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Doctors.

DR. WEISSELBERG,
Physician and Surgeon,
OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store,
On Commerce street.
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868. dkwif

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

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

MORTIMER SLOCUM, M. D.,
Tenders his services to those citizens of San Antonio who wish to have medicine administered according to the Homoeopathic Law of cure.
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Lawyers.

JACK COCKE,
LAWYER.
Office, west side of Military Plaza, near Courthouse. (april7dtf)

S. G. NEWTON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
414-3rd-st. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

LEIGH & DITTMAR,
LAWYERS,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
OFFICE FRENCH'S BUILDING, ROOM NO. 15. 147dawtf

JULIUS HOYER,
Notary Public,
Office opposite City Surveyors office. sep18y SAN ANTONIO.

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FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT!
Mrs. Kloepfer calls the attention of her friends to the extra facilities for travelers with teams. Attached to her house is a spacious yard fronting on the river, where any quantity of stock can be secured.
Commerce street, San Antonio.

THE TARDE HOUSE,
CASTROVILLE, TEXAS.
The above named well-known Hotel is open for the accommodation of the traveling or pleasure-seeking Public. The arrangements are complete throughout, and no pains are spared to make guests comfortable. To those who seek a quiet and elegant home in the country, this Hotel will suit them to a charm, and for comfort and cheapness it has no rival in the State. V. TARDE. 121tf

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W. WESTHOFF & CO.,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,
Wholesale Grocers,
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dec 16dtf

ALBERT TÜRPE,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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The highest Cash Price paid for Hides. sep17tf

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The first Grand Gold Medal awarded at the Universal Exposition in Paris, 1867, for the three styles, viz Grand, Square and Upright.
For particulars inquire at
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dec 11-dtf

SLOCUMB, BALDWIN & CO.,
HARDWARE,
74 Canal & 93 Common Sts.,
NEW ORLEANS.
march7dtf

Cards of City Merchants.

HERTZBERG & SIMON,
DEALERS IN
PIPES, CIGARS, TOBACCO,
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Gas Burners for Kerrocine Lamps.
feb 17dtf

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IMPORTER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS
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Country produce bought.
march14dwtf

DRESEL & BRIAM,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS
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Dry-Goods and Groceries,
HATS,
SHOES,
CROCKERY,
NOTIONS.
San Antonio, April 26, 1867. 1131tf

PHILIP CONRAD,
Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE
and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress
Maker and Upholsterer,
MAIN STREET,
Opposite Zork & Griesenbeck.
Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of Mattresses; and offers his services for repairing furniture, paper hanging, curtain hanging, and carpeting.
San Antonio, May 6th. d1y

WULFF & SHETELIG,
Importers
General Commercial Agents,
CHIHUAHUA, SAN ANTONIO,
MEXICO, TEXAS,
je28 cor. Alamo & North streets

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

B. OPPENHEIMER & CO.
Importers and Dealers in
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS
and Shoes, Hats, Hosiery, Gents'
Furnishing Goods Notions, &c.
38 & 40 Commerce Street.
(Opposite the Foot Bridge),
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Jan 16 tf

MEYER, SAWYER & CO.,
AUCTION & COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
Main Plaza and Solidad street, next to the Plaza House.
A good yard for stock in connection with the premises.
Sale days—Monday's, Wednesday's and Saturday's. (jan 7tf)

SCHMITT & DUERLER,
Commerce Street,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Wholesale Manufacturers
OF ALL KINDS OF
Crackers, Candies, Syrups,
AND
Confectioneries,
WEDDING AND BALL CAKES
Made to Order.

—ALSO—
A Select Assortment of
Fancy Groceries,
Such as
Can-Fruits, Jellies,
Preserves, Figs, &c.
Always on Hand.
San Antonio, Oct. 2, 1867. dtf

**GEORGE HERNER'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 "O Be Joyful," will find comfort and consolation. dec27dtf

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Bought at the
HIGHEST MARKET PRICE,
ELMENDORF & Co.

City Cards.

H. GRENET,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER
AND
Commission House.
Groceries,
Dry Goods,
Glassware, Boots & Shoes,
Hats, &c., &c. (march13dwtf)

A. HARTMANN,
NO. 35 MAIN STREET.
Has just received a well selected and large Stock of
**STAPLE & FANCY
DRY GOODS,**
All kinds of Dress Goods, Silks,
White Goods, Linen Goods,
Cloaks, Shawls,
HOSIERY, GLOVES.

Ribbons, Collars, Trimmings,
LADIES FURNISHING GOODS,
Laces, Embroideries, Boots and Shoes for Ladies and Gentlemen, Hats, and a great many other articles too numerous to mention, which I offer for sale at the lowest prices. (april2dtf)

**C. E. JEFFERSON, DAN, MURPHY,
JEFFERSON & MURPHY
AUCTIONEERS,
AND
COMMERCIAL BROKERS,**
Main Plaza, San Antonio, Texas.
Respectfully Solicit Consignments.
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 10 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. (dec 30tf)

Historical, Philosophical, Biographical and Miscellaneous Books;
**Books, Stationery,
AND
NOTIONS,
AT
GAMBLE'S
BOOK STORE,**
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;
Portfolios;
Toilet Articles;
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Ladies' Dress Buttons,
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—OF—
David Friedlander & Co.,
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East Side of Main Plaza,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
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

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Main Plaza, San Antonio,
DEALERS IN
**Hardware,
Stoves, Agricultural Implements,
Woodware, Window Glass, Paints
Oils, Leather, Arms and
GARDEN SEEDS.**
jan 5-tf

OFFICIAL.

LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES,
Passed at the Second Session of the
Fortieth Congress.

[PUBLIC RESOLUTION—No. 21.]
JOINT RESOLUTION appointing managers of the National Asylum for Disabled Soldiers, and for other purposes.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Erastus W. Walcott, of Wisconsin, John H. Martindale, of New York, and Hugh L. Bond, of Maryland, be, and hereby are, appointed managers of the National Asylum for Disabled Soldiers, under the provisions and conditions of the third section of an act approved March twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight; and that Hugh L. Bond, of Maryland, be, and is hereby, appointed manager to serve out the unexpired term of Horatio G. Stebbins, of California, resigned. SEC. 2. And be it further resolved, That the Secretary of War be authorized to furnish, from the captured ordnance, such ordnance with their implements as he may deem proper, to the several national asylums for the purpose of firing salutes; and also such small-arms and equipments as may be necessary for the purpose of guard duty at the asylums. SCHUYLER COLFAX, Speaker of the House of Representatives. B. F. WADE, President of the Senate pro tempore. Indorsed by the President: "Received March 12th, 1868."

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing resolution having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

[PUBLIC—No. 21.]
AN ACT to revive an act to constitute Hannibal, Missouri, and Peoria, Illinois, ports of delivery.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the second section of the act of the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, entitled "An act to constitute the cities of Hannibal, Missouri, and Peoria, Illinois, ports of delivery," is hereby revived and declared to be in full force and effect for the term of two years from the passage of this act. Approved, March 12, 1868.

POLITICAL ITEMS.

President Johnson is said to be like a tree, because he leaves next month.

The New York Atlas, a steady-going Democratic paper, wants Mr. Chase for President.

Somebody sagely remarks that impeachment will be a good thing if it turns out well.

"Steamboat" Adams, as he is familiarly called, is stamping Arizona for delegate to Congress.

Colonel Chivington is commander of the post of the Grand Army lately organized in Nebraska City.

After a careful survey of the situation, the New York Leader feels constrained to place at the head of its columns the names of Governor Seymour and Senator Hendricks.

The Maryland Legislature showed a very nice sense of decency and patriotism the other day when it invited Brick Pomeroy to address the members in the Hall of the House. We do not happen to have heard what subject the Western Demagogue selected for his oration; but some of his highly genteel observations on the life and character of Abraham Lincoln would have been popular and appropriate. [New York Tribune.]

The Springfield (Mass.) Republican says: Vootheers, of Indiana, while in New Haven, talked with a Republican General, who refreshed him with the treason of his war record, and proved beyond dispute a personal knowledge that he was leagued with the "Sons of Liberty," during the rebellion. Vootheers bitterly exclaimed, "Good God! is this thing to pursue me forever?"

The New York Tribune says, respecting impeachment: "Gentlemen of the legal profession regard it as the most complete case ever sent to a jury, and the managers feel confident that the defense cannot answer their arguments or impeachment testimony. The President's counsel have been so signally beaten that it is not improbable that they may retire from the case."

There is to be direct railway intercourse between Louisville, Kentucky, and Knoxville, Tennessee, in about eighteen months.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Six hundred elephants marched in the procession of the recent grand durbar at Lucknow.

The city of Baltimore proposes to build a new city hall, to cost a million of dollars.

All the French dailies are publishing stories.

The Dubuque horse-railroad will be in operation on the 10th of May.

London is to have a club called "Creme de la Creme." Entrance fee, \$500.

There are forty four postmistresses in New York—all efficient and popular.

St. Albans, Vermont, claims to be the butter metropolis of the United States. It furnished near three million pounds last year.

Dr. Holmes says: "Inscribe your names on your silver, that will last." If your son parts with it, it will be to his uncle.

The celebrated stallion Cassius M. Clay has been sold to F. W. Strader, of Cincinnati, for \$15,000.

Swine are allowed the "freedom" of Hamilton, Canada, to promenade the most fashionable avenues.

The London Times had to send a private cable dispatch over here to find out whether the President was really impeached.

It is estimated that young Boston has thrown \$1500 in bouquets at the feet of the White Fawn ballet girls.

Young New Yorkers are flying kites this spring, fashioned in the semblance of crows and other birds upon the wing.

Some literary mouser has discovered that the "Editor's Drawer" in Harper's Monthly is made up by a woman. So are all editor's drawers.

The New York Tribune, speaking of the mania for sensational dramas, says: "Just as turkeys run after a red rag, so does the multitude run after red fire."

At last something has been found in America to suit an Englishman. The Pall Mall Gazette says our sleeping-cars are admirably arranged, and might be imitated to advantage on some of the continental lines.

During the last year nearly all the glass factory owners of New Jersey were compelled to suspend operations or to run on part time. The majority of these factories are found on the sandy lands of West Jersey.

There is some talk in England of handing over the telegraph to the government. It may, therefore, interest our readers to know that the French government has just ordered the telegraph functionaries to wear sabres with steel scabbards.

Fashionable shams are perilous. At a recent ball in Paris, it is related that an elegantly dressed lady, found herself wearing only the string of her necklace, the delicate wax pearls having melted away in the heat.

One of the most determined suicides on record, is that of Charles Billel, of New Orleans. On the 19th instant he prepared something like a bombshell, locked himself in his room and waited for the explosion. His body was shockingly mutilated.

The Washington Agent of the New York Associated Press, Mr. a Gobright, sent over the wires of the Western Union Telegraph the President's answer to the articles of impeachment, containing over 13,000 words, in less than four hours.

At the New England Poultry exhibition, at Worcester, Mass., on the 24th instant, John B. Gough, the well-known lecturer, exhibited 110 lots of poultry. They embraced almost every variety, for some of which he paid twenty dollars apiece.

The sale of Church property in Italy is going on rapidly. Estates to the value of five and a half millions sterling have been sold, and lands which have long been lying waste are now being brought into cultivation. The selling price has exceeded the most sanguine expectations.

An Episcopal paper of the diocese of Ohio says: "We have said but little and given but little news relating to the Tyng trial. We would not hinder the form even, of administering such discipline. We will now say, however, that no event has occurred since the ordination of Carrey, that has given such impulse to the Evangelical party, as will this unprecedented, cruel, inquisitorial torture of the Rev. S. H. Tyng, Jr., by Horatio Potter, who claims to be Bishop (?) of the Diocese of New York."

Copies of the Weekly Express can be had for sale at Gamble's and Slocum's Book store's.

JOB WORK.

Our patrons are solicited to send in their orders for Bill-Heads, Cards, Circular letters, Checks and every variety of Job Work.

IMPEACHMENT.—The telegraph brings us a very meagre account of the progress of impeachment—it gets in a "rebuke to Butler," which seems to have satisfied the appetite of the Southern reporter.

THE REACTION.—We hear no more of the great political reaction, notwithstanding the fact that elections have been held in several of the northern and western States.

SECOND MEETING OF THE KICKAPOO COMMITTEE.—The Committee of twenty who have charge of the Kickapoo matters, met a second time at the banking rooms of the National Bank.

STARTING OF THE NEW BRAUNFELS WOOLEN FACTORY.

NEW BRAUNFELS, TEXAS, April 15, '68. DEAR EXPRESS:—The New Braunfels Woollen Manufacturing Company has at last been received from Mr. S. S. Brown of your place.

Six hundred spindles are at work, also several looms, and as soon as there will be yarn enough on hand, the balance of the looms will be put into operation.

We soon will have woollen goods, such as the farmer and the laborer needs,annels and blankets ready for market.

Mr. Brown has complied with his contract to the general satisfaction of the Directory and shareholders, in regard to the quality and the working capacity of the machinery.

The prospects of the Company are bright, and we hope to be able to enlarge soon. The weaving department is in charge of Mr. W. S. Wilcox, and the spinning department is charge of Mr. W. H. Burdie, both experienced, practical men from the State of Rhode Island.

A splendid new set of machinery, made in the best shops of New York, and Westery, Rhode Island, good managers for each department, and the raw material at our doors—everything seems to be a guarantee for the success of our enterprise.

Let others follow the good example of NEW BRAUNFELS.

In delivering the decision in a divorce case a Vermont judge recently said: "My associates think, from the evidence, a divorce ought to be granted, and I think so too, from what I know of the parties. I don't think these parties ought to be yoked up together any longer, any more than any other cattle."

It is estimated that immigrants are going to Missouri at the rate of a thousand a week, although the season has scarcely opened.

THE KU-KLUX KLAN.

The assassination of Hon. G. W. Ashburn in Columbus, Georgia, by a band of masked men known to be the Ku-Klux Klan, has aroused the whole country to a sense of the enormity of this hell-inspired Southern assassination scheme.

The Ku-Klux Klan is said to have reached Texas, and we have no doubt of it; it is the last struggle of the traitors; the freedom of association gives this last chance to organize into a band of assassins and attempt to frighten the loyal men.

We warn the Union Leagues throughout the State to keep up their organization, and if the Ku-Klux Klan makes its appearance, the League can put it out.

Like all Southern movements since the war, this mystical assassination scheme has been overdone, just as the New Orleans riot was overdone, and the result will be that it will only tend to a more complete destruction of the chivalry.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS]

Markets.

New York, April 14—3 P. M.—Cotton firm; 16,000 bales at 34 1/2, 32, to 32 1/2. Gold, 138 1/2.

New Orleans, April 14.—Cotton dull and unsettled; poor Middling 32 to 32 1/2. Receipts, 2774.

Impeachment.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Senate.—The motion to amend rules so as to allow additional speeches, was tabled. Stevens, Williams, Boutwell and Logan were disappointed. Stevens and Williams made a special appeal for a hearing.

Sherman was recalled by Stanberry and asked if after Stanton's restoration, the good of the service required another man than Stanton at the head of the War Department?

Butler objected. Bingham said if Sherman's opinion was to be given, 4000 other men might be called.

Butler spoke at length. He warned Senators that Saturday's struggle would be renewed to-day. Several questions were asked by Senators, and a general debate ensued.

Evarts said they desired to show that the President's action was for the good of the service. The Senate refused to hear Sherman's answer.

Johnson asked: Did you before Stanton's removal, advise the President to appoint another person?

Butler objected. Chase decided that the question could only be objected to by the Senate.

The Clerk of the District Supreme Court was called and after contest, testified to the proceedings attending

Thomas' arrest, which was admitted. Sherman was recalled at the instance of Senator Johnson, who asked: When the President tendered you the office of Secretary of War on 20th and 30th January, did he state what his purpose in doing so was?

Objection being made, Senate heard answer by vote of 26 to 22. The answer was yes. Senator Coburn asked, will you state what he said his purpose was? objection being made, Chase decided the answer admissible, to show the purpose of the President's action.

The President told Sherman that under reasons of Stanton towards the other members of the Cabinet, the President could not have the War Department administered properly in the interests of the army and the whole country while Stanton remained Secretary of War; in a desire to protect and care for those interests the President tendered Sherman the position of Secretary.

Senator Henderson asked did the President on either occasions express a determination to remove Stanton from office? Sherman answered, the President never expressed any intention to use force, but seemed determined that their relations should cease.

Howard asked, what did the President say about force? Sherman repeated his former answer that the President's answer was that Stanton would not resist. Sergeant Bates has arrived.

The House did nothing, returned to Chamber but no quorum was present. The Texas Convention Called. NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—Buchanan has appointed June 13th for the assembling of the Texas Convention at Austin. Hancock for President.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—A special says that the impression is gaining ground that Hancock will be the democratic choice for the Presidency, and Hendricks of Indiana, Vice President.

Affairs in Louisiana.

The late registration in Louisiana shows a large preponderance of whites registered. A riot occurred in St. Bernard Parish, yesterday, conservative barbeque broken up by armed radicals and negroes; one democratic negro was shot, and a number beaten.

Accounts state that Warmouth, the radical candidate for Governor, and the candidate for Congress on the same ticket, were present and made no effort to quell the disturbance.

Dr. Southworth, editor of the N. O. Republican, was the only white republican present making any effort to preserve peace.

New Advertisements.

TURNERS' FESTIVAL.

ON SUNDAY, 19th OF APRIL. at Guntner's Mill, the Turners and the Scholars of the Turners School, and all such as will join the procession, will meet at the Guntner's at 8 o'clock in the morning.

These instruments are of the best manufacture in the country, and will be sold at cost. Apply to A. SIEMERING & Co., Express Office.

ORGANS, CHURCH ORGANS AND ROSEWOOD PIANOS.

Three American Organs. FIVE PIANOS.

These instruments are of the best manufacture in the country, and will be sold at cost. Apply to A. SIEMERING & Co., Express Office.

GRAND VOCAL CONCERT.

A Grand Vocal Concert will be given on Saturday, the 18th inst., at the Casino Hall, for the benefit of the School of the Laborer's Association, by the Beethoven Singing Society, assisted by the Laborer's Singing Society and other Amateurs.

Admission, 50 cents, specie; Children 25 cents. Front seats reserved for Ladies. Hall open at 7 o'clock, performance to commence at 8 o'clock, P. M.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!!

BLOOMBARGH & FRANK (Corner Main Plaza and Commerce St.)

Are receiving a large stock of FANCY DRY GOODS, consisting of a selected stock of DRESS GOODS.

White Goods, Embroideries, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Perfumery and a fine stock of LINEN GOODS.

of all kinds. Which they will sell at the lowest prices. A complete stock of STAPLE GOODS.

consisting of Calicoes, Domestic, Ticks, Stripes, Denims, &c., bought when the markets were low, and offered at the lowest prices. Also a good assortment of Cloths, for Men and Boy's wear.

A Choice Stock of Clothing, Boots, Shoes, and Hats.

Which they will sell at small profits. The attention of Ladies is called to our fine stock of the LATEST STYLE HOOP SKIRTS,

made of the best quality, and finest finish. In our Shawls, Silks, Silk Cloaks, Sacques, &c., &c.

we can give you full satisfaction in quality and prices. Call and examine our Goods and judge for yourselves.

BLOOMBARGH & FRANK. Corner of Main Plaza and Commerce St April 14 3m.

BILLIARD TABLE FOR SALE.

A Superior Billiard Table, nearly new, Marble bed, with Cues and Balls. Enquire of MERRITT & BRO. April 15 3w 1m

ECKENROTH & LANGE BLACKSMITHS WAGON MAKERS,

OPPOSITE LIFTERING'S MILL SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

All kinds of repairing done in Iron or Wood work.

New Wagons and Ambulances for sale made especially for Texas climate, out of native of northern lumber. (April 14 4tf)

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!!

THE UNDERSIGNED will pay the highest CASH PRICES for all grades of Wool. Office at the San Antonio National Bank. April 15tf

DR. A. BOYD DOREMUS,

(Graduate of Baltimore College of Dental Surgery.) SURGEON DENTIST, Established permanently in San Antonio

WILL practice his profession in all its branches. Rooms on Commerce Street, adjoining Penterriener's. San Antonio, April 4, 1868. (dtf)

TO RENT.

A neat dwelling house on Nacodoches street, near Kampmann's, containing four rooms, at \$15 per month. Apply to Express office or Dr. Slocum. (march 26 dtf)

VICTOR PESSOU, Commission Merchant and WHOLESALE DEALER IN Groceries, Wines & Liquors,

Butter, Cheese, Lard, Lard Oil, Soap, Candles, Teas, Pork, &c., &c. No. 32 Old Levee Street, NEW ORLEANS. Country orders promptly attended to. march 23 dtf

FOR RENT.

THE STORE occupied by Messrs Chrysler, Anderson & Co. Apply to JNO. C. FRENCH. April 7 dtf

BELL & BRO'S, DEALERS IN Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Plated-Ware, DIAMOND GOODS.

American and European Watches and Clocks, Gold Pens and Pencils of every kind, GOLD AND SILVER THIMBLES. Gold, Silver, Steel and Tortoise-shell Spectacles and Eye-Glasses, with Pebble and Glass Lenses, suitable for the aged or near-sighted.

Engravers and Manufacturers of all articles in their line. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, repaired and warranted.

ORDERS FILLED PROMPTLY. Commerce Street, Five doors east of Main-Plaza, Opposite their Old Stand. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. March 29, 1866

\$20 LOTS FOR SALE.

LOTS twenty by sixty varas, situated on a beautiful slope west of the San Pedro creek, near the head of that stream, commanding a fine view of the city. Apply to FRANK DIGNOWITY, or march 26 dtf

DRS. KINGSBURY & BERNDON, SURGEON DENTISTS,

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

RESTAURANT.

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. (dtf)

A. H. WAGAR, MERCHANT TAILOR.

Plaza House, San Antonio, Texas. march 9 dtf Latest Paris Fashions.

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 embroidering.

Persons who will favor her with their patronage, may convince themselves in advance, of good results. Residence, Alamo street, opposite Veltman's. (Jan 15 dtf)

AUCTION AND COMMISSION, F. D. FAVILLE, having established himself in the city of New Braunfels, in the above named business, respectfully solicits consignments. (Feb. 27 dtf)

NOTICE. CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, San Antonio, March 30, 1868.

In obedience to a resolution passed by the Hon. City Council, March 2nd, 1868, "that notice be given to come forward and settle arrears of interest on city lands, on or before the expiration of sixty days, from date of this resolution, and that after this time the conditions of the contract of the city with such holders of city lands will be enforced by the Council." Now, therefore, this is to notify all persons indebted to the city, on interest due for such lands, to come forward and pay their dues and receive receipts therefor. G. IWONSKI, City Collector.

NOTICE. BY ORDER OF THE Hon. Police Court of Bexar County, at its present April term, I am directed to notify all persons paying themselves on occupations in this county, as the law directs, to file with their receipts for the same and procure a License therefor; also, to call the attention of those officials whose duty it is to see that the laws in the premises are not violated, that they will be held to a strict accountability for dereliction of duty, and to all concerned, that the laws will be strictly enforced.

PEYTON SMYTHE, Co. Clk B. Co. Office of the County Clerk, Bexar County, Texas, April 7th, 1868. (April 6 dtf)

TO SURVEYORS. MAYOR'S OFFICE, City of San Antonio, April 9th, 1868.

PROPOSALS, will be received by the undersigned, at this office, till 12 o'clock P. M., on the 1st day of June, 1868, for drawing up an entire and complete map of the city of San Antonio, at a scale of 50 varas to one inch. For further information in regard to the plan and specifications of this work, apply to this office either personally or in writing. W. C. A. THIELFAPE, Mayor City of San Antonio. Austin Republican and Galveston Republican will copy the above advertisement for 30 days and send bill to S. A. Express Office.

NOTICE. Mrs. C. T. Jones, wishes to reform 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 dtf)

M. L. HENDRICKS, AGENT FOR HI. REES & SONS.

37 Ferry Street, New York City. Office, Banking House of J. S. Lockwood, Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas. Highest cash prices paid for all kinds of Hides and peltries. (march 18 dtf)

LAND FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale one or two leagues of land, in Bexar county, six miles from San Antonio, in quantities to suit purchasers, and a tract of land on the Guadalupe. For description of property and further particulars, apply to John M. Chaves of this city. JUANA R. ZAMBRANO. march 13 dtf

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ORGANS AND PIANOS.—See advertisement in another column.

THE WORK COMMENCED.—The work on the contract recently given to Mr. Kampmann to finish the bridge on Commerce street, has been commenced.

CONVENTION CALLED.—Granny Buchanan has called the Convention to meet on the 13th of June, two months off. This delay is entirely unnecessary; one month's notice would have been sufficient.

NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES.—We acknowledge the favor of a budget of illustrated and newspapers from Gamble's Book Store. The public will find all the late literature there.

TANDEM.—The display at the races on Wednesday was quite lively. We noticed a tandem team, among other new things for San Antonio.

THE TURNERS' FESTIVAL.—The Turners will hold their annual Festival on the 19th. A splendid time may be anticipated.

MAYOR'S COURT.—April 16th.—The examination of George Foster, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, was concluded this morning, and resulted in the prisoner being bound over to appear at the next term of the District Court, in the sum of one thousand dollars. His counsel, Messrs. Cooke and Anderson, will doubtless take the case before Judge Strubling upon a writ of habeas corpus.

HARRY RICHMOND was arrested last evening by one of the Deputy Sheriffs for having failed to procure a county or State license to give his Theatrical exhibition. He gave bond to appear this morning before Justice Cavallas, where he was fined according to law.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—The Episcopalians are somewhat exercised over the subject of finishing the Church commenced before the war by the good Parson Jones; the design of this structure was made by one of the best architects in the United States, and if completed would be an ornament to our city. Parson Jones was a careful, energetic man, and often remarked that he had the means already subscribed, sufficient to put the building up in the rough, but where said funds have gone, no one seems to know; they seem to have shared the fatality of the Confederacy—and the unfinished walls stand out like broken columns—a sad monument to the noble soul that planned its erection. Some work has been done upon the walls since Parson Jones' time, by the Rev. Wagner, but of so miserable a character that it will have to be pulled down again, in order that the original design may be carried out. We are interested in this edifice as we are in all buildings which add to the beauty of our city and which are devoted to good objects, and we hope to see it finished, but we think it an outrage to change its original design. Now is an expensive time to build a large Church; two years or may be one year hence a railroad will bring lumber so cheap to our doors that the same work can be done for at least one third less cost, and the increasing population will make the sum needful for such an enterprise, easily obtained. It is also rumored that a neat chapel is in contemplation costing at the most three thousand dollars in the vicinity of the Church, which would meet the wants of the congregation for the present. Such a chapel

could be built on the pla. of the Polish Roman-Church on the East side of the river, which the Polanders have built by subscribing what they could spare monthly from their earnings—some of the working people paying as high as five dollars per month—these subscriptions continuing until the building is paid for. Our town is sadly deficient in neat churches and other public buildings. And we are glad to learn that the Episcopalians are in earnest about building.

THE TANNERY.—We accompanied Mayor Thielapape to the Tannery property on Wednesday last, to make an inspection and take an inventory of the stock purchased from Uncle Sam. The inventory was not completed because of two mysterious cisterns which were tightly locked; supposed to contain the remains of the Confederacy. The loose perishable property will be duly appraised and sold, even the wooden vats, as the city is determined never to let a filthy tannery be established at the head of the river. As soon as the contents of the mysterious vaults or cellars are made known, we will report to our readers.

THE ELECTION IN NORTH CAROLINA AND GEORGIA.—Dispatches received by the Congressional Committee give assurances that the new constitutions of North Carolina and Georgia and the Republican State tickets will be carried by large majorities. North Carolina promises a white Republican majority of thirty thousand, and Georgia claims twenty thousand.

It is proposed to change the name of Temple Place, Boston, to Autumn street, in which case all of the seasons would be represented in the street nomenclature of that city.

The Boston Transcript says: "One of our leading organists officiated at three funerals, a wedding, a concert, and gave his usual musical lessons to his pupils to a single day of the present week."

The State Board of Immigration for Tennessee report the most satisfactory results from their efforts, and pronounce the impression that a valuable immigration cannot be obtained a mistaken one.

Limburger cheese has been decided to be a nuisance in Pittsburgh, and a grocer was fined for keeping it in his cellar. Complaint was made by citizens of the neighborhood of the stench that arose from the cheese. The grocer, who was fined twenty dollars and costs, has appealed to a higher court.

EL PASO MAIL LINE BRAND, REGISTERED.

HORSE and MULE BRAND.

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Address, **B. F. FICKLIN,**
San Antonio, Texas.
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To the Stock Drovers OF TEXAS.

The undersigned takes this method of informing the Cattle Drovers of Texas that our Shipping Yards at Abilene, Kansas, will be open free to all to ship this season, these yards are on the Union Pacific road, 100 miles west of Topeka, Kansas; the only legally authorized route from Texas to the north-west; and are situated in an excellent grazing region, these yards are extensively advertised in the leading north-western papers, calling attention of all classes of buyers, where they can come and supply themselves; and this point will, without doubt, be the best one to which to drive and sell the surplus cattle of the South-west. Once here, you are accessible by rail to all the markets of the country.—We would advise to drive only full grown steers, as they are the most wanted. The proper route to drive is via Bolon's Crossing on Red river, thence to Fort Arbuckle, thence to Chisum ranch; thence to the mouth of Little Arkansas; thence to Abilene; total distance from Northern Texas about 350 miles.

We will be at Abilene in the trade, buying, shipping and selling on Commission, &c.

We refer to all with whom we dealt the past season.

W. K. McCOY & BRO'S.
March 2-4 30d

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 Cabinet,
English Mustard,
Citric Acid,
Acetic Acid,
Oil of Bergamot,
Oil of Lemon,
Liquor, &c., &c.
Superior Steel Pens and Pen Holders.
Trusses,
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Medicine Chests, Medical Sarsaparilla, etc
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ELMENDORF & CO., Hardware Merchants, MAIN PLAZA.

HAVE on hand, and offer for sale

English and American Cutlery,
Iron and Steel of all sizes,
Carpenters Tools,
Mill and Cross cut Saws of all sizes,
Boring Machines,
Nails of all sizes,
Butts, Hinges, Serews, etc.
Door, Cabinet and Trunk Locks of all kinds,
Shoe Makers and Saddlers Tools and Trimmings,
Buckles, Bags, &c.,
Bridle Bits and Wabbling,
Oil Cloth, Hamets, Collars, &c.,
Tin Rivets and Kettles, &c., &c.
Steel Hoes and Agricultural Implants,
And a general assortment of

HARDWARE.
Also: Paints, Oils,
Turpentine and Glass,
Paint, Shoe and Clothes Brushes,
Petroleum and Lamps.

Colt's Army and Navy Size Pistols,
Powder, Shot and Caps, and all other articles in their line of business at low prices.

Landreth's Garden Seeds
always on hand.
Sole Agents for Herring's Safe's; also, for Planer and Kasser's Sewing Machines.
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Galveston Cards.

J. E. COWEN,
IMPORTER AND JOBBER
OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,
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Particular attention to filling orders, accom-
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C. H. MOORE & COMPANY,
Shippers and Dealers in
Doors, Glazed Sash, and Painted Blinds.

Having on hand a large assortment of
CHOICE STOCK.

We are enabled to fill all orders at
Greatly Reduced Prices.

Orders from the country solicited and promptly filled.

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of all kinds of
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Rifles, shot guns, (Laminated steel and Damascus twist.)
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(A splendid arm for Frontier Service.)
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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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EL PASO.

Passengers leave San Antonio on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 8 o'clock A. M. for EL PASO, via Boerne, Comfort, Fredericksburg, Chipmans Rancho, Fort Mason, Fort McKayitt, Fort Concho, Fort Stockton and Fort Quitman.

FOR CHIHUAHUA.

Passengers leaving on Mondays connect at Fort Stockton with the Stage for

PRESIDIO DEL NORTE.

Passengers leave San Antonio on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6 o'clock, A. M., for

Eagle Pass and Fort Clark.

Via. Castroville, New Fountain, Pbmis and Uvalde.

Fare Reduced.

These routes have been newly stocked and the FARE REDUCED to the unprecedented low price of 15 cents Currency, per mile.

San Antonio, Texas, April 16, 1868.

B. F. FICKLIN. (Jaw3m)

A. STACKE,
AGENT FOR
WILSON, CHILDS & CO., Philadelphia.

Keeps constantly on hand and daily arriving, direct from the Main Factory

Wagons, Drays,

CART-WHEELS, &c.,

And now on hand:

400 prs.	Ox Cart wheels, wooden axles.
25	" " " iron do.
12	Mule wagons, 3 inch iron axles, all complete, with harness for 10 mules.
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All the above wagons with heavy tire.
Drays, Spokes, Fellys, Wagon Tongues and Hounds are direct from the Manufactory at Philadelphia. (march 27th)

J. H. KAMPMANN,
ARCHITECT & BUILDER,

Is prepared to contract for all kinds of Mason Work, Stone cutting, Carpenter Work, Plastering and Painting.

J. H. KAMPMANN'S
NEW DOOR, SASH AND BLIND FACTORY.

The undersigned having completed his new Factory, in which all work is done by Machinery and Steam power, is prepared to make at the shortest notice:
Doors, Windows, Blinds and Mouldings of every description. Rippling and Planing Lumber, Making 1 inch and 2 inch Flooring, and all other articles connected with the Carpenter Business. Seasoned Lumber, White and Yellow Pine and Louisiana Swamp Cypress constantly on hand.

ALSO SAWING ROCK BY STEAM POWER.

ALL ORDERS WILL BE PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
OFFICE—On Nacogdoches Street, near the Alamo.
March 12thly J. H. KAMPMANN.

THE ALAMO STEAM Wagon Factory,

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

The undersigned having erected in the City of San Antonio, an establishment of the above character, where all work is done by Machinery and Steam Power, would inform the public, and especially owners of Transportation Trains, that he is now fully prepared to execute all orders for the making and repairing of *Wagons, Engines, Carriages, Wheelbarrows, &c.* Sash, Blinds and Mouldings, made to order and of the best material. Sawing and Planing of all kinds done to order. All kinds of Blacksmithing done to order. Fellows, Hubs, Spokes, Shafts & Bows kept for sale.

All Work executed upon the shortest notice and on reasonable terms.

Having had many years experience in the above business, he confidently relies upon giving entire satisfaction to his customers.

J. YATES BROWER, Proprietor.

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Collections made on all accessible points and remitted promptly.
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Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Wines, Brandies

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Ladies' Fancy Goods, &c., &c., &c.

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

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. Galusha A. Grow, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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CHAP. CXX.—An Act to provide for the Collection of abandoned Property and for the Prevention of Frauds in Insurrectionary Districts within the United States.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That all property coming into any of the United States not declared in insurance as aforesaid, from within any of the states declared in insurrection, through or by any other person than any agent duly appointed under the provisions of this act, and under a lawful clearance by the proper officer of the Treasury Department, shall be confiscated to the use of the Government of the United States. And the proceedings for the condemnation and sale of any such property shall be instituted and conducted under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, in the mode prescribed by the eighth ninth and tenth sections of the act of March second, seventeen hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage." And any agent or agents, person or persons, by or through whom such property shall come within the lines of the United States unlawfully, as aforesaid, shall be judged guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, or imprisoned for any time not exceeding one year, or both, at the discretion of the court. And the fines, penalties, and forfeitures accruing under this act may be mitigated or remitted in the mode prescribed by the act of March three, seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, or in such manner, in special cases, as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, That the fifth section of the "Act to further provide for the collection of the revenue upon the northern, northeastern, and northwestern frontier, and for other purposes," approved July fourteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, shall be so construed as to allow the temporary officers which have been or may be appointed at ports which have been or may be opened or established in states declared to be in insurrection by the proclamation of the President on the first of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, the same compensation which by law is allowed to permanent officers of the same position, or the ordinary compensation of special agents, as the Secretary of the Treasury may determine.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of every officer or private of the regular or volunteer forces of the United States, or any officer, sailor, or marine in the naval service of the United States upon the inland waters of the United States, who may take or receive any such abandoned property, or cotton, sugar, rice or tobacco, from persons in such insurrectionary districts, or have it under his control, to turn the same over to an agent appointed as aforesaid, who shall give a receipt therefor; and in case he shall refuse or neglect so to do, he shall be tried by a court-martial, and shall be dismissed from the service, or, if an officer, reduced to the ranks, or suffer such other punishment as said court shall order, with the approval of the President of the United States.

SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That none of the provisions of this act shall apply to any lawful maritime prize by the naval forces of the United States.
Approved, March 12, 1863.]

RESOLUTIONS.

A Resolution for increasing the Bond of the Superintendent of Public Printing.
Whereas the amount of money which can be advanced to the superintendent of the public printing, under existing laws, is not sufficient to enable him to meet the current expenditures of his office; therefore—
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the said superintendent be required to furnish a new bond in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars.
Approved, December 18, 1863.

A Resolution in Relation to certain Maps.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, with a view of expediting the issue of the annual report of the general land office, the public printer is hereby authorized to contract for the lithographing of the maps of the several states and territories which may accompany the same, except in regard to the connected map accompanying the last annual report of the public lands east and west of the Mississippi, in regard to which the commissioner of the general land office is hereby authorized to procure an engraved plate thereof, to be perfected by adding from time to time the further surveys that may be made.
Approved, January 6, 1863.

Joint Resolution to grant the Use of a Portion of Judiciary Square for a Free Library and Reading-room for Soldiers.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to let to John A. Fowle and Elida B. Runsey the use of a portion of the land owned by the United States, and known as Judiciary Square, to erect thereon, free from charge to the United States, a suitable building for a soldiers' free library and reading-room for soldiers; provided, That the same can be done without prejudice to the public interests, and provided that all expenses shall be borne by said Fowle and Runsey, and that all benefits and privileges of such library and reading-room be granted to our soldiers free of charge, and that said building be removed whenever the Secretary of the Interior shall require the same to be done.
Approved, January 13, 1863.

Joint Resolution to provide for the immediate Payment of the Army and Navy of the United States.
Whereas it is deemed expedient to make immediate provision for the payment of the army and navy; therefore—
Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized, if

required by the exigencies of the public service, to issue on the credit of the United States the sum of one hundred millions of dollars of United States notes, in such form as he may deem expedient, not bearing interest, payable to bearer on demand, and of such denominations not less than one dollar, as he may prescribe, which notes so issued shall be lawful money and a legal tender, like the similar notes heretofore authorized in payment of all debts, public and private, within the United States, except for duties on imports and interest of the public debt; and the notes so issued shall be part of the amount provided for in any bill now pending for the issue of treasury notes, or that may be passed hereafter, by this Congress.
Approved, January 17, 1863.

A Resolution supplementary to the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Imprisonment of Persons convicted of Crime by the Criminal Court of the District of Columbia," approved January sixteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the imprisonment of persons convicted of crime by the criminal court of the District of Columbia," approved the sixteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, be, and are hereby, made applicable to all persons who had been convicted of crime by the criminal court of the District of Columbia and sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary prior to the date of the act herein named, and subsequent to the transfer legalized by the fourth section thereof, and their transfer to the penitentiary of Albany, in the State of New York, in the present month, by order of the United States, and likewise hereby legalized and declared valid; and the said persons so transferred shall continue in confinement in said prison until the expiration of their several terms of imprisonment, or until they shall be legally discharged or removed.
Approved, January 28, 1863.

Joint Resolution tendering the Thanks of Congress to Commander John L. Worden, of the United States Navy.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in pursuance of the recommendation of the President of the United States, and to enable him to advance Commander John L. Worden one grade in pursuance of the ninth section of the act of Congress of sixteenth July, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, that the thanks of Congress be, and they are hereby, tendered to Commander John L. Worden for highly distinguished conduct in conflict with the enemy in the remarkable battle between the United States iron-clad steamer "Monitor," under his command, and the rebel iron-clad frigate "Merrimac," in March, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.
Approved, February 3, 1863.

Joint Resolution tendering the Thanks of Congress to Commodore Charles Henry Davis and other Officers of the Navy, in Pursuance of the Recommendation of the President of the United States.
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, given to the following officers of the United States navy, upon the recommendation of the President of the United States, viz:—
Commodore Charles Henry Davis, for distinguished services in conflict with the enemy at Fort Pillow, at Memphis, and for successful operations at other points in the waters of the Mississippi River;
Captain John A. Dahlgreen, for distinguished services in the line of his profession, improvements in ordnance, and zealous and efficient labors in the ordnance branch of the service;
Captain Stephen C. Rowan, for distinguished services in the waters of North Carolina, and particularly in the capture of Newbern, being in chief command of the naval forces;
Commander David D. Porter, for the bravery and skill displayed in the attack on the Post of Arkansas, which surrendered to the combined military and naval forces on the tenth of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.
Rear-Admiral Silas H. Stringham, now on the retired list, for distinguished services in the capture of Forts Hatteras and Clark.
And that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each of the above officers by the President of the United States.
Approved, February 7, 1863.

Joint Resolution to compensate the Sailors on the Gunboat "Cairo" for Loss of Clothing.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized, in settling the accounts of the petty officers, seamen, sailors, and others of the crew of the United States gunboat "Cairo," to allow to each a sum not exceeding fifty dollars as a remuneration for the damage they may have sustained in the loss of their clothing by the destruction of said vessel in December last.
Approved, February 13, 1863.

Joint Resolution to revive "An Act to secure to the Officers and Men actually employed in the Western Department, or Department of Missouri, their Pay, Bounty, and Pension, and for other Purposes."
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Approved, February 13, 1863.

Joint Resolution to grant the Use of a Portion of Judiciary Square for a Free Library and Reading-room for Soldiers.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to let to John A. Fowle and Elida B. Runsey the use of a portion of the land owned by the United States, and known as Judiciary Square, to erect thereon, free from charge to the United States, a suitable building for a soldiers' free library and reading-room for soldiers; provided, That the same can be done without prejudice to the public interests, and provided that all expenses shall be borne by said Fowle and Runsey, and that all benefits and privileges of such library and reading-room be granted to our soldiers free of charge, and that said building be removed whenever the Secretary of the Interior shall require the same to be done.
Approved, January 13, 1863.

Joint Resolution to provide for the immediate Payment of the Army and Navy of the United States.
Whereas it is deemed expedient to make immediate provision for the payment of the army and navy; therefore—
Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized, if

required by the exigencies of the public service, to issue on the credit of the United States the sum of one hundred millions of dollars of United States notes, in such form as he may deem expedient, not bearing interest, payable to bearer on demand, and of such denominations not less than one dollar, as he may prescribe, which notes so issued shall be lawful money and a legal tender, like the similar notes heretofore authorized in payment of all debts, public and private, within the United States, except for duties on imports and interest of the public debt; and the notes so issued shall be part of the amount provided for in any bill now pending for the issue of treasury notes, or that may be passed hereafter, by this Congress.
Approved, January 17, 1863.

and paid by the Secretary of the Senate in pursuance of the order of that joint committee, shall be accordingly credited and allowed by the accounting officers of the Treasury Department.
Approved, February 20, 1863.

A Resolution expelling George E. Badger from the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, and appointing Louis Agassiz in his place.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That George E. Badger, a member of the board of regents of the Smithsonian Institution, who is now giving aid and comfort to the enemies of the Government, be, and is hereby, expelled from the said board, and that Louis Agassiz, of Cambridge, Massachusetts, be, and he is hereby, appointed a member of the said board to fill the vacancy occasioned by the expulsion of Mr. Badger.
Approved, February 21, 1863.

Joint Resolution authorizing the Appointment of a Commissioner to revise and codify the Naval Laws of the United States.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint (by and with the consent of the Senate) a commissioner, whose duty it shall be to revise and codify the naval laws of the United States, and report such revised code to Congress at its next session. The annual salary of said commissioner shall be three thousand dollars.
Approved, March 3, 1863.

Joint Resolution fixing the Pay of the Commandant of the Navy Yard at Mare Island, California.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the pay of the officer of the navy assigned to the command of the navy yard at Mare Island, California, shall be the sea pay of his grade.
Approved, March 3, 1863.

A Resolution to facilitate the Payment of sick and wounded Soldiers in the Hospitals and Convalescent Camps.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the paymaster-general be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to take immediate measures for the prompt payment of the sick and wounded soldiers in the convalescent camps, hospitals, and elsewhere, so that they may be fully paid within sixty days from and after the passage hereof.
Approved, March 3, 1863.

Joint Resolution to expedite the Printing of the President's Message and accompanying Document.
Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, instead of furnishing manuscript copies to each house of Congress, the heads of the several departments of Government be required to furnish the superintendent of the public printing with copies of their annual reports on or before the first day of November of each year; whose duty it shall be to print, in addition to the number now required by law, two thousand copies for the use of the Senate, and five thousand for the use of the House, in volumes (bound in the usual manner) of convenient size and to deliver the same to the proper officer of each house, respectively, on or before the third Monday in December of each year.
(To be continued.)

TREATIES.
Treaty with Bolivia. Peace, Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation. Signed at La Paz, May 13, 1858. Ratified by the President of the United States, February 17, 1862. Exchanged at La Paz, November 9, 1862. Proclaimed by the President of the United States, January 5, 1863.
By the President of the United States of America:
A PROCLAMATION.
WHEREAS a Treaty of Peace, Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation between the United States and the Republic of Bolivia, was concluded and signed by their respective Plenipotentiaries, at La Paz, on the thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, which treaty, after having been amended and ratified by the contracting parties, is word for word as follows:
Treaty of Peace, Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation, between the United States of America and the Republic of Bolivia.
(Continued.)
ARTICLE XV.
It shall be lawful for the citizens of the United States of America, and of the Republic of Bolivia, to sail with their ships, with all manner of liberty and security, no distinction being made who are the proprietors of the merchandise laden thereon, from any port to the places of those who now are, or hereafter shall be, at amity with either of the contracting parties. It shall likewise be lawful for the citizens aforesaid to sail with their ships and merchandises before mentioned, and to trade with the same liberty and security, not only from places and ports of those who are enemies of both or either party, to the ports of the other, and to neutral places, but also from one place belonging to an enemy, to another place belonging to an enemy, whether they be under the jurisdiction of one power or of several.
ARTICLE XVI.
The two high contracting parties recognize as permanent and inalienable the following principles, to wit:
1st. That free ships make free goods; that is to say, that the effects or goods belonging to subjects or citizens of one power or state at war are free from capture or confiscation when found on board of neutral vessels, with the exception of articles contraband of war.
2d. That the property of neutrals on board an enemy's vessel is not subject to confiscation, unless the same be contraband of war.
The like neutrality shall be extended to persons who are on board a neutral ship with this effect, that although they may be enemies to both or either party, they are not to be taken out of that ship unless they are officers or soldiers, and in the actual service of the enemies. The contracting parties engage to apply those principles to the commerce and navigation of all such powers and states as shall consent to adopt them as permanent and inalienable.
ARTICLE XVII.
This liberty of navigation and commerce shall extend to all kinds of merchandise, excepting those only which are distinguished by the name of contraband of war, and under this name shall be comprehended—
1st. Cannons, mortars, howitzers, carbines, blunderbusses, muskets, fuses, rifles, scabbards, pistols, pikes, swords, sabres, lances, spears, ballders, and grenades, bombs, powder, matches, balls, and all other things belonging to the use of these arms.
2d. Bucklers, helmets, breastplates, coats of mail, infantry belts, and clothes made up in the form and for a military use.

3d. Cavalry belts, and horses, with their furniture.
4th. And, generally, all kinds of arms, offensive and defensive, and instruments of iron, steel, brass and copper, or any other materials, manufactured, prepared, and formed expressly to make war by sea or land.

ARTICLE XVIII.
All other merchandises and things not comprehended in the articles of contraband explicitly enumerated and classified as above, shall be held and considered as free, and subjects of free and lawful commerce, so that they may be carried and transported in the freest manner by the citizens of both the contracting parties, even to places belonging to an enemy, excepting only those places which are at that time besieged or blockaded; and to avoid all doubt in this particular, it is declared that those places or ports only are besieged or blockaded which are actually attacked by a belligerent force capable of preventing the entry of the neutral.
ARTICLE XIX.
The articles of contraband before enumerated and classified, which may be found in a vessel bound to an enemy's port, shall be subject to detention and confiscation, leaving free the rest of the cargo and the ship, that the owners may dispose of them as they see proper. No vessel of either of the two nations shall be detained on the high seas on account of having on board articles of contraband, whenever the master, captain, or supercargo of said vessel will deliver up the articles of contraband to the captor, unless the quantity of such articles be so great or so large a bulk that they cannot be received on board the capturing ship without great inconvenience; but in this, as well as in all other cases of just detention, the vessel detained shall be sent to the nearest convenient and safe port for trial and judgment according to law.

ARTICLE XX.
And whereas it frequently happens that vessels sail for a port or place belonging to an enemy without knowing that the same is besieged, blockaded, or invested, it is agreed that every vessel, so circumstanced, shall not be turned away from such port or place, but shall not be detained; nor shall any part of her cargo, if not contraband, be confiscated, unless, after warning of such blockade or investment from an officer commanding a vessel of the blockading force, they shall again attempt to enter; but they shall be permitted to go to any other port or place she shall think proper. Nor shall any vessel of either that may have entered into such port before the same was actually besieged, blockaded, or invested by the other, be restrained from quitting such place with her cargo, nor, if found therein after the reduction and surrender, shall such vessel or her cargo be liable to confiscation, but they shall be restored to the owners thereof.
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