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SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.

HAVANA, Aug. 10.

Gen. Lewes is here sick.

A convoy of provisions reached Los Tu-

nos, relieving the starving garrison. The

troops surprised and killed 40 insurgents

near Los Angeles.

MADRID, Aug. 10.

The newspaper Imparcial says twenty

thousand men will be sent to Cuba in Sep-

tember.

Several Carlist agents were arrested last

night. The Carlist chieftain, Bascones-

ga, after a desperate resistance, was cap-

tured, court-martialed and shot.

The bishops have taken no notice of the

ministerial manifesto.

Several priests who led Carlist bands

have been defeated; death promptly fol-

lows capture.

NIAGARA FALLS, August 10.

Cuban General Ryan unmercifully horse-

whipped a spy who brought him a letter

permitting him to return to New York.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.

Senator Fowler thinks Johnson will not

come to the Senate.

General Jordan, now commanding in Cu-

ba, according to the third auditor's book,

owes the government \$22,000.

Knowing persons confidently express the

recognition of the Cubans as belligerents

within a week.

The President has arrived.

The cabinet is in session, Hoar and Bout-

well absent—are represented by Field and

Richardson.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.

The steamer Germania bound hence on

the 3d for Hamburg, was totally lost off

Cape Race; the crew and passengers are

certainly saved, and the mails and specie

probably recovered.

Arrived, the Java. The first bale of New

cotton from Texas sold for 50 cents; the

second goes to Liverpool to compete for

the premium for the first bale arriving in

England.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.

The cabinet continued in session three

hours. Three of the usually most com-

municative secretaries were visited, but all

withheld any information beyond that sever-

al removals and appointments were deter-

mined upon, and a vast amount of accu-

niated business disposed of.

Grant departs to-morrow after receiving

the Mexican minister.

Cabinet reassembles on the 20th.

Robinson departed on an inspection tour

to be absent two weeks.

Revenue \$375,000.

Admiral Dahlgren assumed command of

the navy yard.

James B. Wilson appointed assistant as-

sessor of the 10th district.

The President appointed M. G. Griffith

postmaster at Fredericksburg, Va.

Commodore M. Smith acts during Rob-

inson's absence.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.

Earnings of the Central Pacific Railroad

for the month of July, was over half a mil-

lion dollars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.

The Daily Express.

Official Journal of the United States

Official Journal of Bexar County and City of San Antonio

A. Siemering & Co., Publishers.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 1869.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR,
GENERAL EDMUND J. DAVIS,
of Nueces County.

FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR,
HON. J. W. FLANAGAN,
of Rusk County.

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

FOR COMMISSIONER OF THE LAND OFFICE,
HON. JACOB KUECHLER,
of Bexar County.

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A. B. HALL, Treasurer, Houston.

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2nd.
3rd. G. T. Ruby, of Galveston.
4th. A. Siemering, of Bexar.
5th. A. Bledsoe, of Dallas.
6th. J. W. Flanagan, of Rusk.
7th. F. W. Sumner, of Grayson.
8th. G. T. Garland, of Johnson.
9th. G. H. Slaughter, of Smith.
10th. W. M. Varnell, of Victoria.
11th. Judge W. P. Bacon, of El Paso.
12th. Judge C. C. Cruse, of Cameron.
13th. P. W. Hall, Calvert, of Robison.
14th. John McClane, of Nueces.
15th.
16th.
17th. N. Patton, of McLennan.

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Our Bleeding Frontier.

While lawlessness and crime are prevalent in the interior, our frontier is suffering from the frequent raids of murderous, thieving bands of Indians. Within the past few months, thousands of horses have been taken off by these Indians, and several white people killed. The depredations have extended along the whole line of the frontier, from Jack county to Uvalde. The recent depredations upon the Llano and along the El Paso road are characterized by a boldness and audacity never displayed by Indians before. The neglect or apparent apathy of the government towards our frontier, is very extraordinary, there must be a screw loose somewhere. Great efforts are put forth to quell the Indians along the Pacific railroad, and upon the arid wastes of the northwest, but the Texas frontier, a country, fertile and beautiful, affording a paradise home for man, is left a prey to the savage. Our frontier settlers are continually on the alarm and the insecurity of life and property prevents the best part of Texas from being settled up.

The force on the frontier is insufficient, and but barely serves to carry on the routine of camp life, and to escort travelers along the El Paso route. We have heard of military men who affect to believe that there are no Indians on the frontier, and that the depredations are committed by white men and that the frontier people make a good deal of fuss over trifles, and it may be that the Department at Washington are laboring under the same delusion.

Certain reforms must take place in our frontier defense, before we can have security. The Quaker policy might be tried, but we think the Indians of the Texas frontier are so independent a set of roving devils they must first be made to feel the power of the government. The cavalry force must be doubled on the frontier, and a fine body of men can be raised in Western Texas for the service; a military telegraph must be erected around the frontier

and along the El Paso route, binding the forts together, and a little vigor displayed in pursuing the Indians, will terminate our Indian trouble. The pioneers of Western Texas are a loyal people, and they deserve the best protection the government can afford; they are entitled to such protection, and there is no reason why active and efficient measures should not be inaugurated immediately, to give peace to our frontier.

THE HORSEBACK ORATOR.—The gallant General Gregory, who tramped over Texas after the surrender and made speeches on horseback to the people, proclaiming Lincoln's emancipation and counselling the liberated slaves, we are assured, will be among the patriotic men who will visit our State during the Fall to urge the claims of the Republican party.

BLOODY WORK.—We learn that some bloody work has been going on in Goliad and adjoining counties, that several bands of citizens are out making short work of all the hard cases; sixteen men have been killed who are known to be of the desperate class. The country is still in a state of excitement and the job is not finished. We hope to hear something authentic from the seat of war.

A Delicate way of Putting It.

A CARPET-BAGGER HUNG BY HIS COLORED BRETHREN.—We are reliably informed that a white-skin teacher of a negro school, was hung in Tarrant county last week, by a colored mob, for procuring a license to marry one of the pupils. His license was tacked to the trunk of the tree on which he was hung, as a warning to the rest of the whites.

It seems the negroes apprehended that if miscegenation was not checked, the whites would soon get all the best-looking wenches.—Democrat Monitor, July 17th.

This case should be investigated. The only party interested in preventing white men from marrying colored women, are the chivalry; they desire to keep up the old practices and the example of legalizing the intercourse between the colors would be disastrous to their programme. If the man was hung, it was done by the Ku Klux, and the murder charged upon the colored people, upon the most improbable grounds.

The Exiles in Brazil.

Soon after the full efforts of the victory of the Union arms began to dawn upon the Southern people, and the Johnsonian policy led them to believe themselves persecuted individuals, quite a fever was gotten up to emigrate to some more congenial clime. Brazil was thought to be just the land for the high toned southerner. Several of these self imposed exiles have returned in poverty and distress, and those left behind appeal to their friends to aid them to return to their former homes. An exchange remarks:

It seems that the emigrants are thoroughly disgusted with Brazil, and only anxious to return to their native homes in the United States, which, even with negro suffrage and all the other monstrosities of reconstruction, they evidently regard as little less than Paradise. But they have lost all they took with them, and in the depths of their poverty and anguish they now send a pitiful appeal for help to get back to their native land. We certainly pity them, and hope that their friends in Mississippi will not turn a deaf ear to the cry of their old neighbors.

And we agree with the writer of the Gazette, who severely censures those who used their influence to get those persons to remove to Brazil. We recollect reading a volume written by some hair-brained fanatic, a clergyman, we believe, in which Brazil was eulogized as the only fit home for Southern whites, where they might find relief from their abominations and tyrannies of Radical rule. Indeed almost any country was preferable to a land cursed with negro citizens. Such was the miserable twaddle which induced many individuals and families to abandon their native country in a faulst diagnosis, and seek a new home in Mexico, Honduras and Brazil. They are now finding how terrible a mistake they made, under the mad delusions of the hour.

In alluding to Andy Johnson's policy,—the same paper says:

Meanwhile some crazy-headed persons declared they would have

nothing to do with such a Government as was represented by Congress and the Republicans. They had a country once, but never should again. Some of these refused to take any part in the affairs of Government. Others became exiles and in many cases, we doubt not, they really left their country for their country's good."

Brazoria County.

Brazoria County was recently reported unanimous for Jack Hamilton, we now have an account of a mass meeting held in Brazoria, which was addressed by Hon. G. T. Ruby, at which Andrew J. MacCormick or "little Jack" as he is familiarly called, attempted speak but the Republicans would not listen to him. The county is put down as safe for Gen. Davis by a large majority. The following resolutions were adopted as the sense of the meeting:

WHEREAS, We, the Republicans of Brazoria county, in mass meeting assembled, feel grateful to the administration and general government of our country, and the great party of freedom and reform, which has done so much for the salvation of the nation are desirous of reconstructing Texas on the sound loyal basis, therefore be it

Resolved, 1st. That we recognise in General E. J. Davis, the gallant soldier, hero and statesman, and the ticket which was put in nomination, at the Houston convention of June 7th, as the regular nominees of the Republican party of the State of Texas, and we are determined to work earnestly, zealously in its support, pledging an undivided vote in this county for his election.

2. That we utterly repudiate the policy and measures of the Andy Johnson of Texas—A. J. Hamilton and his adherents, and will forever regard them as renegades and apostates to all principles dear to us as loyal citizens.

3. That, regarding the efforts of the leaders of the Hamilton movement in this county, subversive of the best interest of the people, as productive of the overthrow of the Republican institutions among us, and as deserving of the merited indignation and contempt of all honest, law-abiding and patriotic citizens, we pronounce A. P. McCormick and his coterie as having, by fraud and deception, imposed upon the trusting and true Republicans of Brazoria county, as no longer (if they ever were) Republicans, not of us or with us, but as apostates from our party, unworthy of the confidence and esteem of our citizens and Republicans.

PARAGRAPHS.

It was stated in a "Spiritual" lecture lately delivered in Newington, Pa., that a communication had recently been received from the late Mr. N. P. Willis, averring "that everything that had ever lived lives on, even down to canary birds." But why stop at "canary birds"? Why not include fleas? And speaking of fleas, why not include the Democratic Party? That undoubtedly once lived here; it is equally true that it lives here no longer; does it live there, wherever "there" may be? Does it there, in sweet communion with the loved dwellers in the heavenly land, exercise "medimistic" powers, hold the psychological caucus, and cast the shadowy ballot for its ghostly candidate? Why not? Was it not once more than many canary birds?

THE health of the King William of Prussia is visible declining. Hence the situation of the courageous Count Bismarck is peculiar. Disliked by the Prussian heir-apparent and his wife, distrusted by many Liberals, himself a willful Conservative with Liberal tendencies thwarted by an old King, his future in relation to the prospect of a new King in Prussia is problematic. His present retirement from affairs is perhaps strategical.

JAPAN has now taken a jump upward into a high state of civilization. She has paper money of forced circulation, just like our greenbacks. We have seen it gravely argued that paper money is the mark of civilization, and gold and silver money is a relic of barbarism. Japan is now civilized, for she has legal tender paper money, and she will soon have no gold; for where one is the other takes flight. Thus she is far ahead of China, which never had any paper money, and which consequently draws gold and silver constantly from the western world.

THE younger Grants are thus spoken of by a Long Branch letter-writer: "At the hop in the Stetson House parlor on Thursday evening, his son and daughter joined in the pleasure of the hour. The son is handsomer than the father, yet so strikingly like him in the face that I knew who the lad was as soon as I saw him—and I was not on the lookout for him either. The daughter

MARKET MANIFEST.

Accordions first-class Vienna, Bronze Lamp. Just received and for sale by F. SIMON.

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NOTICE.

During my absence Mr. Hugo Klocke is my authorized agent; also for the firm of Wulff & Schreig.

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We are authorized to announce the name of W. M. VARNELL, of Texas, a candidate for the Fourth Congressional District.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS H. STRIBLING, as a candidate for Congress, from the 4th Congressional District.

We are authorized to announce A. O. COOLEY, of Gillespie county, as a candidate for Commissioner of the General Land Office, at the next election. Subject to the action of a full Republican State Convention of Texas.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT STOWE, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4.

We are authorized to announce the name of PEYTON SMYTHE, as a candidate for Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, at the coming election.

We are authorized to announce Col. L. B. CAMP, of Refugio 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 Peace, Precinct No. 1, Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ROBERT D. BURNS, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES N. FISK, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. McCORMAC, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of R. J. TEEL, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, under the proposed new Constitution, at the coming election.

DOG LICENSES.—Seven hundred and thirty-one dog licenses had been taken out up to August 11th.

THE CAMP MEETING.—We learn that the Camp Meeting held by the colored people near the Chibolo, was well attended and passed off happily.

The Herald thinks the foot bridge an impediment. The people don't think so, and any one with half an eye can see the Herald is disposed to "stirrish the blankets," whenever it speaks of Mayor Thielepape.

STILL TOO SHORT.—The Herald having completely sold out about the bridge being two feet too short, now tries to throw dirt in people's eyes by swearing that the river is too narrow.

POLICE.—From the 7th to the 12th instant nine arrests were made; to wit: For fighting 1; drunkenness 3; defiling the waters of the river 1; violating hack ordinance 1; violating market ordinance 1; interference with the pound master 1; and 1 for being dressed in disguise.

CAN APPLES BE GROWN IN TEXAS?—We have been presented an apple grown upon the premises of Mr. Martin Campbell, in this city, which measures over nine inches in circumference, and is a beautiful specimen of a pippin. This is the first year the tree has borne fruit, being the fourth from the time the cutting was planted. Other persons besides Mr. Campbell have apples this season; so let us hear no more of the cry that Texas won't grow apples if a dozen apples can be raised, a thousand can, and if a thousand, enough can be produced to supply the home market and to ship abroad.

THEY TELEGRAPHED.—The Herald men had boasted of the removal of Mayor Thielepape and some of the aldermen, that the whole concern got feverish over the matter, and they sent two telegraphic dispatches to Austin, enquiring if the city officials had been removed; each time they were answered "no." A milder-mannered set of piffers never scuttled ship or cut a throat than this Herald crew. They howled for joy over President Lincoln's assassination; they were as weak as whipped puppies after the surrender, and when they found out they would not be hurt, began to slander and abuse the officers of the Union army, and to assume the control of affairs; and, now, they would dictate to our military commander whom he should remove from office and who should fill the vacancies. They are dippit with the word "radical" and have the coolness to call themselves "Conservative Republicans." Theirs is so full of such Republicans that their legs are sticking out of the windows.

PERSONAL.—Lieut. Armstrong of the 9th Cavalry arrived in our city on Tuesday morning, from Fort Stockton, en route for the East on leave of absence. While on his way down he was attacked by Indians this side of Central station, on the 27th of July. The Indians made the attack in the afternoon and succeeded in stampeding his animals; his escort consisted of seven men, who acted with great bravery, although surrounded by a large body of Indians, who made repeated charges upon them. None of the Lieutenant's party were hurt, while it is certain one of the Indians was unhorsed. The Indians had a large drove of stock with them, including a wagon, and from the signs, it seemed that the whole tribe were on the move, women and children. This same party of Indians remained for over a week in the vicinity of the Concho, committing several depredations. They chased a Sergeant into camp and attacked one of the stage stations. The Lieutenant marched his force back to Central Station and procur-

ing other animals, again resumed his journey.

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Fort Concho, Fort Davis,
Fort Duncan, Fort Griffin,
Fort McRaven, Fort Quitman,
Stockton, Richardson.**

Of such quantities of

BACON (clear sides,) **FLOUR, BEANS,
SOAP, POTATOES, ONIONS and SALT,** as may be required by the Acting Commissary of Subsistence, from January 1st, 1870, to December 31st, 1870, or such dates as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

The **FLOUR** must be choice, extra, new-ground, and in strong double sacks of 100 pounds each, or in strong barrels of standard weight, head-lined.

BACON must be new smoked, sound and sweet.

BEANS must be of strictly prime quality, of uniform size, of the newest crop, clear, sound and dry, and in strong sacks or barrels.

SALT must be clear, dry and fine, and in strong sacks.

SOAP must be hard and dry, and of full weight, free from all adulterations and of offensive smells, and packed in strong boxes of equal weights.

POTATOES and ONIONS must be of the best keeping qualities.

Samples of Flour Beans, Soap, and Salt, in strong boxes, should accompany the bids and be referred to therein.

The contractors will be required to deliver such articles as they may contract to deliver, in such quantities and at such times as the Acting Commissary of Subsistence may direct, upon being served with thirty (30) days notice at their place of residence.

Should the contractor fail to deliver, after such due notice, such quantities as may be required or shall deliver stores of inferior quality, then the Acting Commissary shall have power to purchase, at the expense of the contractors, such quantities as he may elect; or the undersigned may direct the shipment, from any depot, of such quantities as he may elect, and the cost of the stores, including transportation to the post where required, shall be charged to the contractor.

All articles will be carefully inspected on the part of the United States, and a certificate of inspection must be attached to each contract prior to its payment.

Payments will be made by the undersigned for such stores as may be delivered from time to time, on the proper re-ceipts at the Acting Commissary of Subsistence, who receives the stores, but one-tenth of the amount of payment on each delivery will be withheld until the contract is completed.

Each bid to have consideration must be accompanied by a written guarantee of two responsible persons (not bidders) in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) to the effect that if the bid is accepted, he will, within twenty days after the award, enter into good and sufficient bonds (with two sureties) to such an amount as the undersigned may require for the proper performance of his contract.

This should be made separately for each Post, and enclosed in an envelope endorsed, "Proposals for Subsistence Supplies at Fort [REDACTED]" and addressed to the undersigned at Austin, Texas.

Each copy of such proposal must have a copy of this advertisement (a slip from a newspaper) pasted at its back.

Bidders are requested to insert in their proposals the place of residence to which communications shall be addressed, if a contract is awarded.

Bidders are invited to be present at the opening of their bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids offered, if such a course should be deemed for the interest of the Government.

Blank forms for Proposals and Guarantees can be obtained by application to this office, or to the A. C. S. at any of the Posts named.

Further information can be obtained upon application by mail, or in person, at this office.

By order of J. H. KAMPMANN,
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Of such quantities of

BACON (clear sides,) **FLOUR, BEANS,
SOAP, POTATOES, ONIONS and SALT,** as may be required by the Acting Commissary of Subsistence, from January 1st, 1870, to December 31st, 1870, or such dates as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

The **FLOUR** must be choice, extra, new-ground, and in strong double sacks of 100 pounds each, or in strong barrels of standard weight, head-lined.

BACON must be new smoked, sound and sweet.

BEANS must be of strictly prime quality, of uniform size, of the newest crop, clear, sound and dry, and in strong sacks or barrels.

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Samples of Flour Beans, Soap, and Salt, in strong boxes, should accompany the bids and be referred to therein.

The contractors will be required to deliver such articles as they may contract to deliver, in such quantities and at such times as the Acting Commissary of Subsistence may direct, upon being served with thirty (30) days notice at their place of residence.

Should the contractor fail to deliver, after such due notice, such quantities as may be required or shall deliver stores of inferior quality, then the Acting Commissary shall have power to purchase, at the expense of the contractors, such quantities as he may elect; or the undersigned may direct the shipment, from any depot, of such quantities as he may elect, and the cost of the stores, including transportation to the post where required, shall be charged to the contractor.

All articles will be carefully inspected on the part of the United States, and a certificate of inspection must be attached to each contract prior to its payment.

Payments will be made by the undersigned for such stores as may be delivered from time to time, on the proper re-ceipts at the Acting Commissary of Subsistence, who receives the stores, but one-tenth of the amount of payment on each delivery will be withheld until the contract is completed.

Each bid to have consideration must be accompanied by a written guarantee of two responsible persons (not bidders) in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) to the effect that if the bid is accepted, he will, within twenty days after the award, enter into good and sufficient bonds (with two sureties) to such an amount as the undersigned may require for the proper performance of his contract.

This should be made separately for each Post, and enclosed in an envelope endorsed, "Proposals for Subsistence Supplies at Fort [REDACTED]" and addressed to the undersigned at Austin, Texas.

Each copy of such proposal must have a copy of this advertisement (a slip from a newspaper) pasted at its back.

Bidders are requested to insert in their proposals the place of residence to which communications shall be addressed, if a contract is awarded.

Bidders are invited to be present at the opening of their bids.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids offered, if such a course should be deemed for the interest of the Government.

Blank forms for Proposals and Guarantees can be obtained by application to this office, or to the A. C. S. at any of the Posts named.

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Platform of the Republican party of Texas.

Resolved, In This, the Republican party of Texas heartily accepts the conditions of reconstruction entailed in the several reconstruction acts of Congress, and will in the future, as heretofore, fully sustain the same in word and spirit.

2. That the amendments to the Constitution of the United States, above of the 13th and 14th Amendments, are necessary to the protection of the country and the security of the equal civil and political rights of all citizens of the people. The Republican party therefore pledges itself to the prompt adoption of those amendments.

3. That the resolutions adopted by the Chicago Convention of May 20th 1865, where recited by the proposed 13th amendment, are accepted by the Republicans of Texas as the embodiment of correct principles of public policy. That the Republic of Texas especially, concurring the spirit of the additional resolution adopted in that convention of the instance of Hon. Carl Schurz; and we will cheerfully accept the assistance of such of our fellow citizens as served in the late rebellion, but who now frankly and honestly co-operate with us in restoring the peace of the country, and reconstructing our State Government on the basis of impartial justice and equal rights.

4. That the members of the right mounted in protection of the laws of the Union to the extent of their ability in our opinion the most effective weapon we can, and the publicists of Texas will continue all attempts to avoid at any hazard the payment of this debt according to the intent of the creators of the same.

5. That the Democratic party of Texas sincerely desires the encouragement of internal improvement and colonization, and will as a party, give the Government of opportunity having these ends in view. That in favor of no heretic, we condemn the demagogic use of the term of "Confederate," and other terms of reproach applied to strangers who may come among us, as designed to kill, alive the prejudices of the ignorant and deter immigration.

6. That while the Constitution submitted to the people is in some respects defective and objectionable, it is believed on the whole to propose known objects of Constitutional Government viz.: The equal, civil and political rights of all persons under the law. This Constitution therefore recommends the ratification of the same.

7. That the preservation of the unity and the organization of the Republican party is essential to the subsistence of reconstruction in this State, and that before what is to effect this reconstruction, a great work has yet to be performed. They therefore warn the loyal people of Texas that opposition to the organization of the Republican party, is the most effective way to postpone the date of the independence of the State.

8. That the Republicans of Texas heartily express unqualified confidence in the administrative abilities, and integrity of the honor of one of our Governmental President Grant, and in the patriotism and wisdom of the majority in Congress.

P. W. Hall of Galveston, offered the following independent resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the commanding General of this army, Major Genl. J. A. M. Reynolds, deserves the approval of the loyal people of the United States, for his activity in destroying and stamping to justice the murderers of the patriot Genl. W. Smith, and for the measures he has adopted for the security of life and property and the establishment of peace.

Johnson, head of Galveston, offered the following, and moved that it be added to the resolutions, and be known as resolution No. 9.

Resolved, That to this end we earnestly invite the co-operation and support of all good citizens, advanced of science, law and virtue, and who believe in the principles of the party of union, progress, liberty and reform, which has done so much for the pacification and well being of this country. This resolution adopted.

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