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BUSINESS DIRECTORY FOR SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

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

Manufacturers, Architects, &c.

J. H. Kampmann, Architect and Builder.
Professional.
Martiner Shoen: M. D., Homoeopathic Physician.
J. Cooke, Attorney at Law.
J. P. Newcomb, Notary Public.
Dr. T. Tomplon van der Hoeven, Physician.
Dr. Weisselberg, Physician and Surgeon.
Dr. P. Herff.
Dr. A. Hoyd Thomas, Dentist.

Bankers.

San Antonio National Bank.

Books and Stationery.

M. Shoen.
W. W. Gamble.

Lamps, Toys and Fancy Goods.

B. Pentecostler.

Jewelry.

Bell & Bro's.

Groceries, Dry-Goods, &c.

Dressel & Brian.
H. Gronet.
F. Gross & Co.

Groceries, Wines & Liquors.

R. Pentecostler.
Wagner & Rimmel.
San Antonio Steam Candy and Cracker Factory, Schmidt & Dourler.
Dressel & Brian, Importers of California Wine.

Drugs and Medicines.

F. Kalyer.
A. Netto.

Auction and Commission.

E. Sawyer & Co.

Hardware.

A. Sartor, Jr.
Elmendorf & Co.
Norton & Davis.

Dry-Goods, &c.

Lock & Grisselbeck.
Lorenz & Co.
Koenigheim & Co.

Furniture.

Philip Conrad.

Miscellaneous.

Hartmann, Egar & Co., Commission Merchants.
John S. Plickner, Dealer in Government Clothing.
Stuels & Williams, Commission merchant & Lovers & Crocers, Manufacturers of tin and copper ware.
George Hoyer, Saloon.
Elmendorf & Co., Dealer in hites.
Bell & Bro's, Jewelers.
Jack Harris, Bar Room.
Lighter & Baugh, Dealers in Fruits.
P. C. Taylor, Soap Manufacturer.
W. Willie Peay & Co., Livery Stable.
El Paso Mail Line, B. F. Picklin.
A. Stasako, Agent for Wilson, Childs & Co.

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

Waters' Pianos, 481 Broadway, N. Y.
N. L. McCreedy & Co., Commission Merchants, N. Y.
Revere Ambrasia.
Andrew, Clerk & Co., Fishing Tackle.

NEW ORLEANS.

Shoen, Baldwin & Co., Hardware.
Victor Peason, Commission Merchant.

HALLETT'S.

J. K. Cowen, Dry Goods.
Montreu & Gross, Commission Merchants, New Braunfels.

BELL & BRO'S,

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Plated-Ware,

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

Spectacles, &c.,

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED!

No. 5-Commerce Street,

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

nov 1868, J&W

H. F. & W. S. BLEDSOE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Cleburne, Texas.

REFERENCES:

Judge Thos. Harrison, Waco Texas.
Judge R. E. Baylor, Independence, Tex.
Gen. Joseph Wheeler, New Orleans.
Chas. B. & G. H. Smith, Memphis, Tenn.
G. H. Smith, Nashville, Tenn.

MRS. SCHMIDT'S HOTEL,

MAIN STREET,

San Antonio, Texas.

Dec. 10/1868

A Modern Drinking Song.

Fill high the bowl with Fuzel Oil!
With Fuzel let your cups be crowned!
If Strychnine gives relief to toil,
Let Oil of Vitrol cool your brains,
Of Stimulated atoms brew,
And fill your arteries, hearts, and veins,
With glass—a luxurious glue!

Wink! That died out in '68,
What fuel would have it back! And how?
The cup that will inebriate
And never cheer, they sell us now,
The conscious water saw its God,
And blushed.—Wat of it? Don't you feel
That water knows the druggist's rod,
And blushes now—with Cocchineal!

Ah! Fragrant fume of Kresote!
Be-witching bowl of Prussian Blue!
Who would not soothe his parching throat?
With your mild offspring, Mountain Dew?
Stronger than aught that racked the frame,
And shook the mighty brain of Burns,
Surely, 'till set your head aflame,
Whence his fatal day returns!

Bring on the Beer—Fresh Coppert's foam!
With Alum mixed in powder fine;
How could my foolish fancy roam
In search of whiter froth than thine?
Thy Indian Betty's essence, spread
Through amber wavelets, sparkling clear,
Benumbs dull gaze—strikes Feeling dead—
And narcotizes Shame and Fear!

Far down the bubbling depths, Cham-
pagne!
Drown'd Honor, Love, and Beauty lie—
They fought the unequal fight in vain—
Shall we too, merely drink—and die?
Sweet Acetate of Lead, forbid!
Fill every drink with pangs, and tell
What tortures could—and always did—
Anticipate the stings of Hell!

Carl Schurz.

At the outbreak of the rebellion,

no man in the country more readily

or profoundly comprehended, nor

more powerfully and eloquently in-

terpreted to the people the meaning

and issues of the revolution then in-

augurated, than Mr. Schurz. He

took the most radical ground, and

helped very materially to enlighten

the public mind and to bring it up

to the true standard. His speeches

were remarkable for their insight

into the principles involved in the

war, and he enunciated them with

characteristic German profundity

and thoroughness. The election of

such a man is a source of pleasure

to all true republicans. We give

the following extract from his re-

cent speech before the joint session

of the General Assembly of Mis-

souri:

"In order to arrive at that permanent

basis we must endeavor to

close up the distracting agitations

which have sprung from our civil

conflict. The body politic needs

rest; but it can and will have no

undisturbed repose as long as there

are classes of men that have to

struggle for their rights. Our de-

mocratic system of government can

stand with security only upon the

foundation of impartial justice and

rights equal to all. (Applause.) It

is not in consideration of the loyal-

ty of the negro alone that we strive

to extend the right of suffrage to

the colored people. It is our inter-

est no less than theirs, it is the gen-

eral interest of society which de-

mands that the laboring man, what-

ever his race or color, should pos-

sess the political rights wherewith

to defend his freedom, independence

and manhood, and that all those

stimulants of improvement should

be furnished to him which are cal-

culated to raise him to the highest

measure of usefulness. (Applause.)

Thus we shall only be just to our-

head-work. Old superficial systems

of cultivation must be displaced by

new improved methods. We have a

soil and climate almost unsurpassed

for the production of agricultural

wealth, and it only remains for us to

bend our energies to its realization.

General Grant.

"Let us have peace," is the motto

of General Grant. It is a Napoleonic

idea, for Napoleon says, "L'Empire

est la paix." Bismarck and Von

Beust cry "Peace." For all this a

tremendous convulsion is brewing in

Europe; but to us, under Grant, there

is always an assurance of peace. It

was this grand idea, "Let us have

peace," that led him into Vicksburg,

that carried his victorious legions up

among the clouds of Lookout Moun-

tain, that plunged them into the

jungle of "the Wilderness" and

brought them out at the "Appomato-

lox apple tree." The same idea has

carried him from his tannery at

Gallena to the White House. Only

look at it, the greatest epoch in

American history, covered by a rail-

splitter, a tailor and a tanner—Lin-

coln, Johnson and Grant. Under

the first, who was a philosopher, the

greatest revolution of modern times

began; under the second, a mere

politician, the work has been delayed,

but under the third, a practical states-

man, it will be finished.—Exchange.

An Injured Word.

If there is a word in the English

language that has reason to complain

of bad treatment, it is Democracy.

Its etymological and real sense has

been extracted from it, and under

the old name but with a new nature,

it has been made to carry a load of

sin and crime enough to crush out

any but an immortal word. The

word means, Government of the peo-

ple; but it has been perverted into

an actual equivalent to aristocracy,

or government by a class. The so-

called Democratic party is not dem-

ocratic. It is not established upon

the idea of government by the peo-

ple, but of government by a part

of the people; by the people, for in-

stance, of a certain race and color,

to the total or partial exclusion of

another part. This is the essence of

WATERS' PIANOS.

With Iron Frame, Overstrung Bass, and

Agroffe Bridge.

Melodions and Cabinet Organs,

The Best Manufactured; Warranted for Six

Years.

Fifty New and Second-hand Pianos, Melo-

dions and Organs of six first-class makers,

at low prices for cash, or on third cash and

the balance in Monthly Installments. Sec-

ond-hand Instruments at great bargains.

Illustrated Catalogue mailed. Warerooms,

481 Broadway, New York.

HORACE WATERS.

Testimonials.

The Waters' Pianos are known as among

the very best.—N. Y. Evangelist.

We can speak of the merits of the Waters'

Pianos from personal knowledge as being of

the very best quality.—Christian Intelligen-

cer.

The Waters' Pianos are built of the best

and most thoroughly seasoned material.—

Advocate and Journal.

Our friends will find at Mr. Waters' store

the very best assortment of Pianos, Melo-

dions and Organs to be found in the United

States.—Graham's Magazine.

Musical Doctor.—Since Mr. Waters gave

up publishing sheet music, he has devoted

his whole capital and attention to the man-

ufacture and sale of Pianos and Melodions.

He has just issued a catalogue of his new

instruments, giving a new scale of prices,

which shows a marked reduction from for-

mer rates, and his Pianos have recently been

awarded the First Premium at several Fairs.

Many people of the present day, who are

attracted, if not confused, with the flaming

advertisements of rival piano houses, prob-

ably overlook the modest manufacturer like

Mr. Waters; but we happen to know that

his instruments earned him a good reputa-

tion long before Expositions and "honors"

conferred thereon, were even thought of.

Indeed, we have one of Mr. Waters' Pianos

forties now in our residence, where it has

stood for years, of which any manufacturer

in the world might well be proud. We have

always been delighted with it as a sweet

toned and powerful instrument, and there is

no doubt of its durability; more than this,

some of the best amateur players in the city,

as well as several celebrated pianists, have

performed on the same piano, and all pro-

nounce it a superior and first-class instrument.

Stronger endorsement we could not give.—

Hofe Journal. (Feb 19/69dly.)

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The business carried on under the firm of

Schleier & Co., is today dissolved by mutual

consent, Emil Elmendorf withdrawing.

Charles Elmendorf will collect, for Emil El-

mendoff, all dues to said firm.

E. SCHLEIER,

E. ELMENDORF.

San Antonio, February 1st, 1869. (Feb 19dly)

Cards of City Merchants.

DRESSEL & BRIAN,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS

Dry-Goods and Groceries,

AND

IMPORTERS OF

California Wine.

Alamo Plaza, opposite Meager's

San Antonio, April 26, 1867. 1187

E. SAWYER & Co.,

AUCTION & COMMISSION

MERCHANTS.

222—Main Plaza and Solidad street, next

to the Plaza House

A good yard for stock in connection with

the premises.

Sale days—Monday, Wednesday and

Saturday. (April 24dly)

KOENIGHEIM & Co.,

MAIN PLAZA,

OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL,

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

JUST RECEIVED, a splendid Fall

Stock of

Fancy and Staple DRY-GOODS,

CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

CLOTHS, CASIMERS, &c., &c.

April 22dly.

DEITLER & BAUGH,

Dealers in all kinds of FRUITS,

Apples, Oranges, Malaga Grapes, Pecans

and Confectioneries.

These fruits are fresh and just received,

and for sale low for cash.

Jan. 16dly.

PHILIP CONRAD.

Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE

and House Furn

A. Siemerling & Co., Publishers.

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1869.

RATES OF ADVERTISING:

Table with columns for advertising rates: Square, 1 month, 2 mos, 3 mos, 6 mos, 1 year. Includes sub-sections for Weekly Express and Daily Express.

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Terms of Subscription: Daily, single copies one year, \$15.00 each.

Advertisements having the run of the paper, first insertion, \$1.50 per square.

Advertisements inserted at intervals, to be charged as new each insertion.

Any one permanent advertisement, occupying from one-half to one column, will be allowed a discount of twenty-five per cent.

Payment invariably in Advance.

All communications for publication should be addressed, Editor Express.

All business communications should be addressed, A. SIEMERLING & CO.

NOTICE.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, February 1, 1869. By mutual consent, the Publishing House heretofore existing in this city under the style and firm of A. SIEMERLING & CO., consisting of A. SIEMERLING and W. B. MOORE, is hereby dissolved.

All dues to said firm must be paid to A. Siemerling, who also assumes all liabilities of the co-partnership.

A. SIEMERLING, W. B. MOORE.

The Publishing and Printing Business of A. SIEMERLING & Co., will be carried on as heretofore, under the same style and firm, A. SIEMERLING.

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Our Job Office.

We call the attention of our merchants and the public in general to the fact, that our Job Office is one of the best and most complete in the State, and that we are prepared to execute all orders in the best and most approved style, at NEW YORK PRICES.

Indians in Uvalde.

Fort Inge has been evacuated and the troops have gone to Fort McKavitt. The Indians—mostly Kickapoos, from near Santa Rosa, Mexico, are very troublesome.

General Order No. 18.

We have received this order, bearing date February 26, from Headquarters of this Military District.

It makes the necessary appropriations for carrying on the Civil Government during the current year. Nearly four hundred and fifty thousand dollars are thus appropriated.

It is greatly to be desired that the State should be relieved from this burden by some equitable contract, and the prison be made self-sustaining, in private hands.

“Exterminate the Scoundrels.”

During the reign of terror in France, while the old social order, broken and dissolved, floated like a bubble on the stream of revolution, an ardent patriot rose in the Assembly and moved that “the scoundrels be exterminated.”

He thus epitomized the unending work which each generation finds placed ready to its hand, and which it must perform or be itself destroyed.

If eternal vigilance is the price of liberty, eternal scoundrelism is no less the perpetual menace of society. The ages of human history are characterized as “dark,” or as “golden,” just as this warfare results in victory or defeat; and when the struggle takes on immense proportions and is imminent, we rightly term it a “crisis” in human affairs.

Through such a period the great Republic is now passing.

The public corruption has become so threatening and gigantic, that the very instinct of self-preservation is waking to battle with it.

President Grant is the chosen leader of the American people in this hardest of all his campaigns.

He demands the repeal of the Tenure-of-Office act, that he may bring his iron executive directly to bear upon the horde of official knaves whose methodized frauds are depleting the treasury.

The House promptly assents, but the Senate refuses, being unwilling to lose the personal interests and power which each one of them holds by such control over the public patronage.

If the Senate does not yield, the collision must come, for Grant is in earnest, and the people—the PEOPLE are at his back.

A Good Decision.

Congress has refused to validate a declaration of our late Convention, incorporating the Inter-Oceanic Railroad.

In itself considered, the construction of this road is in a high degree desirable. It must in fact soon be built as a national necessity, and will supersede the present Pacific route, on causes of permanent preference.

We opine the vote in Congress is based on no grounds of hostility to this project, but because the Convention was not empowered to make declarations, grant charters, and do a general legislative business.

The Reconstruction Convention in Texas was chosen under a definite law, and assembled to perform a specific work. They were summoned to so amend and modify the organic law of the State, as to bring it into harmony with the revolution.

All action outside of this was simply a nullity.

The grants, franchises, charters, donations, and miscellaneous and corrupt-jobbing in which they so freely indulged, were a discredit to the Convention and a source of weakness to the whole Republican party.

We repeat, therefore, that it is to us a matter of satisfaction that Congress has tabled this bill. We hope that all the remaining work of the Convention, outside of the constitution they have framed, will also be promptly tabled.

And if Congress should decide to go a step further, and cancel or modify portions of that illustrious instrument itself, we should not greatly grieve.

Southern Commanders.

Grant has declared that those Generals in command throughout the South, who are not in sympathy with his Administration, will be removed in favor of others who are.

This disposes of General Stoneman in Virginia, of General Gillen in Mississippi, and Buchanan in Louisiana, all of whom are counted as retrograde and Johnsonian.

In the case of the latter officer, incompetency as well as copperheadism is alleged. Though an old West Point graduate, he made no war record, being a lover of soft places, and but seldom in the field; while he is placed at a still farther disadvantage from a personal quarrel of many years standing between him and General Grant.

Army gossip has it that when Grant was a subaltern under Buchanan, then stationed in Oregon, he attended one day an officers' dinner, and, contrary to his reticent habit, joined in the general conversation.

Colonel Buchanan publicly and discourteously checked him with the remark that “Young officers should be seen, and not heard.” Grant keenly felt the snub, and a quarrel ensued, which resulted in his resignation.

He has now an opportunity to make the “retort courteous,” and to shelve Buchanan among the army fossils, where he will be neither seen nor heard.

The proverb that “every dog has his day,” applies to bipeds as well, and it is now about the twelfth hour on the political dial for men of General Buchanan's stamp and style.

General Reynolds.

The wires bring the information that General Reynolds will soon return as Commander of this Military District. This was not unexpected.

General Reynolds was known as the friend and companion in arms of our President. He was removed by Johnson not on account of errors in administration,—but because he sided with Congress in viewing Texas as, in a political sense, out of the Union, and therefore forbade any participation in the Presidential election.

His course in that respect fully met the approval of Grant, who, therefore, felt bound to reinstate him. It is needless to add that this transfer reflects no shadow of censure upon General Canby, whose course in Texas, meets and merits the general approval of loyal men.

TELEGRAPHIC

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Governor A. J. Hamilton, Col. John L. Haynes, W. L. Armstrong, Dr. R. N. Lane, W. Sumner, Ira L. Camp, Col. Edwards, Dr. Boulda Baker, and Col. Jesse Steneth of Texas called upon Gen. Grant to-day; they were presented by Gen. J. J. Reynolds.

Hamilton in behalf of the Texans congratulated Gen. Grant and the country and the South in particular, upon his election, and assured him that the Texas convention had submitted a good constitution to the people, and he had no doubt of its ratification, and Texas would thus be restored to the Union.

Gen. Grant expressed his gratification, and said that Gen. Canby was an excellent officer, but he thought it was due General Reynolds to restore him to his command.

The Texans are well pleased with their interview.—They are all opposed to a division of the State.

At a caucus all the old House officers were re-nominated except King, House Postmaster.

Democratic caucus nominated Kerr for Speaker.

Blaine was nominated for Speaker by the Republicans.

Dawson will be Speaker for the remainder of this session.

The Senate appropriated \$1000 for the investigation of the Texas cattle disease.

An attempt was made to force through before the appropriation bill, the bill repealing the tenure-of-office bill, which failed.

Nevada has ratified the 14th amendment. In the House Colfax delivered his valedictory.

Pomeroy was elected Speaker for the balance of the session.

The House is now considering the report of the committee on accounts.

Senate passed a bill for the relief of a Washington banker, W. W. Corcoran, with an amendment requiring him to take the iron-clad oath.

SENATE—The committee on foreign relations reported in favor of non-concurrence with the bill tendering sympathy to the people of Spain.

The Senate voted down the amendment paying any advances for the war of 1812.

The army appropriation bill passed, and goes to the House for concurrence. REVENUE.—After the valedictory and salutation the printing of certain documents was ordered, when the committee on accounts had a conflict with the House over the payment of the Louisiana contestants.

The committee moved to rescind the resolution allowing them \$2,500 and to allow \$1,500. The resolution was tabled by a large majority, and appropriation considered to recess.

Both Houses in session, and will probably remain in session till noon to-morrow.

Mr. Johnson publishes a two-column address to the people of the United States, in defense of his course as President. He invites the co-operation of the people in behalf of his successor. He also says, I have consented to cooperate with parties who desired to carry on the government and side with the constitution, and do not regret any action I have done, always having in view the restriction of Congress within the limits of the constitution.

The debt statement shows a decrease of nearly a billion.

Coin in the treasury nearly ninety-nine million; currency nearly seventeen million.

President Grant's cabinet nominations will go to the Senate on Friday.

The Treasury employees took leave of Mr. McCulloch this afternoon.

A crowd of visitors compelled Mr. Johnson to hold a regular levee to-day.

The President issued a large number of pardons to-day.

Revenue to-day \$2,000,000.

A letter signed by many of the citizens of Lynchburg, tendering the hospitality of that city, was presented to the President. He replied, not having determined upon his route homeward, nor when leaving, he could not answer definitely, but would in a few days.

Sumner's amendment, changing the word white from the District charter and ordinances passed the Senate.

The militia bill passed last night and goes to the President. It provides that so much of the act making appropriations for the support of the army for the year ending June 30, 1869, and for other purposes, approved March 3, 1867, as prohibits the organization, arming, or calling into service the militia, become in the States solely in rebellion, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Foreign Markets.

LIVERPOOL, March 3.

Cotton 2m; Uplands 1 1/2; Orleans 1 1/2.

The Richmond Dispatch says: “Those who can not see that negro suffrage is a settled question are like a stage driver who exclaimed to his colleagues the other day: ‘Boys, Confederate money will be good yet, Kribby Smith is still afloat beyond the Mississippi, and he'll bring it up.’”

Judging from this tone of some of our exchanges, we should think that there are many papers and persons in Texas who still have faith in “Kribby Smith.”

Sleep.

Five young men in Berlin lately made an agreement, for a wager, to see who of them could keep awake for a whole week. They all held out for about five days and a half, by drinking largely of strong coffee, and a keeping a constant round of active exercises and exciting amusements.

At the end of that time two of them yielded to drowsiness; a third soon fell asleep while riding tumbled from his saddle and broke his arm; a fourth was attacked by severe sickness, and compelled to retire from the list; the fifth held out to the end, but lost twenty-five pounds of flesh in winning the wager.

Long ago, Frederick the Great and Voltaire made a similar experiment, making use of the same stimulant of strong coffee, but they did not succeed in driving away sleep for more than four days.

The above may be true of persons in ordinary health. But it is well known that under some forms of disease persons have lived for weeks with any sign of sleep.

A correspondent of the Waanabach Argus reports Indians on a raid to the settlements on the San Saba.

Farmersburg is selected as the future Capital of West Virginia.

New Advertisements.

Wall Paper! Wall Paper!! Table-Mats, Window-shades, Fire-boards, Curtain-Rosettes and Bands. A full assortment of the latest patterns.

30111 SAN JOE. E. PENTENRIEDER.

Sugar! Sugar!! Arrived and on the road, 200 bbls. Crushed, Powdered and Granulated.

30 Boxes Havana Sugar. 30111 SAN JOE. E. PENTENRIEDER.

Wine! Wine! 300 Boxes Claret, 10 Cases do, 130 Boxes French White Wine.

30111 SAN JOE. E. PENTENRIEDER.

Proposals for Stage Transportation.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of TEXAS, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Austin, Texas, March 1st, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

Is duplicate, will be received at this office, until Saturday, March 27th, 1869, at 12 M., for furnishing such transportation by stage as may be required by the Quartermaster's Department, United States Army, until December 31st, 1869, on the following routes, viz: Victoria to Indianola, Lavaca to Indianola.

Bidders will state the rate at which they propose to transport each man, (with baggage not to exceed one hundred (100) pounds) the entire distance on the route; also from point to point.

Payment to be made in Government Funds Service to commence on award of contract. Proposals to be plainly endorsed, “Proposals for Stage Transportation from—” to— and addressed to the undersigned.

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

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AUCTION!

By David Friedlander & Co., On TUESDAY, MARCH 9th.

At 10 o'clock, A. M., will be sold By Catalogue, 150 Lots Assorted Merchandise.

To suit the wholesale and retail trade. Full lines of Boots and Shoes, Dry-Goods, Partial Lines Dry-Goods, including Cottons, Linens, Dress-Goods and 25 Pieces Union Cassimeres.

A large lot of Fire-Arms—Pistols, Armes and Navy, Rifles, Carbines, Shot-Guns, Pistols, Scabbards, &c.

A line of Hardware, Bowie-Knives, Scissors, Nail-cutters, Locks, Keys, &c., &c. Full line Men's Furnishing Goods. A large invoice of Memorandum Books, Ladies Note-books and Fancy Notions.

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VICK'S

Floral Guide for 1869.

The first edition of one hundred thousand of Vick's Illustrations of Seeds and Guide in the Flower Garden is now published. It makes a book of 100 pages, beautifully illustrated with about 100 Engravings of Flowers and Vegetables, and an ELEANT COLORED PLATE, A BOUQUET OF FLOWERS.

It is the most beautiful, as well as the most instructive Floral Guide published, giving plain and to the point directions for the Culture of Flowers and Vegetables.

The Floral Guide is published for the benefit of my customers, to whom it is sent free without application, but will be forwarded to all who apply by mail, for Ten Cents, which is one-half the cost. Address JAMES VICK, Rochester, New York.

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MARKETS.

New York Market. New York, March 3.

Gold 132 1/2. Cotton opened steady, but closed quiet at 25 1/2.

New Orleans Market. NEW ORLEANS, March 3. Cotton steady; Middlings 22 1/2; sales 2500 bales; receipts 2700; exports 120. Gold 132 1/2.

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Local Intelligence.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS

ALLEYTON. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

VICTORIA. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

WACO. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

EL PASO. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

EAGLE PASS. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

CORPUS CHRISTI. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

LAREDO. ARRIVE. DEPART. Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, 1 P. M.

FOR SALE. BLANKS for Butchers and Hide Dealers at this office. (law.)

News for EVERYBODY.—The mail from Alleyton arrives this a. m. Slocum's and Gamble's Book Stores will be crowded with anxious faces for new books, magazines and life papers, and then the postoffice will be full of expectant ones for letters, and the obliging, good-looking clerks will wait upon all with smiling faces.

PERSONAL.—Major J. W. Whittemore, just returned from a six months' leave, called at our sanctum yesterday. The Major is in fine health and spirits. He is one of the fortunate ones who by exchange are to be located on the line of the Pacific railroad. We are sorry to lose the sunshine of his presence and friendship, but we congratulate him on the transfer.

CONCERT AT THE CASINO.—Remember that Professors Miller and Delbert give their delightful Concert to-morrow night at the Casino, where arrangements will be duly made for the comfort and pleasure of the audience. The Hall will be open for everybody that wishes to attend. Tickets will be only fifty cents—a small sum to listen to such ravishing music from the violin and piano. Vocal music as well as instrumental.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.—We notice with pleasure that the late buildings damaged by fire, are now finished and ready for occupation. Lindmiller & Co. are moving in their old stand.

The store lately occupied by Judge Gamble as a book store, is now known as the "Red Store," and will be used as a Commission House in a few days.

The old building that is known as the Lockwood property, is demolished to make room for another of more taste and beauty to Commerce street.

The sidewalks are widened up to the corner, and look neat and comfortable.

THE BOY THAT WOULD NOT LEARN HIS CATECHISM.—Mr. _____ has a son who sometimes becomes a little refractory. A few days ago this son refused to learn his Catechism; whereupon the stern "parent" threatened his boy with the punishment of locking him up in the calaboose. This threat availed nothing, he still refused to learn his devotional task.

Mr. _____ bethought himself of George Benneck, and straightway he went unto Benneck, with much fear and trembling, saying: "I have an offering that does not obey his parents in all things that pertaineth to his good and learning. He refuses to learn the Catechism, that hath much wisdom and good therein; therefore I pray thee to come unto mine abode and try thy arts upon this youth."

Benneck went straightway unto said abode wherein this lad did dwell, asking him: "Ain't you going to learn this 'Catechism'?"

"No, I ain't," was the reply.

Whereupon, they both (Father and Benneck) laid violent hands upon the youth, when a scuffle ensued, and then and there did the father of this offspring get violently bruised from kicks, &c. This refractory son was finally mastered and carried away from the calaboose, where he was locked up from 8 o'clock, a. m., until 1 o'clock, a. m., the next morning.

Benneck then went straightway to the calaboose, and there beheld the youth upon his face, saying aloud, saying: "Oh! I pray thee to open thine door, that shuts me in prison, and I will hereafter hearken unto my father's voice, and learn the lessons that are set up to me for wisdom and learning."

So straightway did the keeper of the prison unlock the door and the youth passed out into his father's mansion, with much praise and thanksgiving.

Benneck look out, you might get into trouble for false imprisonment.

Are we drifting back to the days of the Institution?

During a trial, in which the court had repeatedly ruled against the late Jas. T. Brady, he blantly said: "May it please your honor, who's engaged on the other side of the case, besides the Judge?"

MARKET MANIFEST.

Seed Potatoes, Sourkrot, Herrings and Salt Pickles, for sale by WAGNER & RUMMEL. feb20dtf

MEBOUT, in barrels and half-barrels, for sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO. feb24dtf

Pickles in Salt, in 5 gallon kegs, for sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO. feb24dtf

30,000 lbs. Choice Mexican Beans. For sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO. feb16dtf

30 Bbls. Raw Herring (Portland). Just received by H. GRENET. feb16dtf

30 Bbls. Red Onions. For sale low by H. GRENET. feb16dtf

50 Cargas New Pelonillos. For sale by H. GRENET. feb16dtf

For Seed—Castor Oil Bean—Seed beans, for sale by STEELE & WILLIAMS, feb20dtf

Consignment of Imperial Tea. Just received and for sale by SAMPSON & TORREY. feb27dtf

Land Certificates. For sale by JOHN C. FRENCH, President. (Feb 18 1869) S. A. & M. G. R. Co.

Notice. The partnership hitherto existing under the firm of Loewenstein & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. San Antonio, Feb. 26, 1869. (Feb 27 3dt)

Review of the Markets. Wholesale Prices Current—Quotations in Specie.

DAILY EXPRESS OFFICE, Feb. 23, 1869. Our quotations for this week have undergone a little advance for Groceries.

Potatoes have advanced to \$13 @ bbl; Sugar, crushed, 15c @ lb., Louisiana 13c; Powdered 18c; Whiskey \$1.40 @ 1.50 @ gal; other quotations remain nominal.

Dry-Goods. Prints, Sprague, fancy, \$ cts. @ 11. do purple & pinks, @ 11. Amoskang, fancy, @ 10. Wamutta do, @ 8.

Brown Domestic. Indian Head, 4-4, @ 14 @ 15. Harrisburg, 4-4, @ 13. Tremont C, 4-4, @ 11. Suffolk E, @ 9. Bedford K, @ 9.

Brown Drills. Stark A, @ 10. Superior, @ 14.

Bleached Domestic. Lonsdale 4-4, @ 16. Masonville 4-4, @ 16. Hope 4-4, @ 14. Red Bank 4-4, @ 12. Green H, @ 11. Canoe, @ 8.

Ticks. Amoskang A C A, @ 37. Amoskang A, @ 30. Algodon, @ 19.

Hickory Stripes. York, @ 13. Heymaker, @ 15. Pittsfield, @ 9.

Jeans and Kerseys. Alpine, @ 34. Longworth, @ 30. Hillside, @ 15. Beverly Twills, @ 24.

Sewing Cotton. Coats @ doz, @ 85. Green and Daniels, @ 60. Blackstone, @ 25.

Linsey. White Rock, @ 22. Stillman, solid, @ 24. Oakland, @ 19.

Boots and Shoes. Brogans, split @ doz, @ 14. Men's Buff Brogans, @ 13. do Brogans wax, @ 17. Brogans, Boys, @ 11. Men's Calf Boots, @ 36. do Grain, @ 36. do Kip, @ 20. do Bull sewed, @ 38.

GROCERIES. Crackers. Butter and Soda, @ 10 @ 11. Sugar, Mexican, @ 13. Candles 15oz, @ 20. do 12oz @ do, @ 7. do wax @ do, @ 7.

Coffee. Rio, ordinary to Fair, @ 21 @ 22. Prime to Choice, @ 23 @ 24. Java, @ 33.

Candy. Stick, @ 21. Rock, @ 24. Fancy, @ 30.

Chocolate. Sweet, @ 35 @ 40. Vanilla, @ 60.

Fish. Kit—Mackerel, No. 1, @ 3.25 @ 3.50. Cod, @ 2.75 @ 3.00. do @ do, @ 5.00 @ 5.25.

Flour. Choice @ bbl, @ 15.00 @ 16.00. XXX, @ 14.00 @ 15.00. XX, @ 10.50 @ 11.50.

Fruits. Raisins, @ box, @ 4.50 @ 5.00. do, @ 1.35 @ 1.50. Lemons, @ do, @ 8.00 @ 8.50. Prunes, @ do, @ 15 @ 17. Dried Apples, @ doz, @ 9.00 @ 11. Currants, @ do, @ 15 @ 17. Citron, @ do, @ 30 @ 35. Almonds, @ do, @ 33 @ 35. Pecans, @ do, @ 3.00 @ 3.25.

Poster and Ale. London Porter, @ pints, @ 2.93 @ 3.05. do, @ do, @ 5.00 @ 5.20. Bremen Beer @ pints, @ 2.85 @ 3.00.

Sugar. Sugar, La. @ lb, @ 13 @ 15. do Crushed @ lb, @ 18 @ 20. do Pow'd @ lb, @ 15 @ 17.

Miscellaneous.

Corn, @ 55 @ 65. Milk, condensed, Eagle, @ 3.50 @ 3.65. Molasses, @ 90 @ 1.00. Syrup, @ 1.10 @ 1.25. Matcha @ gross, @ 2.50 @ 2.65. Brooms @ doz, @ 3.00 @ 3.50. Buckets @ doz, @ 3.75 @ 4.00. Tubs, New, @ 5.25 @ 5.75. Oil, Coal, @ case, @ 6.65 @ 6.75. do do @ quarts, @ 18 @ 20. Hams, choice canvassed, @ 74 @ 75. Lord, @ lb, @ 43 @ 45. Butter, Goshen, @ lb, @ 18 @ 20. Cheese, Western, @ 20 @ 22. do choice Goshen, @ 20 @ 22. Potatoes, Northern @ bbl, @ 31 @ 33. Onions, @ bbl, @ 9.00 @ 11.00. Kroot, @ bbl, @ 17.00 @ 18.00. Rice, @ lb, @ 10 @ 12. Salt, fine and coarse, @ 5.00 @ 5.50. Whiskey, rectified @ gal, @ 1.40 @ 1.50. Bitters, Hostettler, @ doz, @ 10 @ 12. do Baker's, @ doz, @ 14 @ 16. Brandy Cherries, @ doz, @ 5.00 @ 5.50. do Peaches, @ doz, @ 5.75 @ 6.00. Soap, Northern, @ lb, @ 7 @ 8. Sardines, @ box, @ 13 @ 15. Starch, @ lb, @ 9 @ 10.

Spices. Pepper, @ 21 @ 23. Cloves, @ 40 @ 42. Nutmeg, @ 1.25 @ 1.50.

Tobacco. Virginia, @ lb, @ 50 @ 1.00. Navy, @ lb, @ 58 @ 62. Smoking, @ lb, @ 30 @ 35. Sunny Side, gross, @ 7.50 @ 8.00.

Tea. Imperial, @ lb, @ 1.00 @ 1.75. Young Hyson, @ lb, @ 1.00 @ 1.60. Oolong, @ lb, @ 90 @ 1.25.

Wines. Port, @ gallon, @ 2.50 @ 5.00. Madiera, @ gallon, @ 2.25 @ 4.50. Sherry, @ do, @ 2.25 @ 9.00. Claret, @ doz, @ 3.75 @ 10.50. Vinegar, Cider, pr. gal, @ 40 @ 50.

Hardware. Axes, @ doz, @ 13.00 @ 15.00. Hoes, @ do, @ 6.50 @ 7.00. Iron, @ lb, @ 6 @ 6.50. Swoed, assorted, @ lb, @ 9 @ 10. Sheet Iron, @ lb, @ 10 @ 12. Castings, @ lb, @ 8 @ 10. Plow Iron, @ lb, @ 10 @ 12. do Steel, @ lb, @ 12 @ 14. Bar Lead, @ lb, @ 13 @ 14. Nails and Spikes @ keg, @ 6.25 @ 7.00. Coffee Mills @ doz, @ 4.00 @ 5.00. Ox Chains, @ lb, @ 12 @ 14. Grind stones @ lb, @ 5 @ 6. Iron Axles @ lb, @ 10 @ 12. Buggy Springs @ lb, @ 21 @ 23. Vices @ lb, @ 22 @ 24.

Hides. Dry Beef, @ 12 @ 13. Kips, dry, @ 13 @ 15. Moss, dry, @ 7 @ 8.

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

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

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Reference—San Antonio National Bank Jan 21 1869 a. w. m.

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BUTTER! BUTTER!! 100 Firkin Best Goshen. For sale low by H. GRENET. nov27dtf

NOTICE. The Regular meeting of the Agricultural, Stock raising and Industrial Association of Western Texas, will be held at the store of Sampson & Torrey, on Wednesday evening, 10th March, 1869, at early candle light. All persons favorable are invited to attend. THOS. H. STRIBLING, President. S. S. SAMPSON, Secretary. (Feb 17 dtm 10)

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Notice. The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable the County Court of Wilson County, Administrator of the estate of E. G. Faucett, deceased, persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same as required by law, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. W. T. BLISS, Executor. Administrator of the Estate of E. G. Faucett, mar 3 1869 dtf.

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These routes have been newly stocked and the FARE REDUCED to the unprecedented low price of 15 cents Currency, per mile. T. G. WILLIAMS, Agent, at Steele & Williams, No. Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas, October 16, 1868. (dtf.)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bexar,
In County Court for the settle-
ment of Estates, &c., to March
Term, 1888.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To all persons interested in the Guardianship of Agustin Chavez...

Whereas, J. M. Chavez, Guardian of the estate and person of Agustin Chavez, "son compositus," has filed in this Court his application setting forth that said Agustin Chavez has not sufficient means for his proper support and maintenance, without the sale of real estate belonging to said estate, and praying for an order of sale of the following described property, to wit: "one tract of land in Bexar county, situated on the San Antonio river, containing 255 acres being division No. 8, inherited by Agustin Chavez from his father Ignacio Chavez, as described in the partition of the heirs of said Ignacio Chavez, and being a portion of a tract originally granted to Juan Montez, survey No. 6, also, one tract of land situated at the Mission Concepcion, in Bexar county, containing about 20 acres of land, bounded on the North by the San Antonio river, and land of Juan Antonio Chavez; on the south by said river and land of Catholic Church on the east by property of said Catholic Church and Juan Antonio Chavez, and on the west by said San Antonio river."

Now, pursuant to an order made and entered at the February term, 1883, of this Court, notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of said Agustin Chavez, "son compositus," as aforesaid, to appear at the next March term of this Court, when said petition will be acted on, and thereupon said petition should not be acted on until the next term of this Court, to-wit: the 1st day of March, A. D. 1888.

WITNESS, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County and Seal of said Court, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1888.

PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co.
By H. MacCormack, Deputy.
[Seal same day.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bexar,
In County Court for the settle-
ment of Estates, &c., to March
Term, A. D. 1888.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of Edward Stevens, deceased.

Whereas, Edward Stevens, administrator of the estate of Edward Stevens, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator in the Hon. County Court for the settlement of estates, &c., in and for said county, and applied for partition and distribution, and allowance and for discharge.

You are hereby notified to be and appear at the March term, 1888, of said Court to be holden on Monday the 27th day of said month, at the Court-house of said county, in the city of San Antonio, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be audited and allowed, and petition and distribution ordered and said administrator discharged as prayed for, and to do and suffer for such other things as the Court may then and there order and decree in the premises.

WITNESS, Peyton Smythe, County Clerk of said County and Seal of said Court, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1888.

PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co.
By H. MacCormack, Dep.
[Seal same day.]

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Notice to Stock-raisers.

COOPER & BRO., located at Pleasanton, Atascosa county, offer their services to the Stock-raiser of Western Texas, as Agents, to examine the records of herds sold, and collect the money thereon. For a description of their services will please forward written authority, with lists of marks and brands.

Dec 24/87.

NOTICE.

Parties having left arms at the shop of the undersigned, during the year 1887, are requested to remove the same by March 1st, 1888, or they will be sold to pay costs of repairs.

H. MAURERMANN.

JOHN E. SCHRECK,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 68 William, Corner Cedar Street,
Box 2406, New York.

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Andrew Patschke, deceased, by the County Court of Bexar county, on January 10, 1888. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same within the time prescribed by law.

PAUL WAGNER,
Administrator.

Fredericksburg, Texas.
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SOLE AGENTS FOR
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OWNERS OF THE
Fredericksburg Steam Mill
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Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable the County Court of Wilson county, Administrator of the Estate of John McPeters, Sr., deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same as required by law, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN McPETERS, Junior,
Administrator.

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The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of Steel & Williams, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, the same to take effect from the 1st day of March, 1888. The business will be continued by Mr. Louis Steel, who assumes all the liabilities of the concern, and to whom all payments of indebtedness must be made.

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San Antonio, Jan. 18, 1888.

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Jan 1/88

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BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,
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GALVESTON, TEXAS.
Particular attention to filling orders, accom-
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VICTOR PENNOL,
Commission Merchant and
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Groceries, Wines & Liquors,
Butter, Cheese, Lard, Lard Oil, Soap, Candles, Tea, Pork, etc.,
No. 22 Old Levee Street,
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Country orders promptly attended to.
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For the old line of dress gowns in Havana and Louisiana, Texas. Receive and forward goods to both points free of commissions, and insurance effected if desired. [Seal] 28/88

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 luxuriantly.
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 name blown in the glass), by Druggists and Dealers in Fancy Goods everywhere, at One Dollar per Bottle. Wholesale by Messrs. Barnes & Co., P. O. [Seal] 24/88

GEORGE HERNER,
BAR ROOM,
WINE AND BEER SALOON
Commerce Street,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Nov 3/88

WAGONS! WAGONS!
The undersigned, Agent for the Factory of
WILSON, CHILDS & CO.,
Philadelphia, keeps constantly on hand a full supply of
WAGONS,
made of the best material, which defies competition.
A. STAECKE, Agent.
Feb 1/88

30 Bbls. Whiskey!
SAMPSON & TORREY have just received another supply of those celebrated brands so universally sought.
Feb 2/88

"St. Charles Belle."
The subscribers call the attention of former purchasers and others, to this celebrated brand of Flour, that they have received another consignment and offer as low as the same grade of flour can be afforded.
SAMPSON & TORREY,
dec 8/87

EL PASO MAIL LINE BRAND
REGISTERED.
HORSE AND MULE BRAND.
On left side of the neck and on left shoulder.
On left hip.

To Marry or not to Marry
WHY NOT?
Serious Reflections for Young Men, in Essays of the Howard Association, on the Physiological Errors, Abuses and Diseases in the first life of man. Sent in a sealed letter envelope, free of charge. Address, Dr. J. SKILLIN BOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Plows! Plows!! Plows!!!
Sampson & Torrey have received another consignment of those celebrated Plows, which took the Premium at the Industrial Exhibition in St. Louis, Mo.
Jan 1/88

Special Notice.
H. GRENET,
Importer
AND
WHOLESALE DEALER
IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
San Antonio, Texas.
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HARDWARE,
74 Canal & 95 Common Sts.,
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Books, Stationery,
AND
NOTIONS,
AT
GAMBLE'S
BOOK STORE,
37 Commerce Street,
JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY OF

STATIONERY
for Commercial purposes,
Ladies' Bath Gilt Note,
Octavo and Bijou Paper;
Lined Envelopes, &c., &c.;
Photographic Albums;
Portfolios;
Toilet Articles;
Perfumery, &c., &c.;
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Cans, Umbrellas,
and many other articles, too numerous to mention.

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APOTHECARY AND DRUGGIST,
Presidio St., Near the Court-house,
SAN ANTONIO.
Has just received direct from Europe, a well selected supply of
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, &c.,
Among others—
English Colomel,
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Citric Acid,
Acetic Acid,
Oil of Bergamot,
Oil of Lemon,
Lime, &c., &c.
Superior Steel Pens and Pen Holders.
Syringes,
Black Fin,
Glass, and
India Rubber,
Cupping Glasses,
Medicine Chests, Medical Saddle bags, &c.,
Genuine Eau de Cologne.
nov 1/88

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DENTIST.
(Graduate of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery.)
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Teeth extracted without pain or danger, under the influence of Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.
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Refers to his numerous patients of this city. [Seal] 24/88

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Andrew Clerk & Co.
Respectfully inform the public and their old customers, that they still continue business in their old store,
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Their assortment of
Fishing Tackle,
is the largest and most complete of any in the United States. They are also sole Agents for the
Warrin Needle,
which for the last thirty years has enjoyed a reputation for quality and uniformity of temper superior to all others.
Feb 1/88

GREAT INDUCEMENTS.
Government Clothing at Wholesale,
In lots to suit. Dealers in need of this line, will do well to call on
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Opposite Alexander Sartor, Jr.
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