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## TELEGRAPHIC

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DESPACHES.]

WASHINGTON, July 24.—House—Joint resolution authorizing officers and soldiers to wear on state-occasions badges of corps in which they served, passed.

Report of Conference committee on Alaska bill simply appropriating necessary money, adopted.

Resolution on recess from Monday to third Monday in September, after exciting struggle, provoked several democrats to change their votes, final vote 107 to 71.

Reconstruction committee reported a bill for the more speedy reorganization of Virginia, Mississippi and Texas, during debate, Butler declared himself in favor of bill, hopeless, however, of its becoming a law.

Resolution to adjourn Monday, defeated.

He added if Republicans lost the Southern States, they could not object their being counted against them; and if Republicans won them, then the President had said their gov't were illegal, and their votes could not be counted, and the President held the power to be sworn, and the Senate so far as heard from, the New York World claimed if Congress adjourned, every Southern State would be carried for the democratic ticket, Butler believed it. Congress was simply losing time considering this bill, if the reconstruction policy could stand, Congress ought to protect it, they ought to protect their action, their honor as legislators and themselves. Butler's time expired, Beck appealed, House not pass bill, not consign those States to reckless adventurers, not arm a negro constabulary against peaceful white inhabitants, but rather leave those States under protection of troops of the United States, passed.

Strict party vote except John Baker of Illinois, who voted with the Democrats.

The bill as passed is as follows: A bill to provide for the more speedy organization of the States of Virginia, Mississippi and Texas, and

Be it enacted, that for the better security of persons and property in Texas, Virginia and Mississippi, the Constitutional Convention of each of said States heretofore elected, under and in pursuance of an act of Congress passed March 2nd, 1867, entitled an act for the more efficient government of the rebel States and the several acts of Congress supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof shall have and is hereby authorized to exercise the following powers in addition to the powers now authorized by law, to wit:

To make removals and appointments of all officers of the Provisional government of said States, respectively; to authorize the Provisional Governor of said respective States to remove and appoint Registrars and judges of election shall not be eligible to any elective office under the provisional government and shall observe the provision of said act of Congress; to organize and maintain a constabulary force in each said State; to preserve the peace and aid in executing of the laws; to provide by ordinance for assembling said several conventions from time to time, and for holding all elections authorized by said acts of Congress, and for ascertaining and declaring the result of such elections, especially the result of any election which may be held for the ratification or rejection of any constitution which said several Conventions may submit to the people of either of said States, and to pass such ordinances consistent with constitution and laws of the United States as they may deem necessary; to protect all persons therein in their lives, liberty and property.

Section 2.—And be it further enacted, That the several ordinances which may be passed by the Constitutional Conventions of either of said States, as herein provided, shall be enforced by the Provisional Government of such States, until said States have adopted a constitution of State government and the same shall have been approved by Congress; provided, that nothing in this act shall deprive any person of trial by jury in the courts of said States, for or against laws of said States.

Section 3.—Be it further enacted, that the military commanders in each of said States shall give aid to the officers of the Provisional government of each of said States, in preserving the peace and enforcing the laws, and especially in suppressing unlawful obstructions and forcible resistance to the exercise of laws.

Section 4.—Be it further enacted, That on the fourth Wednesday after the passage of this act, said Convention of Mississippi and Virginia shall re-assemble and the said convention of Mississippi shall proceed to frame a constitution. (Here storm interrupted, too much electricity to proceed.)

### New Advertisements:

#### TO EXCHANGE FOR BEEF In Lots to suit Parties.

900 Head of well improved (Merino) sheep, perfectly healthy.  
100 Head of Horse Stock, consisting of Stallions, Jacks, Mares and young stock.  
Apply to E. SAWYER & Co.,  
San Antonio,  
Or W. M. KEARNEY,  
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##### A LARGE TRADE SALE,

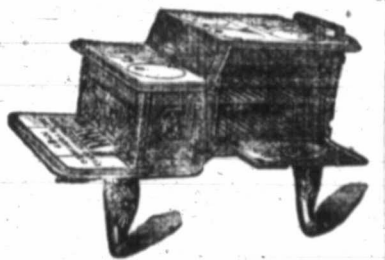
On Tuesday and Wednesday, 28th and 29th of July, at 10 o'clock, a. m.  
E. SAWYER & CO.,  
Auctioneers.

Will sell at their Auction Rooms, on Main Plaza, a large and varied stock of Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Broad cloth, Cassimeres, Satinets, Denims, Ready made clothing, Ladies Dress Goods, Scotch Plaids, Mohair, Poplins, James' Muslins, Flannels, Hosiery, Merinoes, Cottonades, &c. &c.  
A rare chance is offered to the trade, as the entire stock will be closed out without reserve.  
E. SAWYER & CO  
July 21st (4s) Auctioneers.

#### \$20 LOTS FOR SALE.

LOTS twenty by sixty yards, 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  
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#### TIN, SHEET IRON

And Dealers in Castings and Hollow-Ware of all descriptions. Wood and Willow ware. Tin Plate, Block Tin Lead, Wire, Kettle caps, Copper and Brass, and a general assortment of Tinners' Furnishing Goods.  
Have just received and constantly receiving, a fine assortment of Cooking Stoves, comprising the celebrated

#### Cotton Plant.

Queen of the South.  
Magnolia, Delta, Picayune, Texana and Mutual Friend.

Also, a fine assortment of Well and Cistern Pumps, with galvanized Iron and Lead Pipe. Coal Oil and Coal Oil Lamps, Ward's Union Washing Machine. Messers Five minute Ice Cream Freezers.  
And the Steel Spring Parlor Rocking Chair.  
Particular attention paid to the Manufacture of Tin Ware, Tin Roofing and Gutting. Our ambition is, quick sales and small profits.

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FROM TEXAS TO ALL POINTS NORTH AND EAST.  
Via Steamship to New Orleans, thence via Ganton, Grand Junction, Chattanooga, Lynchburg and WASHINGTON.

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Two through Express Trains leave New Orleans daily, carrying the great Northern through mail.  
This is the only all-rail route from New Orleans to New York, without Ferry or Omnibus changes, and is 118 miles shorter than via Louisville, Cincinnati, and Pan Handle route; 237 miles shorter than via Atlantic and Great Western route; 244 miles shorter than via the Indianapolis and New York Central route; 384 miles shorter than via Cairo and Chicago route.

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JULIUS HAYDEN,  
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
68 William Street, Corner of Cedar St.  
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Main Plaza, San Antonio.

#### Hardware & Cutlery.

#### Woodenware,

#### LEATHER,

#### Paints and Glass.

#### Agricultural Implements.

#### PUMPS, STOVES, ARMS, &c.

July 7 (4s)

### ELMENDORF & CO.,

#### Hardware Merchants,

#### MAIN PLAZA.

HAVE on hand, and offer for sale

#### English and American Cutlery,

Iron and Steel of all sizes.  
Carpenter's Tools,  
Mill and Cross cut Saws of all sizes,  
Boring Machines,  
Nails of all sizes,  
Butts, Hinges, Screws, &c.  
Door, Cabinet and Trunk Locks of all kinds,  
Shoe Makers and Saddler Tools and Trimmings  
Buckets, Rings, &c.  
Bridle Bits and Webbing.  
Old Cloth, Hames, Collars &c., &c.  
Tin Rivets and Kettles, &c. &c.  
Steel Hoes and Agricultural Implements.  
And a general assortment of

#### HARDWARE.

Also: Paints, Oils,  
Turpentine and Glass,  
Paint, Shoe and Clothes Brushes,  
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#### 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  
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May 24, 1868. no 35 (4s)

#### SOUTHERN

#### Real Estate Agency,

For the Purchase and Sale of Cotton, Sugar and Tobacco Plantations.

#### Farming, Gardening, Grazing,

#### Timber and Mineral Lands,

#### Dwellings, Mills, Building Lots, &c., &c.

In every section of the Southern States: Full particulars as to the location, means of access, character and value of lands in the south, given on application to  
ROBERT BLOW & SON,  
43 South William St., New York.  
LOUIS DUVAL, Agent,  
San Antonio, Texas, Corner of Commerce and Salado Streets. (4s) April 26 (4s)

#### 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 TRINKLES.

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 the Old Stage.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
March 29, 1868

#### To Consumptives.

The Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON will send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the prescription, with the directions for making and using the simple remedy by which he was cured of a Lung Affection and that dread disease, Consumption. His only object is to benefit the afflicted, and he hopes every sufferer will try this prescription, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Please address  
Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON,  
No. 165 South Second Street,  
Williamsburgh, N. Y.  
sept 1

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

Whereas, certain evil minded persons have circulated the rumor that some time since I had found a considerable sum of money, or appropriated a sum of money for my use, to which I had no right. Now I hereby declare that the reports of this are infamous slanders and lies, and I offer a reward of three hundred dollars to any person or persons who can prove that I at any time have found money which I did not restore to the owner, or that I ever have appropriated any amount of money to my own use or benefit, which I have not earned by honest labor and industry.  
ANDRI CARLI,  
July 9 (4s) Castroville, Texas.

#### Hungarian Leeches.

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

### Cards of City Merchants.

#### STEELE & WILLIAMS,

(Late John Withers & Co.),  
Commission Merchants,  
Commerce Street,  
June 23d & 3m.) SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

#### J. M. WAGAR,

#### MERCHANT TAILOR.

Place House, San Antonio, Texas.  
march 9 (4s) Latest Paris Fashions.

#### NOTICE.

Mrs. C. T. Jones wishes to inform her friends that she will commence giving lessons on the Piano Forte and Singing, on the 1st of February, and desires a share of their patronage.  
To be found at the residence of A. W. Briggs, Col. Newton's house (Jan 30) 4m

#### TH. SCHLEUNING,

#### SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS,

#### IMPORTER,

#### Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

#### GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS

and Crockery of every description,  
Country produce bought,  
march 14 (4s) ptf

#### DRESEL & BRIAM,

#### WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS

#### IN

#### Dry-Goods and Groceries,

#### HATS,

#### SHOES,

#### CROCKERY,

#### NOTIONS.

San Antonio, April 26, 1867. 113 (4s)

#### WULF & SHETELIG,

#### Importers

#### General Commercial Agents,

CHICAGO, SAN ANTONIO,  
MEXICO, TEXAS,  
march 28 (4s) cor. Alamo & North streets

#### B. OPPENHEIMER & CO.

Importers and Dealers in

#### STAPLE AND FANCY

#### DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS

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#### Furnishing Goods Notions, &c.

38 & 40 Commerce Street.  
(Opposite the Foot Bridge.)  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
Jan 16 (4s)

#### GEORGE HORNBER'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. dec 7 (4s)

#### HERTZBERG & SIMON,

DEALERS IN

#### PIPES, CIGARS, TOBACCO

#### GLASWARE, FANCY GOODS,

#### TOYS, MOULDINGS, PICTURES

#### AND STATIONERY.

#### NEWSPAPER AGENTS.

#### Gas Burners for Kerrocine Lamps.

feb 17 (4s)

#### Hotels.

#### 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. 23, 1868. (4s)

#### Klopper Hotel.

FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT!  
Mrs. KLOPPER 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,  
12 (4s)

#### NAILS

300 Kegs, in store and to arrive. For sale by  
H. GREENET.  
march 30 (4s)

### City Cards.

#### SCHMUTT & 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. 4 (4s)

#### PHILIP CONRAD.

Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE

and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress Maker and Upholsterer.

#### MAIN STREET,

Opposite Zook & Greenbeck.  
Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of Mattresses; and offers his services for repairing furniture, paper hanging, curtaining, hanging, and carpeting.  
San Antonio, May 6th. 4 (4s)

#### Lawyers.

Malcom G. Anderson, Thophilus G. Anderson

#### ANDERSON & BRO.,

#### ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

San Antonio, Texas.  
Office, up stairs Russi Building, on the Military Plaza. (July 14) 4 (4s)

#### JACK COCKE,

#### LAWYER.

Office, west side of Military Plaza, near Courthouse. (April 14) 4 (4s)

#### S. G. NEWTON,

#### ATTORNEY AT LAW,

114-3rd st. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

#### Doctors.

#### Dr. T. Templeman van der Hoeven

OPPOSITE NEW ARSENAL,  
FLORENCE STREET.  
may 12 (4s)

#### DR. WEISSELBERG,

#### Physician and Surgeon,

OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store,  
On Commerce Street.  
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868. 4 (4s)

#### 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. (4s)

#### A. NETTE,

Has just received a large stock of

#### DRUGS,

#### MEDICINES,

PERFUMERIES, and  
SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS

In fact all the leading articles, such as

#### PAINFUL MEDICINES,

that are usually kept in a

#### First Class Drug Store.

The stock being selected by himself for his market. 4 (4s)

#### 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, she will 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) 4 (4s)

#### Banks.

#### J. S. Lockwood,

#### BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,

on Commerce Street,  
opposite Bell & Bros. Jewelry store,  
San Antonio.

#### Currency and Exchange bought and sold; Collections made on all accessible points. 50 (4s)

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#### W. WESTHOFF, L. FREUD.

#### W. WESTHOFF & CO.,

#### INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

#### Wholesale Grocers,

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And Dealers in Hardware.  
Liberal advances made on consignments of Country Produce. (13) 9

#### ALBERT TURPE,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
EAGLE PASS, TEXAS.  
The highest Cash Price paid for Hides. sep 17 (4s)

#### HIDES

Bought at the  
HIGHEST MARKET PRICE,  
ELMENDORF & Co.

SUNDAY, JULY 26, 1868.

Nominations of the National Republican Convention at Chicago, May 21, '68.

For President. U. S. GRANT. For Vice-President. Schuyler Colfax.

"Freedmen and Democracy."

The seceding democrats are quite jubilant over the thought that some freedmen will enlist under the banner of men whose sole aim is to deprive the negro of the right of suffrage.

How these stupid fellows can expect this, is, we confess, beyond our comprehension, illiterate and simple as the freedmen may be, they have a most singular sort of knowing "which side of their bread is buttered;" a large majority cannot read it is true, but they have as a general thing a good memory, they do not forgive those men who at first boasted they could and would use them to defeat the Radical party at the ballot box, men who confidently asserted their purpose of depriving them of the rights guaranteed to them under the laws and constitution of the United States.

How can you hope to gather this people into the democratic fold? Can you expect favors of a people and at the same time tell them to their teeth, that they never were intended, nor are they capable of enjoying the blessings of a free government?

Can you heap insult and injury in every conceivable form upon them, murder, hang and shoot them as so many dogs, and then turn round with more than infernal impudence and say to the father after you, murder the son, I am your benefactor, vote for Seymour and Blair.

Yes, they will vote for you, but when the sun refuses to shine! when you can dip the ocean dry! when you can number the stars of Heaven! when right becomes wrong! when truth becomes more truthful than error and falsehood, then, and not till then can you get the support of an unfortunate race you would first enslave and then destroy.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BRENNHAM, WASHINGTON CO., TEXAS, Sunday, July 19, 1868.

DEAR EXPRESS:

After three days and nights' fatiguing stage-travel, I find myself nearly two hundred miles away, and in the region of Texas—that from some good reason God has cursed with the most horrible Egyptian darkness—the fruits of which I shall speak of hereafter.

As the most of our readers have shown a lively interest in THE DAILY EXPRESS, and have patiently waded through the scribbles of its founder, I shall attempt a few details of my trip.

THE WARNING.

All Wednesday night I was busily engaged in detailing instructions to the persons left in charge of the various departments of THE EXPRESS establishment. Towards morning, after packing my "carpet bag," and writing a letter or two, I lay down to take a few moments' sleep, that I might be better able to stand the trip. I had been abed but a few moments, when I was called by some one standing beneath my window.

my movements, and thus failed to escort me out of the city.

Save the presence on the stage of an officer and seven "Yankee soldiers," I was left "the lord of all I surveyed."

I must say, of the two classes of chivalry, I prefer those who have the energy and pluck to stand out on the road and order their clients to stand and deliver, as those who stopped the carriages on the night of the 15th did, to the sneaking assassin, who hides behind the bushes and takes his victim unprepared or unarmed, as the murderer of La Compté de Wautine did.

STATE OF SOCIETY IN TEXAS.

It is truly fearful to feel that the State of Texas is so thoroughly in the hands of the assassins and the outlaws that they dare to stand upon the highway, within three miles of the largest city in her borders, and, with revolver drawn, command travelers to stop until search is made for political enemies. Nothing stands in the way of the sordid and embittered men who, having failed to destroy the country, now seem determined to wreak their vengeance upon all who manfully stand up for the honor of the united country against the sectional hatred of an undeserving class.

The blood of all these victims rests upon the heads of the men who have acted the cowardly tools of Andrew Johnson and have attempted to shut their eyes against the actual facts to please a bad master. Bold-spirited officers, who report the truth, are quietly set aside, and the cringing tool who willingly crawls before his superior to save his commission is set forward, and to-day the American people see the imbecils of their army rewarded, and the true men, the defenders of the nation's honor, placed in disgrace because they refuse to call murderers gentlemen.

MISSING SOLDIER.

Another outrage is brought to my notice, which the Commander of the 5th Military District will probably never send to have investigated, because the victim is "only a soldier." He sent an officer to investigate the killing of Cunningham at Gonzales. Cunningham was a rebel, arrested by United States soldiers while he was engaged in attacking the camp of said soldiers; during the arrest he attempted to escape and was shot.

The Commander sent his tool (McCook) to investigate the arrest of a defaulter at Corpus Christi, because said defaulter was in the custody of Union civil officers. Rebels may reap the greatest harvest of loyal blood—nothing is said, because the murderers will all vote the "Democratic" ticket.

The case referred to above is this: On the 27th day of March last, Sergeant Robbins, of F. Company, 35th U. S. Infantry, stationed at your city, was detailed by General Mason for the purpose of summoning witnesses from the vicinity of Gonzales to appear before the General Court-martial, now in session at San Antonio. The Sergeant was selected because he was perfectly trustworthy, had a large amount of money due him from the Government, and had served his term lacking 30 days. The Quartermaster supplied the Sergeant with a mule and equipments to carry out his instructions. Fifteen days was the utmost time required to carry out his orders—yet four months have passed, and the victim of rebel revenge remains undiscovered.

A detachment of Cavalry under Lieutenant Lazenby, 6th U. S. Cavalry, went down to summon the witnesses and find the missing Sergeant.

Months roll on—the memory of the soldier is almost forgotten—his Government makes less effort to find him than many men would to find a missing dog. The Sergeant belonged to the Company that killed Dr. Cunningham—he was known by the rebel fiends who attacked Sergeant Dwyer—they saw him returned among them alone. Can any

honest man doubt his fate? The Judge Advocate of the Court believes he has been murdered by the citizens of Gonzales county.

WON'T WORK.

The whole rebel element is set against the innovation of new people and new customs. The blacksmith shops along the road are worked by negroes; the fields are tilled by them. The indolent whites are studying how to live upon a share of the black labor; they deem it their God-given right to be supported by the blacks. Their first and most bitter antipathies are against the whites, who teach the freed people that it is wrong for others to appropriate the fruits of their labor. They kill the negroes who join the associations for their education, because it is safer than killing their white teachers.

WHY DO REBELS KILL THEIR ENEMIES?

If there ever was a people acting from a conscientious sense of duty, the late slave owners are to-day conscientiously convinced that it is their christian duty to kill, on all occasions, those who have emancipated their slaves, and thus deprived them of their wealth and their children of bread; they kill their slaves as a vicious person would shoot his horse when he believed himself wronged out of him and there is no means of recovery.

If Texas seems more hostile than other portions of the South, it is because she has never felt the dispiriting effects of war, while other regions of the South have been chastised into a proper respect for the power of Uncle Sam. Texan rebels do not believe him capable of avenging outrages perpetrated upon loyal men; and whenever the Government attempts to make these wild, blood thirsty men respect human life—there is going to be war. They never respected the Government, and, since the death of the lamented Griffin, they do not fear it.

CIVIL OFFICERS.

The strong arm of General Griffin held murder in check—in his death loyalty died out. His appointees have mostly returned from office in disgust; new men have superseded them, who fear rebels and cringe to them. The present State authorities fear the talk of rebels. Staunch Republicans are allowed to go and their places filled by men who please rebels—no reference is made to qualification.

Like poor old imbecile Buchanan, who gave the country into the hands of traitors in 1861, that he might retire the last President of the United States, so it seems Pease wants to retire the last of the Texas Radicals. His half-and-half appointees are creeping into the Union Leagues, all over the State, and destroying them. His co-workers in the State Convention have betrayed their constituents; and, instead of punishing traitors, they are trying to push through Railroad grants that will fill their private purses. Treason is enjoying a chance for a harvest that any party with half sense would reap.

The Pease administration (and we say it with the kindest feeling) has failed, in any single instance, to protect the life of a loyal man, white or black.

During the darkest days of the rebellion loyal blood was never half so cheap. Men are growing disgusted; they ask themselves, "What use is it to be a Union man and be marked as the next victim?" Even the negroes are growing disgusted and leaving the Councils of the League.

There is no use of disguising truth. These facts I gather on my travels half across the State. The demagogues who are trying to build up their private fortunes in the Convention are responsible. They may as well go home—they have opened the doors of the Leagues to treason; in this region it is so, and they will never have their Constitution ratified if it is submitted to the people of Central Texas.

JUDGE SABINE is the District Judge of the 3rd Judicial District, and we have not learned that he has resigned. We do know however, that he is in attendance upon the Convention, acting as a hired Attorney in the interest of the Buffalo Bayou, Brazos and Colorado railroad, and has appeared before the committee on internal improvements, as a special pleader for that company.

The idelicacy of a District Judge thrusting upon the members his printed plea for a stay of proceedings in the matter touching this railroad, he may not be able to appreciate; but probably a higher power may give the Judge a salutary admonition that he cannot lay aside the judicial ermine at pleasure, to accept a fee for any such purpose.

THE CONVENTION.

FORTIETH DAY.

CAPITOL, Austin, Texas, July 17, 1868.

Convention met pursuant to adjournment; roll called; quorum present. Prayer by the chaplain. Journal of yesterday read and adopted.

Degener asked that Mr. Newcomb be excused from attendance on convention.

Talbot, chairman of the committee on education, made the following report:

COMMITTEE ROOM, July 17, 1868.

Hon. E. J. Davis, President of the Convention: Sir—Your committee on education, to whom was referred a resolution offered by Mr. Schutze, of Bastrop, bearing date July 13th, 1868, and herewith transmitted, have had the same under consideration, and unanimously recommend its adoption by this convention.

JOSEPH W. TALBOT, Chairman.

Resolved, That a special committee be appointed and instructed to visit the Blind Asylum and Deaf and Dumb Asylum with a view of enquiring into the propriety of admitting into either or both of these institutions such number of indigent orphans as could be received therein, for education and maintenance on the expense of the State until an Orphan Asylum shall be established.

Flanigan, chairman of the committee on internal improvements, made the following report:

COMMITTEE ROOM, July 17, 1868.

To the Hon. E. J. Davis, President of the Convention: Sir—I am instructed to report to the convention the original report as previously presented, and recommend the passage of the accompanying ordinances.

Very Respectfully, J. W. FLANIGAN, Chairman of the Committee on Internal Improvement.

Patten moved that the report be made the special order of the day for Friday next, the 24th inst.

Flanigan moved the report be made the special order for Saturday, the 18th, at 10 o'clock.

Carried. McWashington offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following shall be a section of the Constitution:

Sec. — No person shall be imprisoned for debt in this State, but this shall not prevent the General Assembly from providing for imprisonment, or holding to bail, persons charged with fraud, in contracting said debt. A reasonable amount of property shall be exempt from seizure or sale, for the payment of debt or liabilities.

On motion the resolution was referred to the committee on contingent expenses.

Mr. Jordan offered the following declaration:

Be it declared by this convention, that the following form a part of the bill of rights:

Sec. — The liberty of the press to publish truth shall forever remain inviolable.

Sec. — All citizens may freely speak write or print, their sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of such liberty.

Sec. — To misrepresent or misconstrue the acts, language or opinions of any person or property, to apply false epithets or in any way either verbal, written, or printed, attempt to injure the reputation or hinder the success of any persons or party by such representation shall be an offense against the State.

Sec. — In all prosecutions for such offenses the accused shall be brought to trial in the county where complainants reside.

Sec. — The guilt of such offenders being ascertained by law, the punishment shall not be less than fine and confinement and labor in the penitentiary or elsewhere as the law may direct.

Sec. — Any person having been duly convicted of any of the above specified offenses, shall be disfranchised, and shall never, either by himself or others be permitted to print, or publish any book, pamphlet, or newspaper, in the State thereafter.

Sec. — The Governor of this State may demand of the Governor of another State, the surrender of such offender as the law may direct.

Evans of McLennan moved the rejection of the resolution.

Upon motion the resolution was referred to the committee on general provisions.

Buffington introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sergeant-at-arms be and he is hereby authorized to discharge three or more of the pages of this convention.

Buffington introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the different committees, except the committee on lawlessness and crime, be and are hereby requested to discharge the clerks in their employ.

Mr. Sumner moved the rejection of the resolution. Motion withdrawn. Mr. Lippard offered the following resolution:

ry with such woman, such child or children if recognized by him, shall thereby be legitimated and made capable of inheriting his estate. The issue also in marriages deemed null in law shall nevertheless be deemed legitimate.

Sec. 2. In case of seceded estates, the widow, as well as the issue of the marriages null in law, shall be entitled to the same rights as if the same were legitimate, and especially where any such marriage shall have been interdicted by the statute law of the State, on account of race or color, but where the same shall nevertheless have existed in fact by a species of cohabitation.

On motion, the declaration was referred to the committee on general provisions.

Mr. Patten offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on state affairs be required forthwith to report back to the convention the section of the new constitution introduced by the Hon. A. J. Evans to locate the capital and State universities.

Mr. Harn offered the following declaration:

Be it ordained by the people of Texas in convention assembled, That the following shall be a section of the constitution:

Sec. — Art. — The homestead of the family, after the death of either husband or wife, shall rest absolutely in the survivor, and the children of the marriage, if there be any, and shall not be subject to administration, nor shall the said homestead, nor the rents or profits derived from the same, be subject to any debt contracted after the adoption of this constitution, except in cases of mechanics' lien.

On motion, the declaration was referred to the committee on general provisions.

McWashington offered the following declaration:

Resolved, That the following be a section of the constitution:

Any person who shall, after the adoption of this constitution, fight a duel, or send or accept a challenge for that purpose, or be aider or abettor in fighting a duel, shall thereby be deprived of the right of holding any office of honor or profit in the State, and shall forever be disqualified from voting at any election, and shall be punished, otherwise in such manner as may be prescribed by law.

On motion, the declaration was referred to the committee on political or legislative.

Whereas, The time in which petitions in voluntary bankruptcy, under the bankrupt act of the Congress of the United States, of date March 2, 1867, has transpired, and whereas, there are many parties in the State of Texas who, from unavoidable circumstances, have been unable to avail themselves of the benefits, but who desire so to do;

Be it therefore declared by the convention, That the Congress of the United States of America be respectfully memorialized to extend for a period of one year the time within which persons can avail themselves of the benefit of voluntary bankruptcy under said act.

Evans of McLennan moved that the rules be suspended to allow consideration of resolution.

Rules suspended. Evans of McLennan moved, that the memorial be read a second time and engrossed.

It was agreed to. Evans of McLennan moved a further suspension of rules to put memorial upon its final passage: upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas—Mcgars, President, Adams, Armstrong of Lamar, Bell, Bellinger, Bledsoe, Board, Buffington, Burnett, Carter, Downing, Evans of McLennan, Flanigan, W. Flanigan, Fleming, Gray, Grigsby, Hunt, Jordan, Keuchler, Lippard, Long, Morse, Muckleroy, Mundine, Monroe, Patten, Pedigo, Phillips of Wharton, Ruby, Schutze, Slaughter, Smith of Galveston, Stockbridge, Talbot, Varnell, Whitmore, Wilson of Brazoria, Yarborough—28.

Nays—Messrs Armstrong of Jasper, Brown, Bryant of Grayson, Bryant of Harris, Cole, Coleman, Curtis, Foster, Gaston, Glenn, Hamilton of Travis, Harris, Harn, Kealy, Keigwin, Kendall, Lindsay, Mackey, McComick, McWashington, Mullins, Oggs, Phillips of San Augustine, Posey, Rogers, Scott, Smith of Marion, Sumner, Thomas, Vaughan, Watrous, Williams, Wright—33.

So the convention refused to suspend the rules.

The question recurring shall the report and resolution of the committee on contingent expenses be adopted as a substitute to the report of the committee on finance, it was adopted.

Monroe offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Reporter be retained on condition that he writes out the debates ready for publication, for which he shall perform such additional labor within 90 days after the adjournment of the convention.

Whitmore moved to lay the resolution on the table. Carried.

Ruby offered the following amendment:

That said official Reporter shall be allowed an assistant who shall transcribe the short hand by dictation of Reporter for daily publication in the official journals of the convention—at per diem of —dollars.

Monroe moved the adoption of the amendment.

Lost. The question recurring upon the second reading of the substitute, it was read a second time.

McCormick moved a suspension of the rules to put the substitute upon its final passage, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus: McCormick asked leave to withdraw the motion.

Leave granted. The President announced the business next in order was upon Mr. Ruby's resolution instructing the sergeant-at-arms to keep the various committee rooms in a fit condition for occupation.

Resolution adopted. The President announced the business next in order was Mr. Slaughter's resolution providing for the printing of the names of persons recommended for relief by the committee on political disabilities.

Local Intelligence

THEATRE

AT THE CASINO HALL.

Sunday, Night, July 26th, 1868.

Doors open at 7 o'clock, performance to commence at 8 o'clock.

THANKS - We are under obligation to Hon. E. Degener for valuable public documents.

THE FREEDMAN'S PRESS - Vol. 1, No. 1. This is a new Republican paper started at Austin.

It was rumored upon the streets yesterday that the dead bodies of two men were found out a few miles upon the Seguin road.

We were very agreeably surprised Thursday morning, by a man stopping at our office door and insisting upon leaving us a keg of that delightful beverage known as Menger Beer.

Police Items.

MAYOR'S COURT, July 25, 1868. Leopold Dubill was arrested for an aggravated assault and battery upon the person of Ignacio Dugoe.

Ignacio Dugoe was in turn arrested for an assault and battery upon the person of Leopold Dubill.

Wm. Caruthers, probably a brother to the defunct Doctor, was arrested for vagrancy, trial Monday.

Arron Owens was arraigned for the alleged theft of a watch, the property of Miss Katie Edgar.

The Electoral Bill.

The following is a copy of the above bill as it passed both Houses of Congress, and was sent to the President on thirteenth instant:

Resolved, etc., That none of the States whose inhabitants were lately in rebellion shall be entitled to be represented in the electoral college for the choice of President and Vice-President of the United States.

FIGHT BETWEEN SOLDIERS AND REBELS. - The United States soldiers have been attacked at Tyler, Texas, and three killed by armed rebels.

In a book written in the ninth century, we find the following poem. We give it as a specimen of antique literature; we are fond of the olden time.

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Resolution adopted  
The President announced that the next business in order was the substitute of Mr. Lindsay, offered to the report of the committee on internal improvements, respecting the International Pacific Railroad Company.

Bleds moved to lay the substitute on the table.  
Carried

The question on recurring upon the original report of the committee on internal improvements respecting the International Pacific Railroad Company.

Degener moved to lay the report upon the table, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas—Messrs. Armstrong of Jasper, Bellinger, Bledsoe, Boggs, Brown, Bryant of Harris, Burnett, Curtis, Degener, Downing, Fayle, Glenn, Grigsby, Hunt, Johnson of Harrison, Johnson of Calhoun, Kendall, Kenechler, Lippard, Mullins, Monroe, Oaks, Patten, Smith of Galveston, Smith of Marion, Thomas, Varnell, Whitmore—28.

Nays—Messrs. President, Adams, Armstrong of Lamar, Bell, Bryant of Grayson, Buffington, Carter, Cole, Coleman, Constant, Evans of McLennan, Evans of Titus, Flanigan, W. Flanigan, Fleming, Foster, Gaston, Goddin, Gray, Hamilton of Travis, Harris, Harp, Jordan, Kealy, Keigwin, Kirk, Long, Mackey, McCormick, McWashington, Mills, Morse, Mueckleroy, Mundine, Pedigo, Phillips of San Augustine, Phillips of Wharton, Rogers, Schutze, Scott, Stockbridge, Sumner, Talbot, Watrous, Williams, Wilson of Brazoria, Wilson of Milam, Wright, Yarborough—49.

So the Convention refused to lay the report on the table.

Degener moved to recommit the subject to the committee on internal improvements.

Motion withdrawn.

Evans of McLennan in the chair.  
Davis of Nueces offered the following substitute, and asked that the whole matter be referred to the committee on internal improvements:

Sec. 1. Be it therefore resolved by this Convention, That the Congress of the United States be requested to pass a bill incorporating a company or companies for the construction of the railroad above mentioned, and granting such company or companies the aid in money which is proposed in said bill.

Sec. 2. That such company or companies if incorporated by Congress as hereinbefore requested, shall have the right to construct a telegraph along said railroad, and shall have, and be entitled to the right of way, and privileges and immunities and franchises and grants of lands within this State as are now, or may hereafter be conceded to railroads under any general laws of this State.

Flanigan moved the previous question upon the passage of the report.

Previous question seconded.

The question recurred, "shall the main question be now put?"

Patten asked leave to adjourn until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Withdrawn.

Hamilton of Travis asked leave to introduce the following declaration and memorial from citizens of Fayette, Bastrop, Caldwell, Gonzales and Lavaca counties, asking the foundation of a new county out of the territory of said counties, and asked its reference to the committee of State affairs:

DECLARATION CREATING THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

Sec. 1. That all the territory comprised within the following line shall be a new county, to be called, the county of Oakland. viz: Beginning at the point where Denton Creek unites with Peach Creek, in Gonzales county; thence north forty-one degrees, west twenty-four miles; thence north thirty-seven degrees, east sixteen and three fourth miles; thence south seventy-five and a-half degrees, east fourteen and three-fourth miles; thence south thirty-three degrees east seventeen and three fourth miles; thence in a direct line to the place of beginning.

Sec. 2. That the town of Hopkinsville, in the present county of Gonzales, shall be the county seat of Oakland.

Sec. 3. That the first general election be called for county officers, the said county of Oakland shall be organized by the election of such officers as other counties have under the laws of this State; and that William S. Stenberry, N. T. Miller, and R. L. Fry be, and they are hereby appointed Commissioners, with full power and authority to superintend and conduct said election, and give certificates to the persons elected.

It was referred.

On motion the Convention adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

**NOTICE.**  
The following parties are hereby notified, that their vouchers having been received from Washington D. C. They can obtain their back pay and bounties by applying to us at my office:

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