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Proposals for Army Transportation.
HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of Texas, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Austin, Texas, August 12, 1869.
Sealed Proposals.
In duplicate, will be received at this office, until 12 M., on MONDAY, the Twentieth day of September, 1869, for the Transportation of Army Supplies from the First day of October, 1869, until the Thirtieth day of September, 1870, on Route No. 11.

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TELEGRAPHIC

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.
Fenian arms and ammunition are being used by Cubans.
The funeral of Rawlins takes place Thursday. Departments, except for necessary business, will remain closed till Friday.
Governor Walker, with prominent Virginians will be present. Troops will be called from adjacent posts to assist.

HAVANA, Sept. 7.
Foreigners, mostly Germans, are enlisting in reserve.
A battalion of 800 insurgents surprised and captured 500 volunteers near Puerto Principe, reinforcements were sent, when the Cubans declined battle.
On August 16th, the insurgent's army, one thousand strong, commanded by Quesada, President Cespeda being present, attacked Las Tunas, 250 Cubans were killed. The garrison consisting of 450 lost 100 killed. Fight lasted nine hours.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.
Private correspondence between Revenue officials and members of Congress, it is said forebodes extra increase of the whiskey tax.
The Treasury department superintendent orders, as a mark of respect to the Hon. John A. Rawlins, deceased, late Secretary of War, that the Custom house will be closed, the works under the control of this Department will be suspended and the flags kept at half mast during the 9th inst., the day on which the obsequies of the deceased will be solemnized.
William A. Richardson, is acting as Secretary.

PARIS, Sept. 7.
Journal official contradicts the alarming rumors of the Emperor's health, saying that he has suffered some from rheumatism, but at no time has his condition been such as to cause the least anxiety.
LONDON, September 7.
Alexandria despatches reports the cotton crop in the interior of Egypt excellent, both in quality and quantity.

MADRID, Sept. 7.
Troops defeated thirty Carlists under Estarico, near Genya, Estarico escaped. This is the last Carlist band known to be in Spanish soil.
RICHMOND, Sept. 7.
Sam Collier, of Baltimore, to-day accepted the challenge of Doherty of this city, for a prize fight to take place in Virginia.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.
Fractional currency will hereafter be issued at the rate of quarter million daily, until pressing wants are supplied.

MARKETS.
New York Market.
NEW YORK, Sept. 7.
Cottons lower, sales 500 bales at 34 1/2. Gold 136 1/2.

New Orleans Market.
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.
Cotton sales 385 bales; middling 31 1/2 to 32; receipts 1158. Gold 134 1/2.

Foreign Market.
LIVERPOOL, Sept. 7.
Cotton Uplands 13 1/2; Orleans 13 1/2 to 13 3/4; sales 5000 bales for speculation and export.

PARAGUAYS.
WHEN we base life upon utility, we put it upon a safe basis, and one that will bear happiness.
LIFE appears short, yet when we trace it back, step by step, through all the labyrinth, it is a long life after all.

WHEN the mind is inspired, beautiful thoughts glide into the vision, like stars into the field of telescope.
WE are happier when we are happy unexpectedly—and that is the way happiness comes. To seek after it is to seek after a phantom.

It is well enough to favor maxims of honesty, and this is pretty generally done; but it is much better to practice honesty itself—and this is not generally done—and the more is the wonder, as it is, as the maxim itself sets forth the best policy. The truth is, we are in the snare of vice, and therefore we do not favor virtue, which has a cold forbidding aspect to those who are in the glittering net of the false siren.

WORK is healthy; you can hardly put more upon a man than he can bear. Worry is but rust upon the blade. It is not the revolution that

destroys the machinery, but the friction. Fear secretes acids; but love and trust are sweet juices.

THERE are three kinds of silence. Silence from words is good, because inordinate speaking tends to evil. Silence, or rest from desires and passions, is still better, because it promotes quietness of unnecessary and wandering thoughts, because that is essential to internal recollection, and because it lays a foundation for a proper regulation and silence in other respects.

Preparations for the Ecumenical Council at Rome.
[Correspondence of the New York Evening Post.]
ROME, ITALY, August 6, 1869.
The only cool place in Rome is St. Peter's, where the workmen are very busy erecting a building within the great transept for the Ecumenical Council. It is, in fact, a hall, with its rows of seats, its aisles and its boxes, vast enough for the purpose, and yet invisible from many parts of the great building. A partition reaches to the spring of the arches; and a platform which covers the whole of the inside is elevated eight steps above the pavement of the semi-circle of two wings, formed by the seats for the cardinals. The throne is in the center, raised considerably above the platform. On the other side of the cardinals' chairs are seven rows of seats, designed for the other members of the clergy—the bishops, archbishops, monsignori, &c.

Each member of the Council is furnished with a *præconium*, which can, at will, be converted into a writing desk. Lower seats will be provided for secretaries and other servants whom the Pope may require to be present. For theological students, reporters and others a gallery will be raised. An altar will be erected as to the use of the speakers. The whole building will be richly decorated with tapestry and other hangings, frescoes and rich ornamentation. No seats are provided in the present plan for the representatives of the Catholic powers.

The question of questions which is agitated in Europe at the present moment, is this one of the approaching Council. Germany, especially, puts herself almost uniformly in an attitude of hostility to the ultramontane party. There is but one dogma which that party wish to enforce, that gives no trouble anywhere. It is that of the Assumption of the Virgin. But against the syllabus, against the infallibility of the Pope, there is almost a universal cry of opposition.

KILLING TIME AT LONG BRANCH.
—A correspondent of the Buffalo Courier tells how it is done: Japonea rises in the morning and dresses; she eats her breakfast, undresses and dresses; she takes lunch and undresses; she tries to sleep, but can't, because of the unearthly noises, and dresses. She goes to the shore and undresses and redresses; she bathes, undresses and dresses; she goes to her apartment undresses and dresses; she eats her dinner, undresses and dresses; she dances once, retires, and undresses, and goes down upon her pretty innocent knees, and tries to thank heaven for her blessings, but in the first place she can't tell exactly what they are at present, except that she won't have to dress in ten hours, and then she is too merry to pray for her enemies, who swarm the house, and she goes to sleep, the little heathen! and I sit up to tell you all about it, and wonder at her patient endurance of such things. I don't dress but three times in a day, and if I had to do it one time more, I should manage to give myself to the under-tow and let it carry me anywhere out of the world of clothes.

ESTRAY NOTICE.
The State of Texas, County of Kendall }
Taken up by S. V. Phillipp and estrayed before B. Klappenbach, J. P. K. C. Pree's No. 1 two animals of the following description: 1st, one bay mare with a white stripe in her face and branded AL on the left hip, about seven years old and about 12 hands high, appraised at \$15. 2nd, one sorrel horse colt with a small white stripe on his forehead about three years old and branded TH on the left shoulder, appraised at \$10.
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The Daily Express

Official Journal of the United States Official Journal of Bexar County and City of San Antonio

A. Stiemering & Co., Publishers. THURSDAY, SEPT. 9, 1899.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR, GENERAL EDMUND J. DAVIS, of Nueces County. FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR, HON. J. W. FLANAGAN, of Rusk County.

Republican State Executive Committee.

TRACY, Chairman, Houston. HALL, Treasurer, Houston. G. Phillips, of Wharton.

- G. T. Eaby, of Galveston. 4th. A. Stiemering, of Bexar. 5th. A. Bledsoe, of Dallas. 6th. J. W. Flanagan, of Rusk. 7th. F. W. Samner, of Grayson. 8th. G. T. Garland, of Jefferson. 9th. G. H. Slaughter, of Smith. 10th. W. M. Varnell, of Victoria. 11th. Edmund Stine, of El Paso. 12th. Cruse Hanson, of Cameron. 13th. P. W. Hall, Calvert, of Robinson. 14th. John McClaugh, of Nueces. 15th. Judge H. J. Richard, of Medina. 16th. N. Patton, of McLennan. JOHN W. McDONALD, Secretary. Houston, June 14th, 1899.

CAMPAIGN EXPRESS.

Subscription price of the San Antonio Express during the campaign. WEEKLY. 1 Copy, \$1.00; 3 Copies, \$2.50; 6 Copies, \$4.50; 12 Copies, \$8.00; 24 Copies, \$15.00; 48 Copies, \$28.00; 96 Copies, \$50.00. DAILY. 1 Copy, 3.00; 3 Copies, 8.00; 6 Copies, 12.00; 12 Copies, 20.00; 24 Copies, 35.00; 48 Copies, 60.00.

Call for a District Convention

Republican Convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Legislature, will be held in San Antonio on Monday in September next, (the 19th). The District is composed of the counties of Bexar, Wilson, Comal, Kendall, Blanco, Burnet, Llano, Mason, Gillespie, Kerr, Benders, Edwards, Kimball and Menard. In accordance with the registered vote, these counties will be entitled to the following representation, to-wit: Bexar, 11 Delegates; Wilson, 2; Comal, 2; Kendall, 1; Blanco, 1; Burnet, 1; Llano, 1; Mason, Kimball, Menard, Edwards, 1; Gillespie, 1; Kerr, 1; Benders, 1.

Call for a Congressional Convention

A Republican Congressional Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress in the 4th Congressional District, will be held at the town of SEGUIN, on THURSDAY the 30th of SEPTEMBER, 1899. The District comprises seven Senatorial and Representative Districts, and the delegates to the convention are apportioned in accordance with the representation allowed under the new Constitution, to-wit: 24th District, comprising the counties of Calhoun, Jackson, Victoria, Refugio, San Patricio, Bee, Goliad and DeWitt, 4 delegates. 25th District—Lavaca and Colorado, 4 delegates. 26th District—Fayette and Bastrop, 4 delegates. 27th District—Gonzales; Guadalupe and Caldwell, 4 delegates. 28th District—Hays, Travis, Williamson, Bell, Comanche, Brown, Colman, Concho, and McCulloch, 4 delegates. 29th District—Bexar, Wilson, Comal, Kendall, Blanco, Burnet, Llano, Mason, Gillespie, Kerr, Benders, Edwards, Kimball and Menard, 5 delegates. 30th District—Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Nueces, Duval, Zapata, Live Oak, McMullen, Encinal, LaSalle, Webb, Dimmitt, Maverick, Zavala, Frio, Atascosa, Karnes, Kinney, Uvalde, Medina, Freestone and El Paso, 4 delegates. In all 29 delegates, who will meet in accordance with the above call. In order to facilitate the selection of the experienced delegates, a Senatorial Convention should be held in each District, at a convenient place, at which delegates to the Legislature should be elected and delegates to the Congressional Convention appointed. These district conventions should be held on or before Monday in September. The points suggested in the Districts, to hold the conventions, are, for the 24th, Victoria; 25th Columbus; 26th LaGrange; 27th Belmont; 28th Austin; 29th San Antonio; 30th Corpus Christi. In order that no mistake be made, this notice should be understood as a Republican platform and organization. By order of EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Call for Primary Meetings in the 29th District.

By order of the Republican State Executive Committee, and in conformity with a call for a District Convention to meet at San Antonio on the 4th Monday in September, the 27th of September, 1899, the counties forming the 29th District are hereby called upon to hold primary meetings for the purpose of electing delegates to said District Convention. The different counties are entitled to the number of delegates as set in the call for the District Convention. It is proposed that the primary meeting be held at the following time and places: In Bexar Co., at San Antonio, Sept. 25th. In Wilson " " Lodi, " 25th. In Comal " " New Braunfels, " 19th. In Kendall " " Boerne, " 12th. In Llano " " Llano city, " 18th. In Blanco " " Blanco, " 19th. In Burnet " " Fort Mason, " 19th. In Mason " " Fort Mason, " 19th. In Gillespie Co., at Fredericksburg, Sept. 19th. In Kerr County, Kerrville, Sept. 19th. In Benders " " Benders city, " 18th. In Edwards, Kimball, Menard, " 18th. The county Executive Committees are ordered to make all necessary preparations for said meetings, and to see that delegates are properly elected. Where there are no county organizations, the Local Leagues are authorized to act in their stead. Only such Republicans as stand on the Platform of the Houston Convention, and intend to vote the Davis ticket, are called upon for said meeting.

Death of Gen. Rawlins.

The telegraph announces the death of Gen. John A. Rawlins, Secretary of war. Gen. Rawlins was born in Illinois the 13th February 1831, was therefore in his 39th year of his age, a young man. He was a self-made man, receiving only a common-school education, and until he was twenty-three years of age, was a farmer. He then studied law in Galena, Illinois, and became acquainted with Gen. Grant, an acquaintance which in after years linked their fortunes and fame together. In 1855 he was admitted to the bar and was only tolerably successful as a lawyer. In politics he was at first a Democrat, but at the beginning of the war he separated himself from that party and was among the first to fly to the rescue of the Union. In 1862 he became Grant's chief of staff, which position he retained until the close of the war, and until chosen Secretary of war by Gen. Grant. Gen. Rawlins was remarkable for his quiet, modest ways, and the country may never fully appreciate and know of his great services during the most trying period of our history. A bosom friend of our President, a faithful officer, a true patriot, his death will cast a gloom over the nation.

As to the charge that General Davis stole Mr. Lewis's spoons, or took Mrs. McRae's pianos, we can state from a full knowledge of the facts, that all such charges are false and slanderous. We served with Gen. Davis during the war, were with him in Penseague's raid, and we bear testimony to the fact that his military record is without reproach, and one of which any citizen might well be proud. No plunder ever stained his hands, and all such charges will only have the opposite effect to that intended by their authors. We feel called upon to say this much in justice to Gen. Davis.—Austin Republican.

We suppose the "we" above means Longley. Longley is certain Gen. Davis didn't take the spoons or the pianos. Now, if the "we" also includes Haynes, the public, if they put any credence in the spoon and piano story, will know whose pockets to search? Gen. Davis does not need the services of Longley, or Haynes, or Wheelock to attest his character for honesty or his fair fame as a soldier.

A Murder at Castroville.

CASTROVILLE, Sept. 7, 1899. 10 O'CLOCK, A. M. Editor of the San Antonio Express. Early in the night, on the night of the 6th September, an American named W. C. Watson, who lives on the Sabinal, was murdered in the street that runs by the Catholic church, leading towards the grave yard. The throat of the victim was cut, and he was otherwise wounded. From the appearance of the body, it is certain that Mr. Watson was knocked down with a large stone which was found lying near, with blood upon it; and then his throat was cut and his pockets rifled of the few specie dollars he was known to have with him. It was evidently a murder for money, and for a very little money at that. A Mexican named Francisco Saldana, who was seen in company with Mr. Watson, just before the time when he must have been murdered, has been arrested on the charge of murder; and since his arrest, a knife which had been loaned to Mr. Watson was found concealed by Saldana in the straw in the jail. The body of the murdered man is lying

in the street, near the pool of blood which flowed from his throat, and a coroner's jury has just found a verdict charging Francisco Saldana with murder and robbery. The Sheriff is having preparations made for the burial of the murdered man. The money was found in the Mexican's boots when the stage driver left.

The Truth Plainly Spoken.

For the San Antonio Express. Editor of the San Antonio Express. For one, the following extract from your weekly of August 19th, meets my entire approbation. I trust every Republican newspaper in the State will copy and endorse it, and that every writer will seriously reflect upon the important truth it enunciates: "If we (as a State) want to make a reputation for good morals, we must not elect a man to the Chief office of the State whose private and public character is a living disgrace and outrage upon his race." Truth well spoken and forcibly expressed! And truth which ought to be heeded by every voter of the State, to whatever political party he may belong. Texas is now on trial for moral character, not only before her sister States of the Union, but before the whole civilized world. Her reputation for morality is bad—worse than we (as Texans) think it should be. We are soon to elect a Governor. An aspirant to gubernatorial honors is before the people, concerning whose moral character and habits there is no diversity of opinion. In plain English, Jack Hamilton is a confirmed drunkard. This all will and do admit. None deny. Now what will the citizens of the Northern States—not only the Yankees, but the civilized world, think of us Texans—of the moral character of our citizens—if we, knowingly, willfully and of our own free will and accord, elect a drunkard to the highest office in the gift of our people. For one, as an old Texan, I can be no party to inflicting so deep and indefeasible a disgrace upon our already too-much-abused State. I cannot, I will not, vote for a DRUNKARD, and especially for a man who adds to the vice of drunkenness, all that goes to constitute a character, which you attribute to Hamilton, "a man whose public and private character is a living disgrace upon his race." For such a man, Mr. Editor, I for one, cannot, will not vote. I love my State too well. I have too much regard for her moral reputation. I rejoice in the bold stand you have taken in this matter. AN OLD TEXAN.

Railroad Fares.

A schedule of fares has been adopted by the Union and Central Pacific railroads between San Francisco and the various points named below, as follows: San Francisco to Omaha, \$111; " " St. Louis, 131; " " Chicago, 134; " " Cincinnati, 141; " " Pittsburgh, 144; " " Philadelphia, 148; " " Baltimore, 147; " " Niagara Falls, 145; " " Buffalo, 145; " " New York, 150; " " Boston, 153.

Children not over twelve years of age, half fare; under five years of age, free. One hundred pounds baggage (per adult passenger) free. Fifty pounds baggage (per child between five and twelve years) free. Extra baggage between Sacramento and Omaha (currency) \$15 per 100 pounds. It is probable that a further reduction in fares will be made hereafter, by which the passage can be made between Omaha and San Francisco for \$100. But the present rate, all things considered, is by no means exorbitant. It is certainly a great improvement on the former charge.—Omaha Republican, August 15.

The President's Journeys.

The Chicago Tribune says: When Grant's presence was needed during the eight long years of the war, and of the perils of reconstruction, was he ever absent from his post? Did he ever seek the capital for promotion, or come to it at all from the time he entered the army as Regimental Staff Quartermaster until he was called there as General-in-Chief of all our armies? Did his star or staff then figure at the watering places? Never. The elements of his success were then military. He moved freely among all his officers and men from Sherman, McPerson, and Sheridan down to surgeons, quartermasters and privates. He studied the problem in all its parts and made no mistakes. His problem now is a financial, industrial and political one. He is moving among men of business, of industry, and who, through these resources, have earned their summer months for leisure. He sees a very great number of them. And if he learns nothing else, he at least learns them. He does well and wisely. Before we find fault with it, let us see what evil comes from it.

THE Friar's Point (Miss.) Delta, in commending the colored people of Mississippi as law-abiding citizens well says that "notwithstanding many of their people are are bleaching in the woods in different portions of the State, with their throats

cut from ear to ear, and disemboweled in the most brutal manner, and all this because of their political opinions, yet we find among them no masked bullies and bravados prowling about at night distributing orders, conveying to the whites man the alternative of flight or death."

FOREIGN ITEMS.

RUSSIA has offered thirty-five million francs for Prince Borgeas's celebrated picture gallery. ROME has a population of 220,532, according to this year's census, of whom 2,682, are Jews, 637 Protestants, and the rest Roman Catholics. THE German journals announce the death of Dr. Carus, President of the Academy of Sciences at Dresden, and a man of high repute for his philosophical works. INVESTIGATION into the cause of a late fire in London proves conclusively that it was occasioned by the rays of the sun setting fire to a swallow's nest under the eaves.

It is stated that the traffic of the London Underground Railway amounted for the half year ending June 30, last, to more than twenty millions—the exact figures being 20,087,800 passengers. THE number of marksmen who took part in the late competition at Zoug, in Switzerland; was 3,113. Of the different cantons Zurich furnished the largest number, and was represented by 673; Geneva sent fifty-four, and the Valais six only. There were seventy-seven foreigners.

THE Viceroy of Egypt saw an overcoat in Paris whose style pleased him. He found out who was the artist, sent for him, and ordered one hundred and forty-four for his own use, as he never wears one overcoat more than twenty-four hours. His little extravagance cost him twenty thousand francs.

THE Dublin Express contains an account of the forcible removal of a girl into a nunnery in Beltrubeni, County Caran, by her mother, aided by a crowd, who dragged her violently through the streets, notwithstanding her screams and struggles. Her father, who is a Protestant, is about to take legal proceedings to recover her.

A painting has recently been discovered at Pompeii, representing the circus of that city as it existed a short time before its destruction. This is the first painting of the kind which has been discovered, since the Romans usually selected mythological or agricultural subjects. It is observable that the circus was planted with trees.

TURKISH ladies who take a much more active interest in politics than European observers suppose, have for some time been suspected of reading the newspapers. Many a gentleman, who has read his Dyeride Howades through in his office, is seen punctually taking his paper home, not for reference or his own personal. According to the Constantinople English paper, the matter is now openly avowed, and a lady's edition of the Teraki on fine yellow paper is regularly issued.

A writer in the Revue des Deux Mondes tells the following anecdote: "Four years ago a taster of Dijon, who had affirmed that the French budget represented in bank notes the light of the steeple of St. Benigne, was cited before the Correctional Police on a charge of seditious language. In Court, however, he maintained his assertion with vigor, and was acquitted. The judges, in fact, excused some shrewdness on the occasion, and admitted implicitly that the accused was not in error. A thousand notes of 1,000 francs piled up have exactly ten centimetres (four inches) in height. Taking the budget in round numbers at two thousand millions, the notes in question superposed would attain a height of two hundred metres. But according to the Annuaire du Bureau des Longitudes the spire of St. Benigne is only ninety-two and a half metres high."

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ONYONS.—No. 20 market street has just received 3500 pounds more onions from Quilb.

ARRIVALS BY COLUMBUS STAGE.—J. A. Spangler, A. Koenigsheim, Mr. Leble, Mrs. Aul, Mr. Cotton.

The statement of the Herald in regard to Mr. Thielump destroying the grave yard, is only one of the Herald's ghost stories.

SEN. M. G. ANDERSON has become the body-servant of Jack Hamilton and the Herald crew, he appears daily in their old worn out clothes and exhibits himself to the public, over the signature of Republican.

ARRIVALS AT MEXICO HOTEL.—Mrs. Hainault; A. P. Blocker, Austin; Chas. H. Howard; J. T. Marnock; Gen. Merritt; Fort Davis; Wm. O. Cory, L. S. Ay; Dr. Young and family, Concher; J. A. Spangler, N. Kearney; John Bonmont and lady, San Marcos; J. H. Leble and lady.

DEATH OF AN OLD COLORED MAN.—John Anderson, an old colored man, died in this city on Tuesday. His death was caused by the prick of a catfish fin in the little finger. Old Anderson was known to be an honest, hard working old man; turned out of slavery at an advanced stage of life, he managed to gain a livelihood and bear himself like a man. He leaves a numerous kindred and friends who mourn his loss.

A writer on college education, says that the men who know man best are the great poets. They are great poets through the warmth and breadth and faithfulness of their sensibilities, their sympathetic consonance with all the voices of the human heart, and, above all, through ceaseless desire for the better. To utter and embody conceptions springing out of such soil, there needs a rich and inflexible, a clean, refined diction. Hence poets are the regents of language. Great poems are the highest classics; that is, they are the best products of the first class of literary work. Thus, besides the primary claim which good poetry has to be an educator, an tending, through the truthfulness and purity of its thought and sentiment, to purge and elevate the sensibilities, it has a secondary claim, as furnishing the finest moulds of speech—transparent, sparkling, deeply-freighted words and cadences. These, their, have been always academic.

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It is by no means surprising that the subject of woman has taken a deep hold of public attention. Certainly, so far as a question can derive attraction from the interest of its subject, the woman question has a quite incontestable supremacy over every other. Nor has it ever been otherwise. The literature of all countries and of all times testifies to the eminent place accorded to woman in the cultivated thought of the world. Alke the glory of chivalry, the life of romance, the soul of poetry, and the inspiration of art, she has been the regnant ideal in all the finer spheres of mental achievement. But all subjects change their aspects with the advance of thought. The forms of chivalry have passed away, and the romantic spirit is repressed by a new discipline in a period of absorbing practical inquiry; yet woman is still in the ascendant, though she comes before us now in a new phasis. Having been adolized, sung, and flattered through all the moods and fenses of poetic feeling, it seems at length her destiny to be soberly considered. The age is analytic and radical; it takes things to pieces and goes down to their roots. In this temper its attention is drawn to woman—to her capacities, duties and rights—and she thus becomes the subject of a question.

How fearfully the world is given to lying. General Butler had a brother who was reported to have enjoyed special trade privileges at New Orleans during the war, which resulted in enormous gains. Recently this A. J. Butler died, leaving his wife, a son and General B. F. Butler as his heirs. It was then stated that his estate was worth millions, and that General Butler's share would reach several millions. Well, his affairs have been settled up, and it is found the estate is insolvent. The lies that have been told about this man's wealth, about his cotton speculations, and in regard to General Butler's connection therewith, would, if printed, fill a flour barrel.

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