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May 12th.

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

DR. F. HERFF,
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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.
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The above named well-known Hotel is open for the accommodation of the traveling or pleasure-seeking Public. The arrangements are complete throughout, and no pains are spared to make guests comfortable. To those who seek a quiet and elegant home in the country, this Hotel will suit them to a charm, and for comfort and cheapness it has no rival in the State. V. TARDE.
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INDIANOLA, TEXAS,
Wholesale Grocers,
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And Dealers in Hardware.
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EAGLE PASS, TEXAS.
The highest Cash Price paid for Hide. sep17th

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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.
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THE UNDERSIGNED will pay the highest CASH PRICES for all grades of Wool.
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Dealers in
GROCERIES,
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
COMMERCE STREET,
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April 23d 3m

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Country produce bought.
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DRESEL & BRIAN,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS
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Dry-Goods and Groceries,
HATS,
SHOES,
CROCKERY,
NOTIONS.
San Antonio, April 25, 1867. 113ft

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Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE
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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, curtains hanging, and carpeting.
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and Shoes, Hats, Hosiery, Gents'
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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Jan 16 dtf

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AND
Confectioneries,
WEDDING AND BALL CAKES
Made to Order.

A Select Assortment of
Fancy Groceries,
Such as
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Preserves, Figs, &c.
Always on Hand.
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Main Street, San Antonio, Texas.
HAS the very best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., &c. where those who derive pleasure from the "O De Joyful," will find comfort and consolation. dec 25th

Report of Henry C. King, Made Before the Agricultural and Stock-raising Association of Western Texas, May 26, 1868, of the Agricultural Resources of Western Texas.

As man was driven forth from Eden to earn bread by the sweat of his brow, so agriculture has continued, in all ages, in every civilized State and community, to rank first in interest and importance among human occupations. The basis and support of all other occupations, which might be styled its parasites, it has ever asserted its prior claim upon man's highest efforts and best energies. It is, indeed, the broad corner stone upon which rests the complicated superstructure of human society and government. Hence it has resulted as a corollary that in every instance where a general and judicious system of agriculture has been pursued, the nation thus pursuing it has been rewarded with wealth, happiness, and independence. These nations have been the seats of civilization and empire. The country, single community, or section, is, in this respect, but the type or epitome of the nation, alike subject to the inevitable penalty of indolence, and equally sure of the bounteous reward of enlightened industry.

It has been the habit to speak of Western Texas as exclusively a pastoral region, and as unsuited to agriculture. Without inquiring into the origin of an error so great, and unfortunately so widespread as the latter supposition, it is sufficient to say that the facts as developed by actual experience entirely refute the idea and establish quite the opposite conclusion. While it is true that our incomparable natural pasturage affords unrivalled advantages for stock-raising, it is equally true that Western Texas, despite the drawback of occasional draught, also possesses varied and most ample agricultural capacities. Indeed, this is now so well known among us that, but for the contrary and erroneous impression which has somehow got abroad, the statement of the fact would be a work of supererogation. If proof were desired, we need only remark that with almost our entire population engaged in stock-raising, and giving but a minor part of their time to agriculture, as a secondary consideration, plenty has always reigned in our midst. Those farmers who fail to raise an abundance for their own consumption, and a handsome surplus for sale, are the exceptions, and a thousand evidences on every hand show that those who are devoting their brazen arms to the field, the garden and the orchard, are growing rich.

The fruits of the temperate zone and vegetables of every variety flourish, and some kinds attain a rare perfection. We produce all the staple cereals. Wheat, corn, barley, rye, and oats, all grow equally well, and, with proper culture, seldom fail to yield good crops. In that section of the State of which this may be called the centre, the wheat crop does not fall below an average of fifteen bushels per acre; and the average of the field rises to twenty-five bushels and upwards to the acre quite as often as it falls to the first-mentioned estimate. When it is remembered that the fields are cultivated entirely with the old-fashioned plow, and that fertilizers and modern-improved agricultural machinery are comparatively unknown as yet among us, the fact appears that this country compares favorably, as a wheat-producing region, with the average wheat lands of the United States. We would call attention particularly to the peculiar adaptability of our soil and climate to the culture and production of rye; this hardy grain flourishes here with remarkable vigor and luxuriance, defying ordinary casualties, and yielding large crops with a regularity amounting, as a rule, to certainty. And its value is not confined to affording an excellent and well-known article of diet and good food for stock, but the growing crop furnishes rich and almost inexhaustible pasturage upon which horses, sheep, or cattle may thrive from the 1st of November until the 15th of March, or even up to the 1st of April, and this without damage to the product of grain which is harvested two months

later. Millet is as reliable a crop as corn, and when cut at the proper stage for forage, yields, according to the testimony of some of our best farmers, the enormous return of four tons and upwards to the acre. It will be seen at once that the value of this product cannot be over-estimated.

Among other forage crops that have succeeded, Hungarian grass produces well; and there is little doubt that appropriate varieties of clover, such for instance as the California clover, and the Trifolium incarnatum or Scarlet clover, which flourish wherever wheat and rye are grown, can be cultivated successfully. Sorghum and Imphee flourish with us, and, in this congenial summer climate, yield two crops with comparative certainty. Considering that the production of sugar and molasses on any considerable scale from sugar cane has ceased in the Southern States, at least for the present, and probably indefinitely; and in view of the frailness of the tenure by which Cuba is retained by her most Catholic Majesty of Spain, and the present system of production there by slave labor upheld; considering also that the sorghum crop has proved virtually a failure in the West and Northwest, we have in this single product, with the greatly improved machinery now in use, a field of wealth far more inviting to the immigrant than the black prairies of the Northwest. It is believed that hops and buckwheat will do well, and arrangements are now contemplated to test the matter by experiment. We must not omit to mention the castor-oil bean as among those productions which seem especially adapted by nature to our soil and climate. This beautiful plant, which makes so indispensable a contribution to the materia medica, yields large crops with but ordinary care and tillage; and that it has not been more generally cultivated is owing only to the want of a convenient market for the bean. Time will undoubtedly set this right, and we trust the period is not distant when the establishment of castor-oil manufactories in our midst will develop the more extensive cultivation of this crop, and thereby create for Texas a new and prolific source of wealth, which now, like so many of her other vast resources, lies dormant. It is scarcely necessary to mention that sweet potatoes are a staple crop, the long summer developing a large growth and heavy yield. Tobacco is grown with remunerating success, and it is the opinion of practical tobacco planters from other States that our soil is well adapted to the milder varieties especially.

Any review of the productive capacities of Western Texas would be manifestly incomplete without special mention of the grape. Reserving for a future occasion a more extended notice of this most important branch of horticulture, we will only remark that both theory and practice show this to be a wine country. If science, based upon the experience of other countries, had not pointed out our warm dry climate and limestone soil as a favored home of the grape, nature would reveal the truth to us in the luxuriance and variety of wild native vines which cover our hills and valleys. Excellent wine is made in nearly every country from these native grapes, which is sold readily at \$2 per gallon. And whether or not we are a more thirsty people than the balance of mankind, it is certain that for a long time to come there will be a high home market for all the wine manufactured in the State. If every owner of a homestead would plant a vineyard of but a single acre with approved varieties—such as the Black Hamburg, as it is here called, and the famous Scuppernon, of the Southern seaboard, he would not only make himself rich, but build up a valuable heritage to be enjoyed by his children and his children's children, while the State of Texas would become, from this and her other diversified and teeming productions, the most prosperous country under the sun. Cotton grows luxuriantly, producing in good seasons a bale to the acre and upwards;—and if we place the kindly

staple at the end of the list, it is because we take it for granted that our people have resolved, under the present aspect of affairs, that they will in the future confine the culture of cotton to supplying the home demand only.

Such is a brief glance at our chief productions. Let it be remembered, however, that this is not a tropical country, where man's necessities are supplied by nature's bounteous prodigality. All children here must pay the tax of labor and the sweat of the brow. Careful tillage, and a due adaptation of culture to the unique peculiarities of climate and soil are necessary; and, above all, that industry and patient toil, without which nothing useful or good in life is accomplished, are essential to success in any of these various branches of agriculture. We think, however, it will be seen that Western Texas presents no small attractions to the farmer and the horticulturist, that, by well-directed labor, perseverance and skill, he can enjoy everything that the heart of man may reasonably desire. And when to this it is added that we possess a climate of such salubrity that sickness is rare, and labor can be performed in the open air all the year round without enervation from the heats of summer and with but little or no interruption from cold in winter, these advantages are enhanced beyond estimation.

As one instance among others in Western Texas that may be adduced to show what energy and industry in tilling the soil will accomplish, we would point to our neighboring city of New Braunfels. Here, on the romantic waters of the Comal and Guadalupe, where the Texas Ranger but a few years ago had camped or trailed the Comanche war party, now stands a beautiful island town of no mean size, the center of a populous and prosperous community—the most prosperous perhaps now to be found within the limits of the desolate South. If we seek the cause of this remarkable growth and prosperity, we find that neither navigable stream nor railroad has drawn commerce and wealth there as a focus of trade;—no mine of precious metals has built up her shady streets, her public edifices, and her wool and cotton manufactories, which have all since from that so recent wilderness almost like one of the fairy creations of the Arabian Knights. All has been done, and done so quickly, by agriculture alone, by hard work and intelligence in the cultivation of the soil. The green fields, the golden and fruitful orchards, which so pleasantly greet the eye of the traveler; and the sources, the head springs of this stream of wealth. The instruments of the metamorphosis are the plow and hoe—the soil magicians which have transformed the savage wild into the abode of industry, comfort and wealth;—where, instead of the Comanche war whoop and the crack of the Ranger's rifle, is now daily heard the shriek of the steam whistle and the busy hum of the loom and spindle. What has been done at New Braunfels, has also been done at Boerne, Fredericksburg, and other points on the Texas frontier, and may be done on almost every acre of land within the broad limits of Western Texas. For the soil has few poor spots to be avoided by the farmer.

Need we speak of the ancient and fair city of San Antonio, presenting, notwithstanding the late unprecedented storm, so lovely a picture of Texas in its best Her waving fields, green and over-arching with lush vegetable gardens, her orchards laden with luscious fruits of various climes, and her perfumed-breathing flower-gardens, all these that best of the good gifts which nature places within our easy grasp are well appreciated, and that labor, guided by science and refined taste, is reaping a generous reward.

H. GRENET
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER
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Groceries, Dry Goods, Flour, etc.
Hats, &c., &c.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY
FOR SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

The following is a list of business men in this city, who may be addressed in reference to their respective class of business:

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J. H. Kampmann, Architect and Builder.
J. Yates Brower, Steam Wagon Manufactory.
Brunet & Muhl, Iron and Brass Factory.
Eckenroth & Lange, Wagon Makers.

Professional.
J. Cooke, Attorney at Law.
S. G. Newton, " " "
Leigh & Dittmer, " " "
J. P. Nawooob, Notary Public.
Dr. T. Tomplian van der Hoeven, Physician.
Dr. Weisberg, Physician and Surgeon.
Dr. F. Herff, " " "
Dr. Nohl, " " "
Mortimer Slocum, M. D., Homeopathic.
Dr. Herndon, Dentist.
Dr. A. Boyd Doremus, " " "
Mrs. O. T. Jones, Music Teacher.
Mrs. Foest, Nurse.

Bankers.
San Antonio National Bank.
J. S. Lockwood.

Books and Stationery.
M. Slocum.
W. W. Gamble.

Lamps, Toys and Fancy Goods.
Hertzberg & Simon.

Jewelry.
Bell & Brothers.

Dry-Goods, &c.
Zork & Greisenbeck.
B. Oppenheimer & Co.
A. Hartmann.
Lovenstein & Co.
Bloombargh & Frank.
Koenigheim & Co.
A. Heusinger.

Groceries, Dry-Goods, &c.
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H. Grenet.
F. Gross & Co.

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Rhodius & Co.
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C. H. Merritt & Bro.
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Drugs and Medicines.
F. Kaiteyer.
A. Netto.

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Philip Conrad.

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Zork & Greisenbeck, Planes.
Wulff & Shetelig, Commercial Ag'ts.
George Hoerner, Saloon.
Elmenlof & Co., Dealer in hides.
R. Egar, " " Wool.
Bell & Brothers, Jewelers.
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The stock being selected by himself for
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FROM TEXAS TO ALL POINTS NORTH
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Via Steamship to New Orleans, thence
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MERCHANTS.
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Sale days—Monday's, Wednesday's and
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WHOLESALE & RETAIL
Dealers in
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CLOTHING,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Also, a large Assortment of
BOOTS and SHOES,
HATS, &c., &c.
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OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL,
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JUST RECEIVED, a splendid Spring
Stock of
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CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
CLOTHS, CASIMERES, &c., &c.
April 22nd 4f

BRUNET & MÜHL,
IRON and BRASS
MACHINE SHOP.
All work done neatly and cheaply. All
repairs of Machinery promptly executed,
whether Brass or Iron.
Shop on Presa Street, on the river
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Commerce Street,
Opposite Bell's Jewelry Store.
Keeps constantly on hand
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A fine assortment of
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of all kinds,
—CHILDREN'S BOOKS,
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And other Books
Suitable for Presents!
A large assortment of
PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS
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—AND—
Miscellaneous Articles.
—Also—
THE INDELLIBLE PENCIL,
Wholesale and Retail.
The Latest Novels constantly
on hand.
Cards of all Kinds.
In fine a full assortment of everything per-
taining to this line of business.
All the Latest Newspapers, Ma-
gazines, etc.

Music! Music!! Music!!!
A fine assortment on hand, and receiving
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SURGEON DENTIST,
Established permanently in San Antonio
WILL practice his profession in all its
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San Antonio, April 4, 1868. (4f)

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WAGON MAKERS,
OPPOSITE LIFTERING'S MILL,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
All kinds of repairing done in
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New Waggons and Amplegades for sale,
made especially for Texas climate, out of
native or northern timber. (April 4th 4f)

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Expressly manufactured for the Southern
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Skirt Braids,
Lace Articles,
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White Goods,
Linen Goods,
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Shawls,
Cloaks,
Yankee Notions etc., etc., etc. 17 septf

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August 23. [no 48-1y.]

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EL PASO MAIL LINE BRAND,
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On left Shoulder, M
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Particular attention to filling orders, accom-
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Shippers and Dealers in
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Blinds.
Having on hand a large assortment of
CHOICE STOCK,
We are enabled to fill all orders at
Greatly Reduced Prices.
Orders from the country solicited and
promptly filled.
MARKET STREET,
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DEALERS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL,
of all kinds of
FIRE-ARMS, viz:
Rifles, shot guns, (Laminated steel and
Damasus twist.)
Gun Wads and
Gun Material, Shot,
Powder and Caps,
Powder Flasks and
Shot Pouches,
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Tumbler, &c.
RIFLES,
Kentucky Rifles,
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Palmer's single Breach-Loading-
CARBINES,
(A splendid arm for Frontier Service.)
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Ballard's Rifles,
Maynard's Rifles,
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