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Ty therefore pledges itself to the prompt a loption of these amendments.

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NOTARY PUBLIC.

JAMES P. NHWOOMB.

Office in the "Sus Autonio Nepress" building and solve and restriction and support of all good citizens, affineding of pents, less had order, and which has done as much for U.s. passification and well being of this country. This results in adapted.

#### PARAGRAHS.

The total receipts of the Boston jubilite were nearly \$1,000,000.

Prize fights between boys is the latest

Arrests have been made in Philadelphia for what has been supposed to be an impossible crime—overhading street cars. Ward Beecher would to God that Gor-

man lagar beer gardens could be establish Mr. George D. Prentice has almost abandoned writing altogether.

The original Sue Mundy is still dying in all sort of places down South.

Heary Ward Beecher confesses to have read the account of the McCoole-Allen prize fight, and to thinking that Mr. Allen was shamefully abused.

The last editorial Mr. Raymond wrote was the plea, in Thursday's Times, that Mr. Seward he let alone and let travel in

The most posmiat music at the Hub re-ently is that attached to the old hymn-"The day of Jubileo is done; Homeward ye ransomed singers run,"

A load of 1,500 eggs was recently smashed in front of the post-office at Batavia, New York; and as they couldn't be picked up again, a barrol of coal tar was posted over the street and set on fire, as the only means of preventing a bad smell.

been drawn with great difficulty; and the speech was delivered in so low a voice as

while the Knights Templar procession was moving in Philadelphia, a ranged by came in word and spirit,

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Friday of last week. They were brought by a lady who reached this city last night, having made the Union Pacific raffrond trip from ocean to ocean in seven days, bringing with her these beautiful specimens of the Pacific fruits."

General J. T. Wihler, of the Rockwood Iron Works, Virginia, save the miners in his coal mine are now at work upon a dehis coal mane are now at work upon a de-posit of coal which exceeds in thickness anything ever known in the world. An air coapse driven across the bed shows it to be over one handred feet their. This is more than twice the thickness of the largest beds of antracite cool in Pennsylvania.

The New York Sun arraigm the managment of this Jabi according to the interest of the contact with and seems. The Sun says:

We are sure that the original cost of the dresses runned in church on Sunday would carecally desires the encouragement of interest improvement and immediation, and mill as a party; press the adippion of measures having these ends in view. That interesting these ends in view. That interesting added to "the debt remaining to Convention between the condemn the

demagagical use of the term of "parpet-bagget," and other terms of represent applied to strangers who may come among as as designed to keep lifter the prejudices of the ignorant and deter immigration.

6. That while the Constitution submitted to the people is in some respects imported and objectionable, it is believed to the whole to prepose the main objected Constitution for truth and varacity in the neighborhood where he resides?—

Well, said the witness, "his reputation for teach is very good, but his reputation for teaching it would not be law.

This Convention therefore recommends the truthcaster of the same.

7. That the preservation of the unity and

A correspondent writing from Elizab town, Kentucky, mys: "We were po town, Kestucchy, mays: "We were pointed, by citizens, to a bare, standing near the depot, and told that its lugs were taken from the cabin in which President Lincoln was born. This is not improbable, but, whether it is true or not, it is well known that Mr. Lincoln was born in one of the cabins of Hardin county, and Elimbothtown is its capital."

to find his way out. His distress attracted another horse not for away so the bank, who first went to the water's edge and tried to direct to blind horse by seighing. Finding in this he took to the water, and swam out to his relief, and after awarming around him for nearly a quarter of an hour, he finally got the blind horse to inherstand in what direction the land lay, and the two horses came to shore side by side, amid the cheers of upward of one handred persons, who had become spectalors.

#### A Romantic Love Story.

The Count de St. Croig, belong-ing to one of the noblest and wealthiest families in France, bea duk, an earl and a lord.

A Radiuseran wants to immertalize beauty. Shorely after the happy after him. day was appointed which was to render two loving hearts one, the Count was ordered immediately to the siege of Sebastapol; so he girded on his sabre, and at the the head of his regiment marched to the battle tield. During the Count's absence it happened that his beautiful af fianced had the small pox; after hovering between life and death, she recovered, but found her beauty hopelessly lost. The disease had assumed in her case the most virulent character, and left her not only disfigured, but seamed and scarred to such a frightful extent that she became hideous to herself, and resolved to pass the remainder of her days in the strictest seclusion.

A year passed away, when the ount returned to France, and ac companied by his valet hastened to present himself at the residence of his betrothed, and solicited an interview. This was refused. He, how ever, with the persistance of a lover, pressed his suit, and finally the lady made her appearance, closely muttled in a veil. At the sound of her voice, the Count rushed forward to embrace her, but stepping aside she tremblingly told him the story The President tried hard to make a speech in Reaton, a few days ago, with the following result: "Every word was speech as though, like a swedlen cork, it had ing his hand above, he exclaimed: ing his hand above, he exclaimed: LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS.
"It is God's work! I am blind!"

It is even so. When gallantly

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leading his regiment to attack, a cannon ball passed so closely to his eyes that, while it left their expression unchanged, and his counte nance unmarked, it robbed him for ever of sight. It is almost unnecessary to add that their marriage was shortly after solemnized.

It is said that, at this day, may often be seen at the Emperor's re ception an officer leaning upon the arm of a lady closely veiled, and they seem to be attracted to the spot by their love of music.

## The Next Census.

One of the greatest difficulties encountered by the Congressional Census Committee in arranging a sys-tem for taking the next census is the effect upon the apportionment of re-presentation that will be exercised by the fifteenth amendment to the Constitution. If the amendment should not be ratified before the tation, as they are not permitted to The effect of this will be to vote. deprive these States of a portion of their present representative strength, while at the same time it will not diminish the representation of the Southern States, as those who are disfranchised in that section cannot be included in the apportionment.

AN AWPUL STORY .- There was once an awful little girl, who had an awful way of saying "awful" to everything. She lived in an awful house, in an awful street, in an awful villiage, which was an awful distance from every other awful place. She went to an awful school, where she had an awful teacher. who gave her awful lessons out of awful books. Every day she was so awful hungry that she ate an awful amount of food, so that she looked awful healthy. Her hat was se awful small and the feet so awful large. She went to an awful church and her minister was an awful preacher. When she took an awful walk she climbed awful hills, and when she got awful tired she sat down under an awful tree to rest herself. In summer she found the weather awful hot, and in winter awful cold. When it didn't rain, there was an awful drought, and when the awful drought was over, there was an awful rain. So that this awful girl was all the time in an awful state, and if she don't get over saying "awful" about everything I am afmid she will, by and by come to an awful end.

THE Waco Register says: Cotton is in bloom in this section and the prospect for the crop is generally considered good. There was a heavy fall of min on Monday and Monday night, which is regarded as fortunate for the growing corn.

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## FRIDAY, JULY 9, 1869. Republican State Ticket.

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FOR COMPTROLLER HON. J. FRANK CARTER, of Parker County.

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Rusk county.
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county.
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13th. P. W. Hall, Calvert, Robinson co. 14th. A. Siemering, San Antonio. 15th. H. C. Pedigo, Woodville, Tyler co.

JOHN W. McDONALD,

Honston, June 11th, 1869.

#### Why we have never had a Railrond.

A country endowed with a rich public domain possesses, in reality, one of the most powerful motors of blessed with patriotic and enlightened legislators, its prosperity must develop itself with giant strides.

When, by the articles of annexation Texas became a State in the Union, all the vast unoccupied territory within its limits was reserved as a public domain, for the purpose of paying therewith the debts which the State of Denmark. the Republic of Texas had contracted during the struggle for its Inde-

In view of the impossibility of disposing of its lands as fast as its way to a general corporation law, address, it might be well to warn creditors desired, the latter used the utmost diligence in procuring a better security than Texas offered, and through the lobby, the sooner will succeeded in making a bargain the atmosphere of the Capitol be between the United States and Texas, by which the former, undertook from the curse of fancy stock monoto pay 123 millions of gold dollars polists. for the doubtful claims Texas pretended to have upon the Territory After paying the creditors, Texas had still the sum of \$5,000,000 in its Treasury, and a public domain of that nineteen-twentieths of the sum of that the sum of \$5,000,000 in its Treasury, and a public domain of that nineteen-twentieths of the sum of that the sum of that the sum of the sum of the sum of secession, and Davis knew it. He knew that the sum of the sum of the sum of the sum of secession, and Davis knew it. He knew that the sum of the s

property should at once excite the cupidity of speculators, and many were the onslaughts made in the form of land grants to Emigration Societies, to Railroads, Turnpikes, Bridges and Canal Charters; our legislators , were, , however, , wise enough to enact, that two millions South."

We leave the public to find the answer, of money should be set apart for a and shall from time to time show up the record of this ambitions man, that all may record of this ambitions man, that all may land system should be regulated in such manner as to enable the State forever to provide for the scholastic of land, as a donation, and a mortgage loan of \$6,000 of the school after hold your peace. Physician and Surge, bud

might have been aided by govern ment loaus, and Texas would by this time be covered with a net work of roads, fully capable of supplying One slight mistake, however, was

committed. Our legislators were not careful enough to whom charters then in obtaining office, would be ponsible persons endowed with privileges, which have turned, out an the State Convention could hardly impediment to bona fide capitalists. be called "an office" and besides

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rated, which squandered our public district, which office he resigned and domain and did nothing towards the left the State, his home and his wife our city with a view of making ar domain and did nothing towards the left the State, his nome and his wife rangements by which the telegraph building of railroads. It must be and children to take service in the gires are to be structured from Waco confessed that our munificent land Union army during the darkest and grants did not build one mile of railroad, and that the school fund, grants and not build one on which one half million of interest remains unpaid, is far from being a safe investment. It is one of the lator clique, that they accuse those provements.

Nobody who is sane in mind will deny the beneficial influence of railroads, and thus no party advocates opposition against them; there is, however, a difference in lending State aid to a live company, and the squandering of public property to a set of irresponsible speculators, whose entire stock in an enterprise consists in the trouble they may have taken in lobbying a charter through a legislature.

As an illustration, we might quote the history of almost every railroad the situation, and will, before the now in existence in Texas; but it serves our purpose sufficiently to note the fact that the " Mexican Gulf San Antonio Railroad" was chartered above 16 years ago, that only 27 miles were completed, that 300,000 acres were donated to the same, that no locomotive is running on it, that the roling stock now in use are hand carts, which are provided with sails when the wind is fair, and that the entire assets are not worth the \$200,000 for which the road is indebted to the boudholders. Nevertheless, it is claimed that the shares are worth from 1 to 1 of a million, and to save these fancy from building the road, the consumers foot an annual bill of one and a double for the country at large, be-

## E. J. Davis.

its Treasury, and a public domain of about seventy millions of acres of the State were in favor of secoding, and therefore he could have had no hope of defeating secession by heing a member of a convention called to pass the Ordinance of Secession. But it is said that he was opposite.

If he had been successful then in obtaining office, would be have fied the country to obtain an office? Is it probable that the man who now can trample man bithe man who now can trample upon his past record in the hope of being Governor of Texas, would have given up an office to flee the country and fight against the

see what he deserves from the people.-Houston Telegraph.

The above article is full of mean insinuation and falsehood; and is population, without taxing the peo- but too illustrative of the craven, ple for the purpose. This did not unmanly spirit that marks the charexactly suit the views of the speculacter of the anti-Republican party lators, and another general law was of this state. We will furnish you passed authorizing the State an answer Mr. "Knight of the Golto issue to every mile of rail- dencircle", Mr. Confederate, which, if road completed, a land certificate of you belonged to that class of rebels sixteen square miles, or 10,240 acres who surrendered like men, you would consider sufficient and forever

It is true that Gen. Davis was It this law had been faithfully run in his district as the Union Canexecuted, 333 miles of railroad didate for the State Convention, in 1861 but he was beaten beenuse he was a unionist You ask what "he would have done, had he been elected." His career since that time proves that he would have remained firm to the Union cause. you ask, "if he had been successful were granted, and thus we see irres have fled the country to obtain an office ?" The position of delegate to the State Convention could hardly A system of lobby corruption and Gen. Davis then held the office of for five years in the penitentiary.

most uncertain period of the war.
He sparred in "office" under the
traitor Government and won his
stars ighting at the canon's morth
e in the cause of the Union. Had such characteristies of this fancy specu men as edit the Telegraph a spark of generous manhood left, they who are bold enough to expose their would not stoop to slurs upon the assaults on the public property, as fame of a gallant soldier and patriot, being opponents of Internal Im however much he may differ with them politically."

> -1144 MR. CAMP'S CIRCULAR .- We ac knowledge the receipt of a circular ssued by Hon. L. B. Camp, dated St. Mary's, Texas June 20th 1869. Mr. Camp is a candidate on his own hook for Land Commissioner. Mr. 9 7-69dlw. Camp having been ruledgoff of the People's Ticket" and not submitting his name to or asking in any shape the nomination at the hands of the Republican party, can be said to be entirery "Independent." We are sure Mr. Camp is not posted on efection, withdraw in favor of the regular Republican nominee. We can hardly spare Mr. Camp from our next Legislative councils, and the people in his section should insist upon his giving them his valuable services in that direction. We feel sure Camp will see with us the necessity of every Republican sinking necessity of every Republican sinking a lin County of Beat. hearty support to the party.

#### Note from Austin.

AUSTIN, June 28, 1869.

I did not receive the Express of last week, which was a disappointshares, one extension after the other ment, the more so as I longed to is lobbied through our lagislatures; see, whether and how the tone of the prosperity, and if such country is bona fide capitalists are prevented paper had changed. Had the change of editorship not taken place, I would not have taken pains to complain half millions of dollars for uselessly about the non-receipt of your paper, expended freight, which counts as the last numbers of the same had made a very disagreeable impression cause the expended labor might be upon me. I am inclined to believe otherwise usefully employed. It is that the last number of your paper, evident that something is rotten in addressed to me has been pocketed by one of the priviledged friends of The system introduced with so the Postmaster belonging to the much pomp by the Paschals, and Haynes party, should my suspicion still upheld by Hamilton, has proved have foundation, that is should you a failure, and the sooner it gives have forwarded the Express to my which opens the door to enterprise, certain officials against breaking the

grounds for his suspicions, and the Baltimore, Md. Postmaster at Austin would do well uot to feel so secure in his place as to allow our papers to be vandalized party handle its mail matter with unbridled freedom. Such at least was the charge made by a gentleman of veracity before Postmaster ed to secession grant it, and then consider man of veracity before Postmaster what he would have done had he been General Cresswell. A radical change elected? is needed at Austin.

# TEXAS ITEMS.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.-A week or so ago Rev. Henry Jennings, colored, went from his place to Ty ler, Smith county, and on his return he was overtaken in a thunder storm. He was on horseback, and had a lead horse tied to the tail of the horse he was riding. His horse became frightened and he alighted and held him by the bridle bit. While down, a tree near him was riven by lightning, and himself and horse prestrated on the ground. When he recovered consciousness his own and the horse's head were together, the horse was cold and stiff in death. The lead horse was uninjured. Jennings had a silver watch melted in his pocket.

This is one of the most miraculous escapes we ever knew of.-Crokett Sentinel, June 8th.

WE copy the following from the

Waco Register: Jake Wilson, found guilty of murder in the first degree at last term. appealed to the Sapreme Court, judgment, was sentenced to be hanged between the hours prescrib ed by law, on the 30th of July next. The prisoner made no manifestations either of penitence or fear, but received his sentence with a look of

defiance worthy of a martyr. WARNER BROWN was sentenced for five years in the State peniten-tiary. This makes ten years in all for Warner.

NEILL HINES was also senten fancy stock speculation was inaugu. District Judge of the Rio Grande TELEGRAPH LINE TO THE RAIL- 15-6-4502w)

yesterday.

sowed on aght acres of ground, five bushels of Illinois white which it is estimated will from twenty-five to thirty bushels to the acre, this year, good weight. The core and cotton are unusually promising in the neigh-borhood of Milford.

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John Weber, deceased, having filed his final account and statement as such Eprestor, in the Hon. County Court for the settlement of estates, &c., of said county, and applied for audition and hillowance and for

You are hereby toutified to be and appear at the July term, 1869, of aid court, to be holden at the Court; house of said county. icts day of said month, to show or any you can wive said account should not be undited and allowed and said Executor discharged as prayed for and to do and suf-

fee such other things as the Court may then
fer such other things as the Court may then
mut there order and decree in the premises.
Wirkness, Peyron Smythe, County Clerk of
said County and Seal of said
SEAL County Court, at office in San
Antonio, this 5th day of Jul. A D. 1869. PEYTON SMYTHE, C. C. B. Co.

By H. MacCornack, Dep't.

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## CANDIDATES

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We are authorized to announce the name Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, at the coming election.

We are authorized to someonee Col. L. B. CAMP, of Bolugia county, as a candidate for Commissioner of the General Land Office, at the next election.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. EIGENDORFF, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Pesce, Precinct No. 1. Bexarcounty, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to amounce the name of ROBERT D. RUENS, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Bexar doubty, at the ensuing plection. We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES N. FISK, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bexar county, at the en-

We are authorized to announce the name of H. MaCOHMAC; as a condidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Haxar county, at the ensuing election.

WE are authorized to amounce the name of R. J. TEEL, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court for Rexar county, under the proposed new Constitution, at the coming election. No TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.—Our tele-

graph line seems to be under blockade;

we hope by next issue to give intelligence

from the inside world. ----Houses Down,-Eighteen houses are reperted to have fallen down under the cent heavy rain; they were built of soft stone or adobe.

Bananas.-In many of the gardens of out city we notice most inxuriant growths of Banana plants; the season during the last year has been very favorable for this tropical growth, and a full crop of fruit may be expected this rear.

CLEARED TWAY: - The role storm which began on the night of the 2nd inst., cleared away on Thursday morning; the ban came out very bright and rather warm. It is hoped we shall have a spell of dry days, to give a chance for our streets to dry and our citizens to air their houses bruss. Medicines, chemiques

GRAPES. - A great many grape vines have been planted in and about our city fluring the last few years, and this season they are proving that we have just the country to grow the grape to perfection. One variety which seems to flourish best is knewn as the "Black, Spanish"—a foreign grape in-troduced by Mr. Marwick. The vines are loaded and the mamoth bunches surprise people who have been accustomed to see grapes grow all their lives.

BLUM STREET.—Blum street, leading by the southern wing of the Menger Hotel, used to be a perfect horror in the way of mud; the present city administration have macademised this street by first putting down a foundation of hard lime stone and then putting Player of gravel, which has proved a most excellent poving, the street

THE MAYOR TO THE RESCUE A huge trunk of a tree floated down the river and became jammed between the wheel of became jammed between the wheel of Lewis' mill and the feet bridge, and the force of the stream was gradually pushing the bridge from the abutments; the atrob tion of Mayor Thielepape was directed to the spot, where he instantly, by the aid of three or four workmen, extricated the tree and put the hirthre in placer. So much for prompt action.

Normes.—A regular meeting of the AgriHams Books, Suesas, Functions, and severy
description of Morchandise, promptly atcultural, Stock-Raising and Industrial Association of Western Texas will be held at the Commercial Club Room, on Wednesday evening the 16th at early omide-light.

Members are extracelly requested to attend, 19.5 592. and all favorable are invited to be present. S. Sampson 1 110 S. Secretary.

LIEBROS BEEF EXTRACT.—We learn that the Company startest in this city during O. Vivronx lock smith shop, on Paro street, last fall for the purpose of putting up an P. MAUREAUX. last fall for the purpose of putting up an extensive metallishment for the manufacture of "Liebigs Beef Extraot," are about making an arrangement to consolidate making an arrangement to consolidate with an enterprising Company now in operation on the Calente Should with arrangement be effected, a large manufact tory will be put up in the vicioity of this city. This will furnish another and very beef to market. Besides these mannington, are making the Extract, and their actiole is should in market both here and ween the many ingenious ways to secure in the east. We have no doubt but betour beef to commerce the price of beef will rise; so our cattle nies had better

look well to their heeds. WAST WOULD RELIEVE OUR RIVER. We believe that in all plans for the prevention of overflows from our river we should beginner work or lines and grashould be used well avance and gradually ascend until we have reached the source of the danger. It requires no scientific observation to know that if every ob-

onner the sine from the city is its heal, at least three feet of rise could be guarded against by this cleaning out, and three feet Would put us on the safe side. Besider the extra safety this cleaning out would be certain to insure us, there is no doubt but the former purity and brilliant slearness of the river water would be restored, ness of the river water would be restored, and an additional security with the fiver has been thoroughly relieved a subject, the ditches can be put in condition to carry off more water, and additional swigating canals opened, which would some a subty valves, and at the same time belief into use large tracts of our valley which are not settled for want of water. A ditch taken out on the east side of the river to skirt the foot of the hills and to be carried far below the city, would be a great means of building up the most desirable site for the extension of our mourts, and would certainly be an additional security against extraors. Wherever the motory is ready to begin the work to prevent overflows. we hope the question will be seriously disand let us see if we cannot kill more than two birds with one stone, intend of throwing \$20,000 into a dry creek.

ANNUAL FALL OF RAIN AT DEPENDENT PLACES.-To obtain the mean fall of rain at any place, requires observations continued for a considerable number of years, for it not unfrequently happens that the rain of one year is double that of some other year at the same place. The following table shows approximately the average annual fall of rain for different parts the United States:

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which are habitually, and others occasionally deinged with rain. On the southern slope of the Himalaya mountain, (Asia) at the height of 4500 reet, in latitude 25 there have been registered in a single year 610 mehes of rain, and of this 147 inches fell in the month of June. At a station in latitude 18, near the

western coast of Hindostan, the average fall for fifteen years has been 254 inches. In the north-western part of England, at the height of 1300 feet, the average annual fall of rain is 146 inches, while at London the annual fall is only 20 inches. At Vera Cruz, the annual fall is 183 inches, and 60 inches have been recorded in a single

John C. Breckinridge while at Milwaukee Wisconsin the other day in speaking about the country is reported as follows:

"Mr Breckinridge does not believe we shall be dragged into a foreign war, although he felt the position of the country to be a delicate one, He thought we should have our diguity ruffled pretty hard before we got up to the fighting pitch, but said, if we had a war with England and France, the South would farnish men enough, if necessary, to do the fight-ing. The South did not entertain

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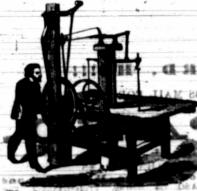
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