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## The Convention.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

CAPITOL, AUSTIN, TEXAS, January 30, 1869.

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

Mr. Fayle presented the following petition and resolution:

HOUSTON, Jan. 29, '69.

Hon. W. E. Fayle, M. C.

Please present the following at the proper time to

Hon. E. J. Davis,

President of the Convention.

Understanding that the convention will probably adjourn to meet in some other place than Austin, I am instructed by the board of Aldermen of this city to extend an invitation to the members to meet here if they should see proper to meet in this city. The convention will be provided with a Hall and suitable Committee Rooms, free from expense.

J. R. MORRIS,  
Mayor.

## RESOLUTION.

Resolved, that the convention adjourn on Monday, the third day of February 1869, at 1 p. m., to be re-assembled at the city of Houston, whenever it may be deemed advisable by the committee elected to represent this body at Washington, or by the Commanding General.

Mr. Patten moved the adoption of the resolution.

On motion the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas—Messrs. President, Board, Brown, Bryant of Harris, Butler, Curtis, Degener, Downing, Fayle, Flanigan, Hamilton of Bastrop, Hunt, Kendal, Keuchler, Long, McWashington, Mullens, Newcomb, Patten, Slaughter, Smith, Whitmore, 22.

Nays—Messrs. Adams, Armstrong of Jasper, Armstrong of Lamar, Bell, Bellingr, Bryant of Grayson, Bufington, Carter, Cole, Evans of Titus, Fleming, Gaston, Glenn, Gray, Hamilton of Travis, Harris, Jordan, Kealy, Keigwin, Leab, McCormick, McCormick, Mackey, Morse, Mundine, Phillips of San Augustine, Phillips of Wharton, Posey, Rogers, Schutze, Scott, Sorrell, Stockbridge, Thomas, Varnell, Watrous, Williams, Wilson of Brazoria, Wilson of Milam, Wright—48.

So the convention refused to adopt.

Mr. Degener rose to a point of personal privilege, and stated the persons named in an account of a meeting, supposed to be in Comal county, given in the Republican today, were men mostly disfranchised under the law.

Mr. Smith of Galveston rose to a question of personal privilege, stating that a speech in the Republican of today, reported to have been made by Mr. Bryant of Grayson, was incorrect.

Mr. McCormick from the committee on Contingent Expenses reported as follows:

REPRESENTATIVE HALL,  
Jan. 30, 1869.

Hon. E. J. Davis,  
Pres't Constitutional Convention.  
Sir: The committee on Contingent Expenses, to whom was referred the resolution of Mr. Buffington, in relation to appropriating fifty thousand dollars, etc., have had the same under consideration, and upon examination, are satisfied that an additional appropriation of twenty thousand dollars for the mileage and per diem pay of the members of the convention, and for the pay of the officers and employees thereof, and an additional appropriation of six thousand dollars for printing and contingent expenses will be sufficient to meet all of the expenses of sending the Commissioners to Washington, have instructed me to report. I, accordingly submit herewith two declarations (providing for said appropriations) as a substitute for the original resolutions:

Very Respectfully

A. P. MCCORMICK,

Chairman Committee.

A declaration making an appropriation for the printing and contingent expenses of the convention.

Be it resolved: by the people of Texas, in convention assembled, that the sum of six thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the printing and contingent expenses of the convention, and that the certificate of the Secretary of the

convention, approved by the President thereof, shall be a sufficient voucher for the comptroller to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the various amounts intended to be covered by this appropriation.

A Declaration making an appropriation for mileage and per diem pay of the members and the pay of the employees of the convention.

Be it declared by the people of Texas, in convention assembled, that the sum of twenty thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the mileage and per diem pay of the members of the convention, and per diem pay of the officers and employees of the convention.

Be it further declared that the certificate of the Secretary of the convention, approved by the President thereof, shall be a sufficient voucher for the Comptroller to draw his warrant upon the Treasurer for the amounts for the payment of which this appropriation is made.

Mr. McCormick moved a suspension of the rules to take up the resolution.

Rules suspended.

Mr. Patten offered the following amendment to the resolution appropriating twenty thousand dollars for expenses:

Amend by adding "\$6000 to defray expenses for delegates to proceed to Washington.

Mr. Thomas moved to lay the amendment on the table, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 31. Nays 32.

So the convention refused to lay the amendment on the table.

The question recurred upon the adoption of the amendment, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 32. Nays 31.

So the amendment was adopted.

Pending the commencement of the vote, Ruby, requesting permission to vote, objections being made he withdrew his request.

Mr. Patten offered the following amendment:

"Amend by adding \$153, to meet deficit in the expenses of Mr. M. C. Hamilton, one of the delegates sent to Washington July last, and who remained in the expectation of a September session of Congress, until it was manifest that no such session would be held, say to the 15. September, and whose necessary expenses amounted to \$333, he having received at the Treasury on leaving the sum of \$400.

Mr. Hamilton of Travis moved to add \$100 for Mr. Caldwell.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Mr. Butler moved the previous question.

Previous question seconded.

The question recurred "Shall the main question be now put?"

Main question ordered.

The question recurred upon the adoption of the resolution as amended.

It was adopted.

Mr. McCormick moved a further suspension of the rules to put resolution on its final passage.

Rules suspended.

The question recurred upon the final passage of the resolution. The yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas—Messrs. President, Adams, Armstrong of Jasper, Armstrong of Lamar, Bell, Bellingr, Bryant of Grayson, Bufington, Butler, Burnett, Carter, Degener, Downing, Fayle, Flanigan, Gray, Hamilton of Bastrop, Harris, Hunt, Johnson, Jordan, Keuchler, Kendal, Lippard, Long, Mackey, Morse, Mullens, Mundine, Newcomb, Patten, Phillips of Wharton, Ruby, Schutze, Slaughter, Smith, Varnell, Whitmore, Wilson of Milam—39.

Nays—Messrs. Armstrong of Jasper, Bell, Bryant of Grayson, Cole, Evans of Titus, Fleming, Gaston, Glenn, Hamilton of Travis, Haru, Kealy, Keigwin, Leab, McCormick, McWashington, Phillips of San Augustine, Posey, Scott, Sorrell, Stockbridge, Thomas, Watrous, Williams, Wilson of Brazoria, Wright—26.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. McCormick moved the rules be suspended to take up the resolution appropriating \$6000 to pay contingent expenses and printing.

Rules suspended.

The question recurred upon the adoption of the resolution.

It was adopted.

Mr. McCormick moved a further suspension of the rules to put resolution on its final passage.

Rules suspended.

Resolution read a third time and passed.

Mr. Phillips of Wharton, from committee on Commerce and Manufactures reported as follows:

COMMITTEE ROOM,

Jan. 30, 1869.

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

Sir—Your committee having examined the application of the Houston Mutual Life Insurance company for an act of incorporation, and nothing in the application of an exceptional character, but simply an act of incorporation, and understanding that the city of Houston is in need of such an institution, a majority of your committee report in its favor.

Respectfully,

PHILLIPS, of Wharton,  
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Newcomb from the special committee appointed to consider the most practicable mode of printing the journals, reported as follows:

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Jan. 3, 1869.

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

Sir—The special committee appointed to enquire into the most practicable mode of publishing the journals of the convention, beg leave to submit the following report and resolutions agreed upon by the committee:

Your committee find that the journals of this convention are the most voluminous ever made by any similar or rather legislative body in this State. The journals as published give but a portion of the real matter which properly belongs to the proceedings, and should be published to make them complete. These journals will make a volume or volumes of over one thousand pages; breviter type, and over two thousand pages of pica type, 44 lines long and 26 in's wide; this is a low estimate. The 1st Assistant Secretary, who is thoroughly acquainted with the matter, makes the estimate double this number of pages. One establishment has offered to do the work on an estimate of one thousand pages pica type at 4-10 of a cent per page, or \$4000.

Your committee is confident this is an incorrect estimate, and that if the work is given out on this basis it will cost at least \$12,000. The sum usually paid by the State for collating and publishing the journals of the legislature is from \$10,000 to \$12,000, and at least this amount would be necessary for printing the journals of this convention if done in accordance with the laws of the State, and in the State. If economy and good work are to be considered, your committee would advise that this matter be left to the care of the President of the convention and the other delegates to Washington giving them the authority to have the work done at the north, which would save at least one-half the money it would take to have the work done in the State, besides the advantage of having the work done under the supervision of the President of the body, who is thoroughly acquainted with the proceedings.

The collating of the journals is also a work that should be entrusted to capable hands and should be considered by the convention.

It might be well to wait the publication of the journals until the fact is known that the labors of the convention are at an end; but as the convention may desire to act on the matter now, your committee begs leave to submit the following resolution as suggesting the best and the most economical plan for having the journals published:

JAMES P. NEWCOMB,  
G. T. RUBY.

Resolution providing for the publication of the journals of the Convention:

Resolved, By the people of the State of Texas in Convention assembled, that the delegates elected by the convention to proceed to Washington be and the same are hereby authorized to contract with some good publishing house, printing firm or parties, and have published five hundred or one thousand copies of the journals of this Convention in a neatly bound volume, and said contract shall be awarded to the lowest bidder of at least four competing publishing houses, printing firms or parties, and the style and the manner of such publication of said journals shall be discretionary with and under the immediate supervision of said delegates, who are authorized to do and perform all

acts necessary to carry this resolution into effect.

2nd. Resolved, There is hereby appropriated and set apart out of any monies now in the Treasury belonging to the convention, or which hereafter may be collected under the tax law of the convention, accruing in the treasury to defray all necessary expenses to carry these resolutions into effect, the sum of (\$5000) five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and the comptroller is hereby required to draw his warrant upon the Treasurer for so much of this sum as may be necessary to defray the expense of such publication and incidental expenses thereto, upon a certificate signed by the chairman of the delegation, and approved by three members thereof.

Mr. McCormick offered the following substitute:

RESOLUTION NO.

Resolved, That there shall be printed at the office of the Austin Republican, an official journal of the United States, one thousand copies of the Journals of this Convention, the same to be printed in small pica type, to be forty-four lines long, exclusive of the fold, and twenty-seven ems wide; without side notes, upon a good quality of book paper; the said journals to be neatly folded and stitched and trimmed.

Resolved, 2. That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Convention to furnish the publishers of the Republican, immediately after the adjournment of this convention, with the journals, and when printed, the manuscript journals shall be returned to the Secretary of State, who shall deposit them in his office to be filed with the archives of the State Government. The Secretary of the convention shall also furnish to said publishers a comprehensive index of the journals, which shall be printed at the end of the same, and charged for at the same rate herein provided for the printing of the journals.

Resolved, 3. That the whole number of journals authorized to be printed shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Convention, within sixty days after the adjournment of the Convention, two copies of which shall be sent to each member of the convention, one copy to the office of the county clerk of each county, the residue to be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, for the use of the State, and to exchange with other States.

Resolved, 4th. That there shall also be printed at the said office, one thousand copies of the Constitution and Declarations of this convention in the same style and manner provided for the journals, and at the same rates of pay, to be delivered to the Secretary and disposed of by him as provided for the journals of this convention.

Resolved, 5th. That the rates of printing herein provided for, shall be one-half (1/2) of a cent per page for the whole number of pages ordered to be printed, to be paid in United States currency.

Resolved, 6th. That the accounts of the publishers shall be approved by the Secretary of the convention, whose certificate to the comptroller of public accounts shall be sufficient voucher for that officer to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the amount thereof.

Resolved, 7th. That the per diem of the Secretary of the convention shall continue, whilst superintending the printing herein provided for, after the adjournment of the Convention; provided, that the time charged for shall not exceed sixty days.

Mr. Smith of Galveston, moved to lay the substitute on the table, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 27. Nays 35.

So the convention refused to lay the substitute on the table.

Mr. Board moved to adjourn till this evening at the usual hour upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 25. Nays 36.

So the Convention refused to adjourn.

Mr. Patten moved a call of the House.

Call sustained by the following delegates:

Messrs. Degener, Varnell, Smith, Long, Johnson, Wilson of Milam, Patten, Newcomb, Bryant of Harris, Kendal, Hamilton of Bastrop, Downing, Whitmore, Butler, Slaughter, Mr. McWashington, on motion of Hamilton of Travis, was excused from the operation of the rule of the

house, being absent during the call of the house.

Mr. Hamilton of Travis moved that Mr. Adams be excused after today from attendance upon the convention, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 41. Nays 20.

Mr. Butler asked that Mr. Whitmore be excused after to day.

Carried.

Mr. Schutze moved that the convention adjourn till Monday morning at half past 9 o'clock.

Lost.

On motion, the convention adjourned till this evening at half past 7 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 30, 1869.

Mr. Fayle asked leave of absence for Mr. Bryant of Harris and Mr. Curtis.

Leave granted.

Mr. Bryant of Grayson offered the following resolution.

Whereas, C. W. Bryant, delegate to this convention from Harris county, is charged with the crime of an assault with the intent to commit a rape upon a girl of eleven years of age, on the day of January, 1869, in the county of Travis, and

Whereas, after an elaborate investigation of said charge, on habeas corpus, Judge Thorton, a District Judge of the State, has adjudged on this day that the said charge is sustained by the testimony, therefore

Be it resolved by the delegates of the people in convention assembled, that the said Bryant be, and he is hereby expelled from this Convention.

Mr. Degener moved to lay the resolution on the table, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 28. Nays 34.

So the convention refused to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Bryant of Grayson, moved the previous question.

Previous question seconded.

Mr. Butler moved a call of the House.

Call sustained by the following gentlemen, to-wit:

Messrs. Degener, Jordan, Johnson, Flanigan, Board, Long, Smith, Keuchler, Fayle, Curtis, Hunt, Butler, Patten, Kendal, Downing, Mullens, Newcomb, Hamilton of Bastrop, Williams, Ruby.

Absentees—None.

Mr. Patten moved the Convention adjourn till Monday morning half past nine o'clock, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 33. Nays 33.

So the convention refused to adjourn.

Mr. Flanigan moved to adjourn till 4 past 8 o'clock on Monday morning, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 31. Nays 34.

So the convention refused to adjourn.

Mr. Degener moved to adjourn till the regular hour on Monday morning, upon which the yeas and nays were demanded and resulted thus:

Yeas 33. Nays 32.

So the Convention adjourned.

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

(Continued.)

[PUBLIC RESOLUTION—No. 1.]

A Resolution in relation to the Library of the Department of Agriculture.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioner of Agriculture shall regard the library now under his control, and in his possession, as part of the property of the Department of Agriculture, and he shall retain the same in his charge as directed by section three of the act approved May fifteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, establishing a Department of Agriculture.

Approved, December 15, 1868.

[PUBLIC RESOLUTION—No. 2.]

Joint Resolution donating condemned cannon for the erection of a monument to Major General Kearney.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby authorized to furnish such condemned iron cannon as may be required, not exceeding four, for the completion of a monument at Tivoli, New York, over the remains of the late Major General Philip Kearney, and other Union soldiers buried at that place who lost their lives in the late war.

Approved, December 15, 1868.



Local Intelligence.

WARRANT LAW.—Is now enforced, officers and leaders; you had better clear...

THE CITY COUNCIL.—The City Council at their meeting...

THE LAST SERRATION.—Yesterday evening, a rather sooty looking individual appeared at the Mayor's office...

THE CONCERT.—At the Casino on Thursday evening, was another grand success.

THE ALARM.—The alarm of fire during the performance, occasioned some alarm...

SLIP FOOTING.—A steam fire engine, and don't know how to work it.

PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER.—HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of Texas, Austin, Texas, January 27th, 1869.

IN duplicate, will be received at this office, until Monday, February 1st, 1869, at 12 M.

50,000 feet extra pine lumber—1 inch, 10,000 feet Texas Cypress lumber—1 inch, 5,000 feet Scantling, assorted.

Delivery to commence from date of contract and completed in such quantities and at such times as may be required by the receiving officer.

Satisfactory evidence of the solvency of each bidder and person offered as security, will be required.

Bids to be plainly endorsed "Proposals for Lumber at San Antonio," and addressed to the undersigned.

By command of J. A. POTTER, Bvt. Brigadier General & C. Q. M., 5th Military District.

Review of the Markets.

Wholesale Prices Current—Continued. DAILY EXPRESS OFFICE, Feb. 3, 1869.

Wholesale Prices Current in our number of to-day. Our quotations are as follows:

Dry-Goods. Prints, Sprague, fancy... 11

Brown Domestic. Indian Head, 4-4... 14

Brown Stripes. Stark A... 10

Bleached Domestic. Louisiana 4-4... 16

Hickory Stripes. York... 15

Jenns and Kerseys. Alpina... 34

Sewing Cotton. Conds 3/4 doz... 60

Lincey. White Rock... 25

Boots and Shoes. Brogans, split 3/4 doz... 12

GROCERIES. Crackers. Butter and Soda... 10

Coffee. Rio, ordinary to Fair... 30

Candy. Stick... 21

Chocolate. Sweet... 35

Fish. Kip... 35

Flour. Choice 3/4 bbl... 15

Fruits. Raisins, 3/4 box... 4.50

Porter and Ale. London Porter, 3/4 pints... 3.00

Miscellaneous. Corn... 75

Whiskey, rectified 3/4 gal... 1.50

Spices. Pepper... 31

Tobacco. Virginia 3/4... 50

Tea. Imperial, 3/4 lb... 1.00

Wines. Port, 3/4 gallon... 2.50

Mills and Saws. Coffee Mills... 10

Proposals for Fresh Meat at Livingston. HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, Office Chief Quartermaster of Subsistence, Austin, Texas, January 18, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS. Which must be in triplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 17th day of February, 1869.

Proposals for Corn. HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, STATE OF TEXAS, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Austin, Texas, January 20th, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS. In duplicate will be received at this office until Saturday, February 20th, 1869, at 12 M.

DEITLER & BAUGH, Dealers in all kinds of FRUITS, Apples, Oranges, Malaga Grapes, Peaches and Confectioneries.

FOR SALE. And to be bought lower than anywhere 50,000 pounds Iron.

P. C. TAYLOR, MANUFACTURER OF LIME AND SOAP, and dealer in GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Hartmann, Egar & Co., COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL AGENTS.

Opposite San Antonio National Bank, Commerce St., San Antonio, Texas.

PAPES. Miscellaneous, Brice Root, Pevolaine, Clay Indian Rubber pipe.

Liebig's Extract of Meat Company. On account of the delay of expected letters from Europe, the Board of Directors named Company will remain open until the 1st day of February, 1869.

Kloppner Hotel. First Class Restaurant. Mrs. Kloppner with the assistance of her friends to the undersigned for services with teams.

St. Charles Belle. The subscribers call the attention of former patrons and others to this celebrated brand of Flour, that they have received another consignment and set as low as the same grade of flour can be afforded.

PAPER. Letch, For-son, Robt. Blotting, Oil, Silk Glass, Music, Hardware, Wrapping, Dr. S. perforated, Coy, Gold and Silver and Sand paper, &c.

PHILIP CONRAD. Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress Maker and Upholsterer.

JUST RECEIVED. A lot of Cultivators, Spades and Shovels of all descriptions.

To Many or not to Many. Serious Reflections for Young Men, in Reply of the Howard Association, on the Psychological Errors, Abuse and Misuses incurred by Ignorance of Nature's Laws, in the first age of man.

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GREEN DYE. Green Worm Ointment—Crystalline Soap and Saponaceous compounds. Another supply just received in 4 for sale by SAMPSON & TORRY.

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HARDWARE. Carpenters Tools, Ploughs, Agricultural Implements, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, CLOCKS AND WATCHES, warranted for one year.

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J. H. KAMPMANN, ARCHITECT & BUILDER. Prepared in contract for all kinds of Mason Work, Stone building, Carpenter Work, Milling and Planing.

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All work done promptly and cheaply. All repairs of machinery promptly executed, whether Brass or Iron.  
Shop on Fagan Street, on the corner of...

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222 Main Plaza and Solidad street, next to the Plaza House.  
A good yard for stock in connection with the premises.  
Sale days—Monday's, Wednesday's and Saturday's.

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**Hardware & Cutlery.**  
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Jan 3 '96

**ANDERSON & BROS.,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
San Antonio, Texas.  
Office, up stairs Rural Building, on the Military Plaza.

**JACK COCKE,**  
LAWYER.  
Office, west side of Military Plaza, near Courthouse.

**Dr. T. Templeman van der Horst**  
OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store, may 1897.

**DE. WEISSELBERG,**  
Physician  
OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store,  
On Commerce Street,  
San Antonio, Jan. 24, 1898.

**DE. F. HERFF,**  
Respectfully announces to his friends that he has re-commenced practice in the city.  
Office, at Nette's Drug Store, on Commerce Street.

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MAIN PLAZA,  
OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL,  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
JUST RECEIVED, a splendid Fall Stock of  
**Fine and Cheap DRY-GOODS,**  
**CLOTHING,**  
**BOOTS AND SHOES,**  
**HATS,**  
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,  
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, &c., &c.  
Sole Agency of French Hosiery in the Southern States.

**P. BRIERRE,**  
No. 5, Orleans Street, (Up Stairs)  
New Orleans, La.  
Linen of all kinds, Shirt Bosoms, Handkerchiefs of all Fabrics, Table Linens, (bleached) Towels.  
ALL KINDS OF Blacksmith's Tools and Anvils.  
W. WENTROFF & Co.,  
INDIANO & TEXAS,  
Wholesale Grocers,  
Forwarding and Commission Merchants  
And Dealers in Hardware.

**JACK HARRIS,**  
Sutton and Bar-Bacon,  
Main Plaza, at the Old Mill Road  
The Best Wine, Lager and Cider.

**TUBE WELLS.**  
Wanted in a few Hours.  
The undersigned having purchased the patent rights for this county, to put down the tube wells, are prepared to receive orders. These wells are cheaper and better than the old style in every way. Water guaranteed or no charge.  
Parties wanting wells can apply to Capt. A. W. Kempton through the Post-office, or leave address with the Book Keeper at the San Antonio Express Office.  
A sample of these wells can be seen on the Military Square of this city.  
**WARNING.**  
All persons are warned against infringing upon this patent.  
KEMPTON & CO.  
Dec. 5, '95. d&wtf.

**CHOCKERY & GLASSWARE!!**  
Large and well assorted inventories.  
Just received by  
H. GRENET.

**STEELE & WILLIAMS,**  
(Late John Withers & Co.)  
Commission Merchants,  
Commerce Street,  
San Antonio, Texas.  
**COFFEE! COFFEE!!**  
100 Sacker RIO, strictly choice.  
For sale by  
H. GRENET.

**HIDES**  
Bought at the  
**HIGHEST MARKET PRICE.**  
ELMENDORF & Co.  
April 1897

**BUTTER! BUTTER!!**  
100 Firkin Best Goodness.  
For sale by  
H. GRENET.

**ELMENDORF & CO.,**  
Hardware Merchants,  
MAIN PLAZA.  
HAVE on hand, and offer for sale:  
English and American Cutlery,  
Iron and Steel of all sizes,  
Carpenter Tools,  
Mill and Cross cut Saws of all sizes,  
Nailing Machines,  
Nails of all sizes,  
Butts, Hinges, Screws, etc.  
Door, Cabinet and Trunk Locks of all kinds,  
Saw Mobs and Lumber Bells and Trimmings  
Sash, Hinges, etc.  
Bridle Bits and Webbing,  
Oil Cloth, Hammock, Collars, &c., &c.  
Tin Rivets and Kettles, &c., &c.  
Steel Hoop and Agricultural Implements  
And a general assortment of  
**HARDWARE.**  
Also: Paints, Oils,  
Turpentine and Glass,  
Paints, Saws 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.  
Lundreth's Garden Seeds  
always on hand.  
Sole Agents for Herrings' Safe's; also, for  
Planer and Kaysor's Sewing Machines.  
April 1897.

**LEROUX & COSGROVE.**  
  
**TIN, SHEET IRON**  
And Copper-Ware Manufacturers,  
And Dealers in Castings and Hollow-Ware  
of all descriptions. Sheet and Wrought-iron,  
Tin Plate, Sheet Tin Lead, Zinc, Brass,  
Copper and Steel, and a general assortment of Tinware's Furnishing Goods.  
Have just received and substantially repaired,  
a large assortment of Cooking Stoves,  
comprising the celebrated  
**Cotton Plant,**  
Queen of the South,  
Magnolia, Delta, Pionysne,  
Tanner and Mutual Friend.  
Also, a full assortment of Well and Sewer  
Pumps, Galvanized and Black Iron and Lead  
Pipes, Coal Oil and Coal Oil Lamps, Ward's  
Saws, Washing Machines, Mangles and  
Mills for Cream Factories.  
And the Best Spring Parlor Seating Chair.  
Particular attention paid to the Manufacture  
of Tin-ware, Tin Roofing and Gutters.  
Our facilities to suit and small profits.  
LEROUX & COSGROVE,  
Commerce Street,  
San Antonio, Jan. 18, 1898. d&wtf

**Dissolution of Partnership.**  
The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of Berk & Griesenbeck, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Griesenbeck retiring from the firm.  
The business will be continued by Mr. Louis Berk, who assumes all the liabilities of the concern, and to whom all payments of indebtedness must be made.  
L. BERK,  
C. GRIESENBECK  
San Antonio, Jan. 18, 1898. d&wtf

**For Rent.**  
A large irrigable garden on Flores street.  
Apply at the Auction Room of  
Nov 29 '96

**FRUITS! FRUITS!!**  
Now Dried Apples and Peaches, Raisins,  
Currants, Citrus and such.  
Oranges and Lemons.  
Just received and for sale by  
H. GRENET.

**San Antonio STEIN**  
**Cracker and Candy Factory,**  
**Schmitt & Duerler,**  
Commerce and Market Streets,  
Wholesale Manufacturers of  
**CRACKERS**  
Of all kinds in quantities to suit purchasers.  
**Candies**  
Of pure leaf sugar in boxes of 10, 25 and 50 pounds.  
**CONFECTIONERIES,**  
WEDDING AND BALL CAKES,  
made to order. Soda, Mineral and Gas-  
separable waters in fountains and bottles.  
All kinds of  
Soda Water Apparatus  
constantly on hand.  
Jan 29 1897.

**A. NETE,**  
Has just received a large stock of  
**DRUGS,**  
**MEDICINES,**  
**PERFUMERIES,**  
**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 mark—  
**Hungarian Leeches.**  
**The Nuptial Altar.**  
Essays for young Men, on the Errors,  
Abuses and Disadvantages which impedi-  
ments to MARRIAGE, with the humane  
view of treatment and cure, sent by mail in  
sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Ad-  
dress HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P,  
Philadelphia, Pa.  
sept 13 '96

**NORTON & DEUTZ,**  
AGENTS FOR  
Winchester Repeating Arms.  
GULLETT'S PATENT improved SHELL  
BRUSH COTTON GIN.  
Mackey Mowers, and combined  
Mowers and Reapers.  
The Washington Iron Works.  
Horse-Powers and Tractors.  
Boyl's Washing Machine & Wring-  
ers.  
Jan 3 '98

**Attention! Attention!!**  
As we will wind up our business within  
two months, we  
**LOVENSTEIN & Co.,**  
offer our entire stock of  
**Staple and Fancy**  
**DRY GOODS'**  
**CLOTHING,**  
**BOOTS,**  
**SHOES,**  
**HATS, &c., &c.**  
At prices below New York cost.  
Special attention of dealers is called  
to this rare chance, they should examine  
our stock before purchasing.  
Nov. 28, 1897.

**SALOONS**  
Fresh Beer, Imported Fruit, Pudding,  
Apples, Mocha in tin boxes, Apparat, &c.  
2221 Law St. S. PETERSEN.

**SLOCUM'S**  
**BOOK STORE,**  
Commerce Street,  
Next door to the Post-office.  
Keeps constantly on hand  
School Books at Wholesale and  
Retail.  
A fine assortment of  
**STATIONERY**  
of all kinds.  
**CELESTINE BOOKS,**  
Catholic and Episcopal Prayer Books,  
and other Books  
Suitable for Presents!  
A large assortment of  
**PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS**  
Toilet Articles, Pen Cases,  
—AND—  
Miscellaneous Articles.  
—Also—  
**THE INDELLIBLE PENCIL,**  
Wholesale and Retail.  
The Latest Novels constantly  
on hand.  
Cards of all kinds.  
To see a full catalogue of everything per-  
taining to this line of business,  
send for All the Latest Newspapers, Ma-  
gazines, &c.  
**MUSIC! MUSIC!! MUSIC!!!**  
A fine assortment on hand, and receiving  
NEW MUSIC every week.  
Oct 29 '97

**For Rent,**  
A comfortable 2-2-2 near the Convent.  
Irrigable garden & orchard. For particulars,  
apply to  
PETTY SMYTH,  
Cocky Clerk's Office.

**H. GRENET,**  
Importer  
**WHOLESALE DEALER**  
**GENERAL MERCHANDISE,**  
San Antonio, Texas.  
**SLOOMER, BALDWIN & CO.,**  
**HARDWARE,**  
74 Canal & 94 Common Sts.,  
NEW ORLEANS.  
Historical, Philosophical, Biographical and  
Miscellaneous Books  
**Books, Stationery,**  
AND  
**NOTIONS,**  
AT  
**GAMBLE'S**  
**BOOK STORE,**  
127 Commerce Street.  
JUST RECEIVED A FRESH  
SUPPLY OF  
**STATIONERY—**  
for Commercial purposes,  
Ladies' Bath Gilt Note,  
Octavo and Billet  
Paper;  
Lined Envelopes, &c., &c.;  
Photographic Albums;  
Portfolios;  
Toilet Articles;  
Perfumery, &c., &c.;  
Ladies' Dress Buttons,  
Visiting Cards, Spectacles,  
Canes, Umbrellas,  
and many other articles, too  
numerous to mention.  
Country orders promptly attended to,  
March 25th 1897.

**F. KALTEYER,**  
APOTHECARY AND DRUGGIST,  
Presodie St., Near the Court-house,  
SAN ANTONIO.  
Has just received direct from Europe, a well  
selected supply of  
**Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, &c.,**  
Among others—  
English Calomel,  
English Mustard,  
Citric Acid,  
Acetic Acid,  
Oil of Bergamot,  
Oil of Lemon,  
Lith. Ac. &c.  
Superior Steel Pens and Pen Holders,  
Syringes,  
Block Tin,  
Glass, and  
India Rubber,  
Cupping Glasses,  
Medicine Chests, Medical Saddle bags, &c.,  
Genuine Eau-de-Cologne.  
Nov. 1897

**For Rent.**  
The two Story Stone Building formerly  
occupied by Messrs. F. Green & Co., oppo-  
site Messrs. York & Griesenbeck; also,  
One Store on the Alamo Plaza, joining  
Messrs. Vance's store, formerly occupied by  
Mr. G. Huberich. For particulars enquire  
at J. H. Kamonau's. (Jan. 10/97)

**Males Wanted!!**  
One Hundred Males wanted—broken or  
unbroken—four years old or over.  
The highest Cash prices will be paid by  
J. A. SPANGLER,  
At the Menger Hotel,  
San Antonio, Texas  
Nov 15 '96

**EL PASO RAIL-ROAD BRAND**  
**REGISTERED.**  
HORSE and MULE brand,  
On left side of the neck and on  
left shoulder  
On left hip.  
Address  
E. F. FICKLIN  
San Antonio, Texas.  
**A. BOYD DORENUS, D. D. S.**  
**DENTIST.**  
(Graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental  
Surgery.)  
(Five Years' Experience.)  
Office—On Commerce street, adjoining Posten-  
rioder's Room.  
Teeth extracted without pain or danger,  
under the influence of Nitrous Oxide or  
Laughing Gas.  
Rigorous or Ether Spray used, if preferred.  
All operations warranted. Charges mod-  
erate.  
Refers to his numerous patients of this  
city. (Oct 29 '96)

**FOR SALE,**  
A Bar-Room with Furniture and every  
thing complete. Apply at the Baumbach  
House, opposite Munch Hall, at S. S. Wamba-  
ler, or Cole & Barry.  
Jan. 20/97.

**J. E. COWEN,**  
IMPORTER AND JOBBER  
OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC  
**DRY GOODS,**  
**BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,**  
**Strand,**  
**GALVESTON, TEXAS.**  
Particular attention to filling orders, prompt  
payment by cash or produce. 1231

**EVANS & CO.**  
ESTABLISHED 1856  
**CASH**  
**WHOLESALE GROCERS**  
**GALVESTON.**

**J.C. HULL'S SON**  
**FAMILY & PALE**  
**SOAP**  
**FANCY SOAPS**  
Sold by EVANS & CO.  
GALVESTON, TEXAS.  
July 7, 1897

**VICTOR FESSOU,**  
Commission Merchant and  
WHOLESALE DEALER IN  
**GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS,**  
Butter, Cheese, Lard, Lard Oil, Soap, Can-  
dies, Tea, Pork, etc., etc.  
No. 22 Old Levee Street,  
NEW ORLEANS.  
Country orders promptly attended to,  
March 25th

**New York Cards.**  
**N. L. McCREADY & CO.,**  
**SHIPPING**  
**Commission Merchants,**  
36 SOUTH STREET,  
NEW YORK.  
—AGENTS—  
For the old line of direct packets to Havana  
and Indianola, Texas. Receive and forward  
goods to both points free of commission and  
insurance excepted if desired. (Sept 26/97)

**REEVES' AMBROSIA**  
**FOR THE HAIR,**  
**IMPROVED!**  
It is an elegant Dressing for the Hair  
It causes the Hair to Curl beautifully.  
It keeps the scalp Clean and Healthy.  
It invigorates the Roots of the Hair.  
It forces the Hair and Beard to grow lux-  
uriously.  
It immediately stops Hair Falling Out.  
It keeps the Hair from Changing Color  
from Age.  
It restores Grey Hair to its Original Color.  
It brings out Hair on heads that have been  
bald for years.  
It is composed entirely of simple and pure  
vegetable substances.  
It has received over six thousand voluntary  
testimonials of its excellence, many of which  
are from physicians in high standing...  
It is sold in half pound bottles (the same  
blows in the glass), by Druggists and Deal-  
ers in Fancy Goods everywhere, at One Dol-  
lar per Bottle. Wholesale by James, Barnes  
& Co., P. O. Wells - Co., Schieffelin & Co.,  
New York.  
April 18/97

**GEORGE HORNBER,**  
**BAR ROOM,**  
**WINE AND SPIRITUOUS**  
Commerce Street.  
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.  
Nov. 5/96

**NORTON & DEUTZ,**  
Pay the highest price for  
**Hides, Skins**  
AND  
**WOOL.**  
Jan 3 '97

**For Rent.**  
The House known as the Bombach cor-  
ner, on the East side of the river, lately  
occupied by Barry & Cole, merchants, cor-  
ner of Alamo and Villita streets. Apply to  
PETTY SMYTH,  
County Clerk's Office.  
Jan 9/97

**Essays for Young Men.**  
On the Errors and Abuses incident to  
Youth and Early Manhood, with the hu-  
mane view of treatment and cure, sent by  
mail free of charge. Address Howard As-  
sociation, Box P., Philadelphia, Pa. J.  
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