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

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AN ACT making appropriations for the naval service for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and they are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine:
For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers, and seamen eight million dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
For preservation of wood and iron vessels and ships in ordinary, and for those that are on the stocks; vessels for the Naval Academy; for purchase of material and stores of all kinds; labor in navy yards; tools, transportation of material, repair of vessels, and maintenance of the navy float, three million dollars.

Bureau of Yards and Docks.
For contingent expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, viz:
For freight and transportation; for printing, advertising, and stationery; for books, models, and drawings; for the purchase and repair of fire engines; for machinery of every description; for purchase and maintenance of oxen and horses, and driving teams; for carts, tubber wheels, and work's tools; for telegrams and postage of letters on public service; for furniture for government offices and houses; for candles, oil, and gas; for cleaning and clearing up yards; for flags, awnings, and packing boxes; for rent of landings; for tolls and ferries; for coal and other fuel; for water tax and for rent of stores, eight hundred thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Portsmouth, New Hampshire.
For the necessary repairs of all kinds, fifty thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Boston.
For repairs of buildings, and repairs of all kinds, one hundred thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at New York.
For repairs of all kinds, one hundred thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Philadelphia.
For repairs of all kinds, fifty thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Washington.
For repairs of all kinds, eighty thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Norfolk.
For preservation of the yard and the necessary repairs of all kinds, fifty thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Pensacola.
For preservation of the yard and the necessary repairs of all kinds, fifty thousand dollars.

Navy Yard at Mare Island.
For repairs of all kinds, sixty thousand dollars.

Naval Station at Sackett's Harbor.
For the necessary repair of the levee and yard buildings, twenty seven thousand dollars.

Naval Station at Key West.
For necessary repairs of wharves and buildings, three thousand dollars.

Naval Asylum at Philadelphia.
For furniture and repairs of same, one thousand dollars.

For house cleaning and white washing, eight hundred dollars.

For furnaces, grates, and ranges, six hundred dollars.

For gas and water rent, one thousand two hundred dollars.

For general improvement and repairs, five thousand dollars.

For support of beneficiaries, fifty four thousand dollars.

For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment at the several navy yards and stations under the control of the bureau of yards and docks, and at the Navy Asylum, fifty thousand dollars: Provided, That the civil engineer and naval storekeeper at the several navy yards shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and that the persons employed at the several navy yards to superintend the mechanical departments, and heretofore known as master mechanics, master carpenters, master fitters, master blacksmiths, master boilermakers, master sail makers, master plumbers, master painters, master caulkers, master boat builders, master spar makers, master block-makers, master laborers, and the superintendents of rope-walks, shall be men skilled in their several duties and appointed from civil life, and shall not be appointed from the officers of the navy.

Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting.
For the purchase of hemp and other material for the navy; for the purchase of coal and the transportation and other expenses thereon; for the purchase of various articles of equipment, viz: wire rope and machinery for its manufacture, hides, cordage, canvas, leather, iron cables and anchors, furniture, galleys, and host, and for the payment of labor for equipping vessels, and manufacture of articles in the navy yards pertaining to this bureau, one million dollars.

For expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, viz:
For freight and transportation of materials and stores for Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting, expenses of recruiting, transportation of enlisted men, printing, postage, advertising, telegraphing, and stationery for the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting, apprehension of deserters, assistance to vessels in distress, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For the pay of superintendents and the civil establishment at the several navy yards under this bureau, eighteen thousand dollars.
For navigation apparatus and supplies, and for the purposes incidental to navigation, viz:
For compass stations and for repairs and care of same, four thousand dollars.
For services and materials for correcting compasses on board of vessels, and for testing compasses on shore, three thousand dollars.

(Continued.)
THE "SCOPE" OF THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.—Reputation: National dishonor and disgrace! Resistance to the laws of Congress: Civil war, and a country drenched in blood. The triumph of Lee, and the redemption of the "Lost Cause": A whole people disfranchised, and the blood of a million freemen, battling for the right, spilled in vain, the cause of humanity rolled back a hundred years! See Seymour and Blair on acceptance of nomination!—Gal. Republican.

LEROUX & COSGROVE.



TIN, SHEET IRON And Copper-Ware Manufacturers,

And Dealers in Castings and Hollow-Ware of all descriptions. Wood and Willow ware, Tin Plates, Black Tin Lead, Wire, Kettle cars, Copper and Brass, and a general assortment of Tinware and Furnishing Goods.
Have just received and constantly receiving, a fine assortment of Cooking Stoves, comprising the celebrated
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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, Mangles five minute Ice Cream Freezers.
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Particular attention paid to the Manufacture of Tin-ware, Tin Roofing and Gutting.
Our ambition is, quick sales and small profits.
LEROUX & COSGROVE,
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THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bexar, In County Court for the Settlement of Estates, &c. July term, A. D. 1868.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons interested in the estate of Wm. Hoelinger, deceased.

WHEREAS Th. Schluening, administrator of the estate of Wm. Hoelinger, deceased, has filed his final account and statement as such administrator, in the Hon. County Court for the settlement of estates, &c., of said county, and applies for audit and allowance and for discharge.
Therefore you are hereby notified to be and appear at the August term, A. D. 1868, of said court, to be holden on Monday the 24th day of said month, at the court-house of said county, in the city of San Antonio, to show cause, if any you can, why said account should not be audited and allowed and said administrator discharged as prayed for and to do and suffer such other things as the court may then and there order and decree in the premises.

WITNES, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County Court and Seal of said Court, at office in San Antonio, this 27th day of July, A. D. 1868.
PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co.
By H. MacCORMACK, Dep't Aug. 10 1/2 wtf

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bexar, In County Court for the Settlement of Estates, &c. July Term, 1868.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons interested in the Estate of Wm. Bellingert, deceased.

WHEREAS Th. Schluening, administrator of the estate of Wm. Bellingert, deceased, has filed his final account and statement as such administrator in the Hon. County Court for the settlement of estates, &c., in and for said county, and applied for audit and allowance and for leave to resign.
You are hereby notified to be and appear at the August Term, 1868, of said court, to be holden on Monday the 24th day of said month, at the court-house of said county, in the city of San Antonio, to show cause if any you can, why said account should not be audited and allowed and said administrator have leave to resign as prayed for, and to do and suffer such other things as the court may then and there order and decree in the premises.

WITNES, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County Court and Seal of said Court, at office in San Antonio, this 28th day of July, A. D. 1868.
PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co.
By H. MacCORMACK, Deputy, Aug. 11 1/2 wtf

NORTON & DEUTZ.

Main Plaza, San Antonio.
Hardware & Cutlery.
Woodenware,
LEATHER,
Paints and Glass,
Agricultural Implements.
PUMPS, STOVES, ARMS, &c.
July 7 dft

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, Screws, etc. Door, Cabinet and Trunk Locks of all kinds, Shoe Makers and Saddlers Tools and Trimmings Buckles, Rings, &c., Bridle Bits and Webbing, Oil Cloth, Hames, Collars, &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, 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.
Laudreth's Garden Seeds always on hand.
Sole Agents for Herring's Safe's; also, for Planer and Kayser's Sewing Machines.
May 24, 1868. no 55 1/2

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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 TRIMMELS. 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, 1868

Hungarian Leeches.

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

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 give a blessing. Please address
Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON,
No. 165 South Second Street, Williamsburgh, N. Y. sep 21

PUBLIC NOTICE.]

Whereas, certain evil minded persons have circulated the rumor that some time since I had found a cool ferocious sum of money, or appropriated a sum of money for my use, to which I had no right. Now I hereby declare that the reporters of this are infamous slanderers and liars, 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.
ANDREI CARLI,
July 9 1/2 m Castroville, Texas.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
w 32 1/2 43 Cedar Street New York.

WINDOW GLASS 10) Boxes assorted sizes. For sale low by June 30 1/2 m H. GRENET.

Cards of City Merchants.

STEELE & WILLIAMS, (Late John Withers & Co.)
Commission Merchants, Commerce Street, June 3d & w 3 m.) SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
J. M. WAGAR, MERCHANT TAILOR, Plaza House, San Antonio, Texas. march 10 dft. 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, Cal. Newton's house. Jan 30 dft

DRESEL & BRIAN,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS in
Dry-Goods and Groceries, HATS, SHOES, CROCKERY, NOTIONS, IMPORTERS OF CALIFORNIA WINE. San Antonio, April 20, 1867. 112 1/2

WULFF & SHETELIG,

Importers and
General Commercial Agents, CHICAGO, TEXAS, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, cor. Alamo & North streets. je 28
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 dft

GEORGE HORNER'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 25 dft

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DEALERS IN
PIPES, CIGARS, TOBACCO
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AND STATIONERY.
NEWSPAPER AGENTS.
Gas Burners for Kerocine Lamps. feb 17 dft

Hotels.

RESTAURANT. B. McDONALD would respectfully solicit 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. dft

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 1/2

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300 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 dft) Express office.

CEMENT Boardale's Hydraulic, for sale low by June 30 1/2 m H. GRENET.

City Cards.

SCHMITT & DUERLER, Commerce Street, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Wholesale Manufacturers OF ALL KINDS OF **Crackers, Candies, Syrups, AND Confectioneries, WEDDING AND BAIL 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

PHILIP CONRAD.

Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress Maker and Upholsterer, MAIN STREET, Opposite York & Grossbeck. 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. dly.

Teachers.

Malcom G. Anderson, Theophilus G. Anderson
ANDERSON & BRO., ATTORNEYS AT LAW, San Antonio, Texas. Office, up stairs Ross Building, on the Military Plaza. (July 7 dft)

JACK COCKE,

LAWYER. Office, West side of Military Plaza, near Com. (July 7 dft)
S. G. NEWTON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, 414-3rd & 4th SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Doctors.

Dr. T. Templeman van der Hoeven OPPOSITE NEW ARSENAL, FLORENCE STREET. may 12 dly.
DR. WEISSELBERG, Physician and Surgeon, OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store, On Commerce street. San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868. dtwif

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. (July 7 dft)

A. NETTE,

Has just received a large stock of **DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERIES, and SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS** In fact all the leading articles, such as PATENT MEDICINES, that are usually kept in a **First Class Drug Store.** The stock being selected by himself for his market. 41-4f

MADAME GARNIER BERNARD.

Has the honor to announce to the citizens of San Antonio, that she has opened a school to teach the French language, also to instruct in dress making and embroidery. Persons who will favor her with their patronage, may convince themselves in advance, of good results. Residence, Alamo street, opposite Veltman's. (Jan 15 dft)

Bankers.

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. 80 1/2

Judiana, Zavala & Almeyda.

W. WESTHOFF. I. FREUS.
W. WESTHOFF & CO., INDIANOLA, TEXAS, Wholesale Grocers, Forwarding and Commission Merchants And Dealers in Hardware. Liberal advances made on consignments of Country Produce. (July 9 dft)

ALBERT TURPE,

COMMISSION MERCHANT, EAGLE PASS, TEXAS. The highest Cash Price paid for Hides. Bought at the HIGHEST MARKET PRICE, ELMENDORF & Co.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1868.

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

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

OUR FACILITIES.

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The Houston Telegraph, true to the character for truth and veracity which it made during the rebellion. In reviewing the report of the committee on Lawlessness and Crime, says:

"But in the next sentence, they do give the name of Judge Cooley of Gillespie county, and instance him as a prominent Republican, and while they do not say that this was the cause of his being shot, they certainly leave that inference, when before this report was made out, the facts about this case had been published, and the evidence was clear that politics had nothing whatever to do with it."

"The facts about this case" have never been published till published in the Express. It is true a false statement was published in the San Antonio Herald, which the Telegraph was very ready to copy, and which Mr. Cooley has corrected through the Express, having first sent the letter to the Herald, which they refused to publish.

The Telegraph used to, during the war, tell two lies and correct one each day. We are inclined to think it has left off one of these habits. We will wait and see.

HE TELLS THE TRUTH.—The Richmond Equiper and Examiner says that Henry A. Wise in his late speech said:

"He cared nothing for the platform. It was a tub thrown at the whale." Hediasented from the first plank of the platform. He acknowledged that slavery was dead, but that secession was not dead. This he would not admit.

COMPLIMENTARY.—The Waxahachie Argus of Tex. takes a single sentence from the Express and distorts its meaning; while doing this it speaks of those who have been true to the government of the United States from its birth, as follows:

"They are scallawags, poltroons, tricksters, aliens and radicals. They are a viper brood who have crawled into our fruitful fields, leaving their slime and pollution all along their track. They are kites and carrion crows who have tried to usurp the eagle's nest of patriots and statesmen. Base hyenas that prowl upon the outskirts of human society which they dare not enter, they would turn loose a set of negroes with the blade and the fire brand to demolish the society itself. Of such is the Express and his minions."

A cabbage leaf worn in the hat is said to be a preventive against sunstroke. This, of course, is unnecessary where the individual is a "cabbage head."

We give our space to-day to the following interesting Editorial correspondence, which contains a full, complete and accurate account of the Millican affair:—

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

BREHAM, WASHINGTON CO., TEXAS, July 19, 1868.

DEAR EXPRESS:—According to promise I proceed to give you a few details of what I learned at this already famous, or rather infamous, place. Probably it is due Brenham to qualify the above allusion to the bad deeds of her ruffians.

Like all rebel communities in Texas, the really peaceably-disposed citizens of Brenham foolishly espoused the cause of the young men who attempted to bully and interupt the action of both civil and military officers, placed in Texas to execute the laws of Congress. By having their cause espoused, these young men were encouraged to think themselves the champions of justice. Thus urged on by their elders, who they looked to for advice, they went from bad to worse, from "the innocent amusement of scaring niggers," they easily went to murdering them, until they could boast that scarcely a disaffected family existed that did not number in their list of relatives—A MURDERER.

Having tasted blood—knowing the crime to hang over them—knowing themselves to be outlaws, where law reigned—they necessarily deemed law and its champions their natural enemies; consequently, soldiers of the Government were shot down in the streets; Registers were wantonly shot, while sitting at their desks quietly pursuing their duties; school-houses for the instruction of colored children were burned; colored men going to political meetings were shot and assassinated on the highway; political gatherings were shot into. In fact, every species of fiendishness has been resorted to by the chivalry of Washington county, to discourage loyal men from their God-given work of instructing the poor, benighted freed people in their duties as free citizens.

THEY WISH FOR PEACE.

Since the town of Brenham has been burned the third or fourth time, (whether by negroes or not, the rebels believe so), the citizens—at least many of them—are beginning to hope the unpleasant difflcences may be settled. They are beginning to learn that a settlement can be made but one way—that one way they are learning—that is, to conform to the laws; allow the negro to take care of himself in his own way, pursue their own fortunes in like manner, and, instead of branding Northern men as "casspet-baggers," "scallawags," and "Yankee adventurers," treat them as though they were human beings, capable of assisting in the material development of this great State.

ANOTHER MASSACRE.

Long before we reached town, we heard rumors of a "negro insurrection" at Millican. All the stories we heard were to the effect that soldiers and citizens (white) had, together, killed about twenty-five negroes, in an effort to disperse a negro mob. The rumors came so direct and plausible, that I at last determined, in my own mind, that the negroes had at last turned upon their persecutors, and, in their desperation, had commenced the much-talked-of war of races. I made up my mind that now the extermination of the negro was a foregone fact—there being but four millions of that unhappy people, against thirty-five millions of whites, (if the superior class will pardon me for enumerating the people north of Mason and Dixon's line among the whites).

The negroes, according to rumor, had commenced the war, and were at that moment fortifying themselves. The people of Millican and the people of Bryan (the latter city being but recently the scene of an immense gathering of the great unwashed), were gathering in companies, to guard against the massacre of their children and to protect the chastity of their women against the onslaught of the uncontrollable negro mob. This is no picture of the imagination. Trains of cars were pressed into the service, and two hundred armed men went from Bryan to the rescue of Millican, and the whole land was alive with armed men in gray.

When we reached Brenham, last evening, the excitement had measurably subsided. Twenty men from the Company of United States stationed at this place, had gone to the scene of action, under command of Lieutenant Green. The Lieutenant returned here just as our stage arrived; I saw him and heard a statement from his own lips. The

Lieutenant does not wish to be considered a Radical, and is well thought of by rebels; his statement cannot be called partisan by any stretch of the imagination.

The facts are these: Two men named Holliday, having a plantation about six miles from Millican, had employed a number of freedmen. On settling with them, one of their number, a blacksmith, named Mike Brown, expressed considerable dissatisfaction. A few days after the settlement Brown had been drinking some; while in that condition he went over to the Holliday plantation for the purpose of having what he deemed his just dues. The men happened to be away, leaving nobody at home but the mother and sister of the Hollidays. Brown saw and talked with these ladies and left before the men came. The next day, Brown was told that he had insulted the white women at Holliday's, and that the Hollidays had threatened to kill him. Not remembering distinctly what he had said, Brown deemed it best to keep out of the way until the affair had blown over, and did leave the vicinity without telling any one. Within a day or two the report was current that the Hollidays had hung Brown. The colored people were considerably excited, but as yet attempted nothing. Soon word was brought that the body of Brown was hanging to a tree in the bottom not far from Holliday's place.

THE ATTACK.

The freed people talked of arresting the Hollidays and taking them to Millican to be tried. They were advised to go and find the body and without touching it to get the coroner to go with them and hold an inquest. They determined to act upon this advice, and about twenty of them proceeded to the spot where the body was said to be. They found a body, but it was not that of Brown. The party started to Millican, however, just as they had determined, for the purpose of informing the authorities; before they had proceeded a mile they were met by a party of citizens who had been gathered by the Hollidays. The Sheriff of Brazos county (or one of his deputies), and the Mayor of Millican, headed the party of whites. The moment they caught sight of the negroes (who were marching promiscuously and were totally unconscious of the presence of any one), the whites fired, unhorsing four of the colored party; the remainder scattered in every direction.

The Mayor, who is evidently tender-footed, states that "as the parties approached each other, he halted them and started forward to hold a parley with the negroes." As he started, he saw "the gun of a young negro, who was some distance down the column, (mark that—not the line, but column), go off, apparently by accident." Then, according to the Mayor's story, is when the whites, who were Millican roughs, commenced to fire.

The story of the Mayor is sheer fabrication. The negroes went purposely unarmed, that they might give no cause for attack. One of the men had a pistol, however, and had it in his hand when the whites fired; a shot from the Millican party struck this pistol and knocked it out of its owner's hand. This colored man made his way to Brenham, and is here to-day; his story is told straight forward, and carries truth with it.

It is hoped the Convention will order an investigation, and the testimony of the witnesses, if taken impartially, will show one of the most cold-blooded, unprovoked, wholesale murders ever recorded against these heartless people.

WHAT LIEUTENANT GREEN THINKS.

I have already said Lieutenant Green is not a Radical. This affair has, however, opened his eyes to the unprincipled nature of the rebel press. The groundless, lying statements that the negroes were fortified; that they were formed in line of battle; that demands were made of them to lay down their arms—and all such political, sensational paragraphs, has completely disgusted him with the rebel organs; and when the Galveston Civilian, and News, and the Houston Telegraph arrived, with the statements that the soldiers joined in with the citizens and assisted in killing negroes, Lieutenant Green's indignation knew no bounds, and, although that officer did not say so, yet it was very evident that he believed the stories afloat that this is one of a series of rebel riots and massacres recommended in a secret session of certain delegates at the Bryan Rebel Convention, which those worthies intended should be distorted by the rebel press into "a war of races," and sent abroad to effect the election in the North.

It is now ascertained that Brown is alive and well; that the body hanging in the bottom near the Holliday plantation is unknown; that the rumors set afloat among the negroes to the effect that it was Br. w.'s body, came from rebel sources; and that it was a rebel plan from the beginning to get the negroes to march in a body towards the Holliday place, that the Ku-Klux might have a reasonable excuse to attack them. This whole affair will turn out to be the inauguration of a campaign planned by the inner circle of the rebel Convention at Bryan. The victims of this plan are not to be confined among the blacks.

TELEGRAPHIC

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DESPATCHES.]

WASHINGTON, August 5.—Thad. Stevens condition not critical. The President will not leave the city under ten days.

Many important executive matters in abeyance for Evarts' return. A democratic conference at New York indicate that Hoffman will be the democratic candidate for Governor. He is the Tammany favorite.

Stevenson's majority for Kentucky Governorship, exceeds fifty thousand.

The General of the armies has recommended the remission of the remainder of sentences, and the release from imprisonment of all persons now in imprisonment under sentence of military commissions, organized under the reconstruction act of Congress in States which said acts have ceased to be operative.

HAVANA, August 5.—Marshall Falcon, late President of Venezuela, reappeared before Corro, he contemplates renewing the war and drive Meenagas from power.

Haytian advices say revolutionists gained a victory near Jacmel, four thousand revolutionists well provided with provisions and ammunition are pressing siege of Port Au Prince. Dominican troops of frontier invading Hayti.

Gen. Boyer and son murdered. Robbery and depredations reported at St. Domingo.

Advices of revolutionary movement against Baez is progressing under Lopezon.

Lopezon gained decisive victory over the forces sent against him.

WASHINGTON, August 5.—There are over five hundred applicants for the twenty-five supervisionships created by the new tax bill.

The following is a well authenticated cabinet scene: Browning led off, declaring himself for Seymour and Blair. Following his remarks by asserting that there should be harmony in the Cabinet.

Wells and McCulloch followed in the same strain, not however so forcibly urging changes in Cabinet unless Seward, Evars, Randal and Schofield, who are absent, act in accordance with the President.

THE MARKETS.

New Orleans Market. NEW ORLEANS, August 5, 1868. Cotton dull, and closing 27 1/2; receipts 11 bales; no exports. Flour superior 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2; pork 30; sugar cured hams 19 @ 21. Lard 18 1/2 @ 20; sugar and molasses nominally unchanged.

Storing 50 @ 60. New York bank had 7 @ 8. (Aug 28)

New York Market. NEW YORK, August 5. Cotton dull, lower; 16 1/2 @ 20 1/2 bales at 20 1/2 @ 30.

Gold very active, closed 142; sterling 7 1/2.

Foreign Market. LONDON, August 5. 100 sh 19 1/2 @ 2; bonds 7 1/4.

LIVERPOOL, August 5. Cotton, uplands 9 1/2; Orleans 10.

New York, June 6th.—Money easy. 1 sterling 10; gold 142 1/2; five-twenties 14 1/2; forster, 9 1/2.

The New York Citizen calls Vance and Wise and the rest of the Democratic party "fools" for injuring the Democratic party by their much speaking. It calls Vance a fool because he predicts that the election of Seymour and Blair will be a triumph of the "lost cause." It calls Wise a fool because he says that the Southern people do not regard secession and slavery as dead. The Citizen is undoubtedly right. The fact that they are fools accounts for their speaking the truth.

The Columbus Journal says: The last act of the rebels before the war was to vote the Democratic ticket. The first act of the rebels after the war was to vote the Democratic ticket. As there was but one step from Democracy into rebellion, there was but one step from rebellion back into Democracy.

The World charges to Republican misrule the \$11,000,000 worth the government is paying for an army. Who but the World and its friends, Wade Hampton, General Forrest, Governor Vance & Co. are responsible not only for this great outlay, but for all the blood and treasure poured out to save the Union!

There is a large Mormon immigration this year, about five thousand are expected.

The Convention.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY.

CAPITOL, Austin, Texas, July 30, 1868.

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

From the committee on State affairs reported a section in favor of women's suffrage.

Armstrong of Jasper made a minority report against the constitutionality of the reconstruction acts, and against disfranchisement. We take the following from their report:

And we say further that the Confederate authorities did not surrender at discretion, but on terms specified in their treaty of surrender; and which terms have been complied with; and being citizens of the United States by operation of said treaty or treaties, neither by the action of Congress or of this convention can they be disturbed or deterred in the exercise of all the rights and privileges of citizens of the United States and of this State; including suffrage for participation in the late rebellion.

It is therefore our deliberate opinion that every male citizen of this State, of European or Mexican origin, who is twenty-one years of age, is as legally and fully entitled to exercise the privilege of suffrage as Thaddeus Stevens of Pennsylvania; and we therefore recommend that so much of said majority declaration as provides for the exclusion of persons from the privilege of suffrage for participation in the late rebellion, be for being in any manner connected therewith, be stricken out.

This minority report declared against negro suffrage.

Pedigo reported in favor of creating new counties.

Thom's introduced a resolution postponing action on new counties indefinitely.

Armstrong of Bexar offered the following resolution: Resolved, That no resolution, declaration, or any new matter shall be introduced into this convention, from and after Saturday, (next) 1st day of August, and that this convention will confine its action to such matters alone, as are now on the Speaker's table, and such other matters as will be reported by committees.

Hamilton offered a declaration placing \$10,000 at the disposal of the Governor, to procure the release of captives from the Indians. Passed.

Consideration of report of Internal Improvement committee, made special order for Tuesday, 4th August.

Coastal offered resolution making dog's property. Rejected.

Carter offered the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of five dollars per diem be per diem of Hon. E. J. Davis, and that the secretary of the convention be instructed to issue a certificate to him for that amount.

Evans of McLennas is the chair. Hamilton of Travis moved a suspension of rules for immediate consideration of the resolution.

Rules suspended. At the request of the President of the convention, leave was granted for the withdrawal of the resolution.

Consideration of report of Executive Committee next business, passed to 23d section. Convention adjourned.

THE CONVENTION.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

CAPITOL, Austin, Texas, July 31, 1868.

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

Degener made a report from the committee on finance; reading dispensed with.

Whitmore, from committee on finance, made a report in relation to allowing people of Lamar county to levy special tax; also in relation to appropriations disapproved of by Gen. Buchanan as follows:

COMMITTEE ROOM.

JAN 29, 1868.

Hon. E. J. Davis, President of the Convention:

The committee on Finance, to whom was referred the letters of Gen. Buchanan refusing to endorse two resolutions passed by this Convention, to wit:

1st. A resolution authorizing the sum of \$100,000 to be raised for the payment of all the unpaid obligations appointed by the President to Gen. A. J. Hamilton.

2d. A resolution appropriating the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars to be placed in the hands of Governor Fesse for the purpose of employing detectives to ferret out crimes and criminals, and of paying suitable rewards to persons who succeed in arresting and bringing to justice criminals.

Your committee have duly considered the same, and are of opinion that the dignity of the Convention does not require that any notice be taken of the language used in the reply of Gen. Buchanan to the second resolution, and recommend that both resolutions be passed again by the convention, and recommended to Gen. Reynolds, who is now the commander of the 5th Military District.

All of which is respectfully submitted, G. W. WHITMORE,

Chairman of the Committee on Finance. By resolution, these appropriations were referred to Gen. Reynolds.

Hamilton offered a resolution relieving the committee appointed to investigate the Millican affair.

A resolution about payment of a special reporter, recommended to committee on contingent expenses. Passed.

A resolution was offered by Burnett, concerning the work of the Convention to the making of a constitution. Lost.

Evans of McLennas, offered a resolution allowing Wm. E. Harne, a member who had been detained from attendance on the Convention by sickness, full pay as a member. Passed.

Pedigo offered a resolution asking Congress to make Sabine Pass a port of entry.

The report of Executive Committee taken up.

Section 2d, as reported by the committee, passed.

Convention adjourned.

THE TANNERS.—

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