van der Hoeven, Feb 25d 68

Headquarters, District of Texas, Bureau of Registers, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands. Office A. A. Q. M. and Disbursing Officer, Austin, Texas, February 15th, 1868.

In compliance with directions from the Commissioner Bureau R. F. and A. L., I shall sell at Public Auction, at the office of the Bureau R. F. and A. L., at Waco, Texas, on the 17th day of March, 1868, at 3 o'clock, P. M., the property held by the United States near the city of Waco, McLennan county, Texas, known as the Waco Factory, including all and singular, the Buildings, Tenements, Lands or Hereditaments thereunto pertaining; also one Steam Engine and Boiler, Wheat-rock Baling cloths, &c., one set of Corn rocks; two carding engines and one Picker.

Detailed description of the property can be obtained at the Office of the Bureau R. F. and A. L. at Austin and Waco, Texas. Terms-Cash.

C. S. ROBERTS, By Capt. U. S. A., A. A. Q. M. & D. O. Feb 21d 68.

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Gas Burners for Kerocine Lamps. Feb 17d 68

TO THE TAX-PAYERS OF BEXAR COUNTY.

ASSESSOR & COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, San Antonio, Feb. 13, 1868.

The undersigned Callisto Nunez, having been appointed Assessor and Collector for this county, hereby gives notice that he has entered upon the duties of his office and expects all Tax-payers to come forward and pay their dues. Office at D. Russy's store, near the Court-house, and open from 10 A. M. till 2 P. M. CALISTO NUNEZ, Assessor & Collector, Bexar Co. By E. MONTAGNON, Dept. Ass. & Coll. B. Co. Feb 14d 68.

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SURGEON DENTISTS, Office at Dr. K's, old stand, near French's Building, San Antonio. Jan 22d 68

BUSINESS NOTICE.

Mr. C. F. Viereck is authorized to sign my name for me during my absence. A. HARTMANN, San Antonio, Jan. 16, 1868.

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 30d 68

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

In County Court for Settlement of Estates, &c., January Term, 1868.

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 partition, &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 held on an 18th day of said month, in the City of San Antonio, in 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 then and there order and decree in the premises.

Witness, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County and seal of said Court, this 28th day of January, A. D. 1868.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

In County Court for Settlement of Estates, &c., January Term, 1868.

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 partition, &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 held on Monday the 24th day of said month, at the Court-house of 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 then 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.

TURNER HALL.

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Who please call at the undersigned in matters of his claim. A. SIEMERING, San Antonio, Feb. 23, 1868.

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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 Bernhard Richter, deceased.

Ernest Richter, administrator of the estate of Bernhard Richter, deceased, having filed his final account and statement as such administrator, in the Hon. County Court for the settlement of estates, &c., of said county and applied for audit and allowance and partition, &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 held on an 18th day of said month, in the City of San Antonio, in 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 then and there order and decree in the premises.

Witness, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County and seal of said Court, this 28th day of January, A. D. 1868.

10,000 VINE CUTTINGS.

(Different Kinds). Just arrived in sound condition from the principal Vineyards of Southern France, and for sale by E. PENTENHIEDER, France - 85 Cuttings, \$2 00 100 " " 3 00 500 " " 15 00 1000 " " 15 00 Jan. 25d 68

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R. 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 Plaza. San Antonio, Jan. 28, 1868. (23)

MADAME GARNIER BERNARD.

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Local Intelligence.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

Table with columns for Arrival and Departure of Mails to various locations like Victoria, Waco, Fredericksburg, Compu Christi, Laredo, El Paso.

Through mails via Galveston leave daily at 12-30 P. M. All mails going out in the morning will be closed at 3 o'clock of the evening before.

TRADE.—Yesterday morning the principal streets of the city were crowded with wagons of every description, and the general tone of commerce was better than for several previous days.

FARMERS.—This necessary class of people have been preparing their land for planting, and when the rain came, it found them ready, awaiting its moistening influence.

RAIS.—Yesterday was undoubtedly the opening shower of the spring floods. Commencing at an early hour, the drizzle of the morning resolved itself into a big rain.

GIRLS SCHOOL.—In the numerous arrangements for educating various classes of children in San Antonio, no special opportunity has been placed in the reach of girls among colored people.

This evil is now about to be obviated. Miss Nolan, an educated and accomplished teacher—a graduate of a New England Institute, has arrived and intends opening a school of the kind, and being highly recommended, she should receive the hearty co-operation of all interested in the rising generation.

THE MEETING MONDAY NIGHT.—It will be seen by the report of the meeting Monday night, that our citizens are thoroughly in earnest upon the question of a division of the State. The action taken is led by the most wealthy and active citizens who are accustomed to push their undertakings to successful conclusions.

PURM.—Our authorities should look after the cleanliness of the water running through the city. Yesterday a man was diligently engaged in soaking dry hides in the San Pedro. Such absolute nastiness is enough to produce an epidemic.

MYSTERIOUS.—NITRO GLYCERINE OUTBROKE.—Yesterday morning a mysterious package was deposited in this office marked "Editors Express, freight paid," after taking every precaution necessary to guard against Penian torpedoes, the package was opened and found to be a case of rich Burgundy wine, from the Vintage of Mr. Lands on the Conna, near the Guadalupe. So soon as grapes are ripe we hope to return thanks in person.

POLICE MATTERS.—Nothing doing in this line yesterday. Jail birds cannot fly in wet weather.

CASINO.—The rain cleared away last evening in time to allow the members of this Association to have a pleasant "Hop."

NEWS.—The thunder shower out of the dispatches yesterday and disappointed those anxiously looking for news, as it cleared off before night we must prepare ourselves to be startled to-morrow.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of division authorized their treasurer to call upon citizens for funds, and, to prove their earnestness, one hundred dollars was raised upon the spot from members of the Committee.

DISPATCHES.—Every-body remembers the joke played upon a certain N. Y. paper a few years ago, a writer engaged to supply the publisher a thrilling story and forwarded the manuscript of the first chapter, which left the hero suspended by the seat of his pants over a precipice many, many thousand feet deep, that was the last of the story.

The dispatches leave us in the same predicament, and we must content ourselves with imagining the sequel of yesterday's news.

NEW MUSIC.—We are indebted to the well known publishing house of Philip Werlin, 82 Baronne St. N. O., for package of new music "The White Rock," by Walter Clyde, is a beautiful ballad of more than ordinary merit.

Dr. P. FIELDS, 70 Main Street, Louisville, Ky., has also placed us under obligations for a rare assortment of new and elegant pieces. "Beautiful Isle of the South," says a grateful tribute to the land of Orange Groves and Figs, and endears the composer to the affections of music lovers in the South.

David Shepard, one of the pioneers of St. Louis, is dead: There were but six houses in that city when he arrived there.

Sheep in Illinois are wintering well this season, and a large and very excellent wool clip may be expected the coming spring.

The secret and benevolent societies of Chicago have more than one hundred consistories, chapters and lodges.

One of the arches of the underground railway of London forms the floor of a kitchen above. It was constructed without cracking the walls of the house.

If you are in a hurry, and want to get your hair dressed with more dispatch than at the barber's, just tell a mother her baby is not as good looking as her neighbor's.

Sketch from fashionable life—Morning call, Saturday. 1st lady—Do you intend going to church to-morrow, dear? 2d lady—Well, dear, that entirely depends upon my bonnet.—Punch.

A Mississippi ghost became "demoralized" upon the presentation of fire-arms, and has not been seen since.

A lady in Paris went to one of the masked balls at the opera, and says it was sadder than the Catacombs.

Judy asks: Why is an "hair apartment" to a throne like an umbrella in dry weather? Because he's ready for the next reign.

The Mobile Tribune says George Peckley has arrived in San Francisco. That gentleman is still under the impression that he is stopping in England.

The new Galt House in Louisville will cost a million and a quarter.

Omaha, taking its "cue" from its East, has a billiard palace.

The most useful way to spend your leisure would be to visit your neighbors and organize a club for the Weekly Express.

F. KALTEYER, APOTHECARY AND DRUGGIST, Presidio St., near the Court-house, SAN ANTONIO.

Has just received direct from Europe, a well selected supply of

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**OFFICIAL LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES, Passed at the Second Session of the Thirty-Seventh Congress.**

**TREATIES.**  
Treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the Suppression of the Slave Trade. Concluded at Washington, April 7, 1862. Ratifications exchanged at London, May 28, 1862. Proclaimed by the President of the United States, June 7, 1862.

**By the President of the United States of America  
A PROCLAMATION.**

**[CONTINUED.]**  
The negroes who may not previously have been disembarked shall receive from the court a certificate of emancipation, and shall be delivered over to the Government to whom the cruise to which they belong belongs, in order to be forthwith set at liberty.

Article VIII.—The chief justice of the United States shall assign commissioners, and shall decide definitively, and without appeal, all claims for compensation on account of losses occasioned to vessels and cargoes which shall have been detained under the provisions of this treaty, but which shall not have been condemned as legal prize by the said courts; and in all cases where restitution of such vessels and cargoes shall be decreed, save as mentioned in the fifth article of the treaty to which these regulations form an annex, and in a subsequent part of these regulations, the court shall award to the claimants, or to his or their lawful attorney or attorneys, for his or their use, a just and complete indemnification for all costs of suit, and for all losses and damages which the owner or owners may have actually sustained by such capture and detention; and it is agreed that the indemnification shall be as follows:

- First. In case of total loss, the claimant or claimants shall be indemnified—
  - (A.) For the ship, her tackle, equipment and stores.
  - (B.) For all freight due and payable.
  - (C.) For the value of the cargo of merchandise, if any, deducting all charges, and expenses which would have been payable upon the sale of such cargo, including commission of sale.
  - (D.) For all other regular charges in such cases of total loss.
- Secondly. In all other cases (save as hereinafter mentioned) of total loss, the claimant or claimants shall be indemnified—
  - (A.) For all special damages and expenses occasioned to the ship by the detention, and for loss of freight, when due or payable.
  - (B.) For demurrage when due, according to the schedule annexed to the present article.
  - (C.) For any deterioration of the cargo.
  - (D.) For all premium of insurance on additional risks.

The claimant or claimants shall be entitled to interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the sum awarded, until such sum is paid by the Government to which the capturing ship belongs. The whole amount of such indemnifications shall be calculated in the money of the country to which the detained vessel belongs, and shall be liquidated at the exchange current at the time of the award.

The two high contracting parties, however, have agreed, that if it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the judges of the two nations, and without having recourse to the decision of an arbitrator, that the captor has been led into error by the fault of the master or commander of the detained vessel, the detained vessel in that case shall not have the right of receiving, for the time of her detention, the demurrage stipulated by the present article, nor any other compensation for losses, damages, or expenses consequent upon such detention.

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121 tons to 150 tons, "	6 "
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171 tons to 200 tons, "	10 "
201 tons to 230 tons, "	11 "
231 tons to 250 tons, "	12 "
251 tons to 270 tons, "	14 "
271 tons to 300 tons, "	15 "

And so on in proportion.

Article VIII. Neither the judges, nor the arbitrators, nor the secretaries or registrars of the mixed courts of justice, shall demand or receive from any of the parties concerned in the cases which shall be brought before such courts any emolument or gift, under any pretext whatsoever, for the performance of the duties which such judges, arbitrators, and secretaries or registrars have to perform.

Article IX.—The two high contracting parties have agreed that, in the event of the death, sickness, absence on leave, or any other legal impediment of one or more of the judges or arbitrators composing the above mentioned courts, respectively, the post of such judge or arbitrator shall be supplied, ad interim, in the following manner:

First. On the part of the United States, and in that court which shall sit within their territories: if the vacancy be that of the United States judge, his place shall be filled by the United States arbitrator; and either in that case or in case the vacancy be originally that of the United States arbitrator, the place of such arbitrator shall be filled by the judge of the United States for the southern district of New York, and the said court, so constituted as above, shall sit, and in all cases brought before them for adjudication shall proceed to adjudge the same, and pass sentence accordingly.

Secondly. On the part of the United States of America, and in those courts which shall sit with a Vice-Consul of her Britannic Majesty: if the vacancy be that of the United States judge, his place shall be filled by the United States arbitrator; and either in that case or in case the vacancy be originally that of the United States arbitrator, then the vacancy of the judge shall be filled by the United States Consul, and that of the United States arbitrator by the United States Vice-Consul. But if there be no United States Consul or Vice-Consul to fill the place of the United States arbitrator, then the British arbitrator shall be called in in those cases in which the United States arbitrator would be called in: and in case the vacancy be both of the United States judge and of the United States arbitrator, and there be neither United States Consul nor Vice-Consul to fill, ad interim, the vacancies, then the British judge and the British arbitrator shall sit, and, in all cases brought before them for adjudication, shall proceed to adjudge the same and pass sentence accordingly.

Thirdly. On the part of her Britannic Majesty, and in those courts which shall sit within the possessions of her said Majesty: if the vacancy be that of the British judge, his place shall be filled by the British arbitrator; and either in that case, or in case the vacancy be originally that of the British arbitrator, the place of such arbitrator shall be filled by the British Vice-Consul; or in the unavoidable absence of the Consul, by the British Vice-Consul or Vice-Consul to fill the place of British arbitrator, then the vacancy of the British judge shall be filled by the British Vice-Consul, and that of the British arbitrator by the British Consul. But if there be no British Vice-Consul or Consul to fill the place of the British arbitrator, then the United States arbitrator shall be called in in those cases in which the British arbitrator would be called in: and in case the vacancy be both of the British judge and of the British arbitrator, and there be neither British Vice-Consul nor Consul to fill, ad interim, the vacancies, then the United States judge and the United States arbitrator shall sit, and, in all cases brought before them for adjudication, shall proceed to adjudge the same, and pass sentence accordingly.

vacancy be that of the British judge, his place shall be filled by the British arbitrator; and either in that case, or in case the vacancy be originally that of the British arbitrator, the place of such arbitrator shall be filled by the Governor or Lieutenant-Governor residing in and in possession of his unavoidable absence, by the principal magistrate of the same; or in the unavoidable absence of the principal magistrate, by the secretary of the Government; and the said court so constituted as above, shall sit, and in all cases brought before them for adjudication, shall proceed to adjudge the same, and to pass sentence accordingly.

Fourthly. On the part of Great Britain, and in that court which shall sit within the territories of the United States of America: if the vacancy be that of the British judge, his place shall be filled by the British arbitrator; and either in that case or in case the vacancy be originally that of the British arbitrator, his place shall be filled by the British Consul; or in the unavoidable absence of the Consul, by the British Vice-Consul; and in case the vacancy be both of the British arbitrator, then the vacancy of the British judge shall be filled by the British Vice-Consul, and that of the British arbitrator by the British Consul. But if there be no British Consul or Vice-Consul to fill the place of British arbitrator, then the United States arbitrator shall be called in in those cases in which the British arbitrator would be called in: and in case the vacancy be both of the British judge and of the British arbitrator, and there be neither British Consul nor Vice-Consul to fill, ad interim, the vacancies, then the United States judge and the United States arbitrator shall sit, and in all cases brought before them for adjudication shall proceed to adjudge the same, and pass sentence accordingly.

The chief authority of the place in the territories of either high contracting party where the mixed courts of justice shall sit, shall, in the event of a vacancy arising, either of the judge or the arbitrator of the other high contracting party, forthwith give notice of the same by the most expeditious method in his power to the Government of that other high contracting party, in order that such vacancy may be supplied at the earliest possible period.

And each of the high contracting parties agrees to be definitively, as soon as possible, the vacancies which may arise in the above mentioned courts from death or from any other cause whatever.

The undersigned plenipotentiaries have agreed, in conformity with the Xth article of the treaty signed by them on this day, that the present instructions shall be annexed to the said treaty, and be considered an integral part thereof.

Done at Washington the sixth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

WILLIAM H. SEWARD,  
[SEAL.]  
[SEAL.]  
LYONS.

And whereas the said treaty has been duly ratified on both parts, and the respective ratifications of the same were exchanged at London, on the twentieth ultimo, by Charles Francis Adams, Esq., Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States at the Court of St. James, and Earl Russell, her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, on the part of their respective Governments.

Now, therefore, be it known that I, ABRAHAM LINCOLN, President of the United States of America, have caused the said treaty to be made public, in the English language, and every clause and article thereof, may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the United States and the citizens thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this seventh day of June, in the year [A. D.] of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and of the Independence of the United States the eighty-sixth.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

By the President:  
WILLIAM H. SEWARD,  
Secretary of State.

**Public Acts of the Thirty-Seventh Congress of the United States.**  
Passed at the third session which was begun and held at the City of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the first day of December, A. D. 1862, and ended on Wednesday, the fourth day of March, A. D. 1863.

Abraham Lincoln, President, Hannibal Hamlin, Vice President, and President of the Senate, Solomon Foots was elected President of the Senate, pro tempore, on the eighteenth day of February, and so acted until the end of the session. George A. Grow, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHAP. I.—An Act authorizing the holding of a special Session of the United States District Court for the District of Indiana.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a special session of the United States District Court for the district of Indiana shall be holden, at the usual place of holding said court, on the first Monday in February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and to continue in session so long as the business thereof may require.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That all suits and proceedings of a civil or criminal nature now pending in or returnable to said court shall be proceeded in, heard, tried, and determined by said court at said special session in the same manner as at a regular term of said court.  
Approved, December 15, 1862.

CHAP. III.—An Act to adjust Appropriations heretofore made for the Civil Service of the Navy Department to the present Organization of that Department.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the amounts heretofore appropriated for the pay of chiefs of bureaus, clerks, messengers and laborers connected with the Navy Department, so that they will correspond with the present organization and pay as authorized by the act of Congress of July fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, viz:

- For the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting three thousand eight hundred and seventy-four dollars.
- For the Bureau of Yards and Docks, ten thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars.
- For the Bureau of Navigation, three thousand and fifty-seven dollars.
- For the Bureau of Ordnance, six thousand nine hundred and fifty-three dollars.
- For the Bureau of Construction and Repair, nine thousand five hundred and thirty-four dollars.
- For the Bureau of Steam Engineering, four thousand two hundred and twenty-four dollars.

For the Bureau of Provisions and Ordnance five thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight dollars.

For the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, five thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That all remaining balances shall attach to the office of the Secretary of the Navy, and may be expended by him for such clerical services as he shall judge the interests of the department require.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the sum of one thousand dollars, heretofore appropriated for the contingent expenses of the Bureau of Construction, Equipment and Repair, be transferred to the Bureau of Steam Engineering, and the sum of one thousand dollars to the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting. And also that the sum of one thousand dollars, heretofore appropriated for the contingent expenses of the Bureau of Navigation, be transferred to the Bureau of Ordnance.  
Approved, December 29, 1862.

CHAP. IV.—An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide Internal Revenue to the support the Government and to pay Interest on the Public Debt," approved July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the assessors, assistant assessors, collectors, and deputy collectors, appointed, or who may be appointed, under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide internal revenue to support the Government and to pay interest on the public debt," approved July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and all subsequent acts in relation thereto which have been or may be enacted, are hereby authorized and empowered to administer oaths or affirmations in all cases when the same are required by the acts as aforesaid: Provided, That no fees shall be charged or allowed therefor.

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E. DEGENER,  
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