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- 453 Uniform Coats, 84 Pairs Drawers,
- 140 Pairs Boots, 11 Great Coats,
- 256 Bedsteads, 11 Paulinas,
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- 290 Saddle Blankets,
- 2 Mowing Machines.

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There will also be sold, at the same time
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TELEGRAPHIC

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.

WASHINGTON, January 3.
Attorney General Hoar has returned.
It is understood that the President favors
the ratification of the treaty for the
purchase of St. Thomas and Lamana.
The prospect of an early repeal of the
income tax is unfavorable.
Revenue to-day nearly one million, five
hundred thousand.

The great Northern and Southern mail
trains were delayed twelve hours by yester-
day's storm.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3.
The storm yesterday washed away the
track of the Baltimore railroad on either
side of the long bridge, at Bush river,
causing a delay of trains both ways. A
large force of men have been at work all
night. The damages have been fully re-
paired and the trains are now running regu-
larly.

The storm was most furious all Sunday,
and the waves washed over the bridges
both at Bush and Gispowder creeks.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 3.
The operators of the Western Union
Telegraph company struck this morning;
cause said to be a reduction of salaries in
California.

COLEMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 3.
The Ohio Senate organized with a Re-
publican Clerk and Democratic Sergeant
at Arms.
The House partially organized. Con-
ningham, reform candidate from Cincin-
nati, is speaker. Cummings received
the entire democratic vote, and was elect-
ed by casting his own vote for himself.
A democrat was elected Clerk.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.
Both branches of the Legislature met
to-day. In the Senate nothing important
was done.
In the House, Speaker Lowell having
resigned, Mortimer Carr, of the Parish of
Orleans, was elected speaker.
The Governor's message will be deliv-
ered to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, January 1.
Bentwell sells one million gold and pur-
chases one million bonds in alternate
weeks during January on account of sink-
ing fund; he also sells one million gold
and purchases two million bonds on alter-
nate weeks and alternating with sales
and purchases on account of sinking fund
for specie fund.

The result for the money is the sale of
four millions gold and the purchase of
6,000,000 bonds on both accounts.
The treasury will also anticipate the in-
terest on coupons payable in 60 days from
presentation upon the rebate at six per
cent.

HAVANA, January 1.
Intense excitement prevails here in con-
sequence of an announcement in the Ha-
vana Journals this evening that the revolu-
tion has terminated.

According to the public statements, the
editors of Journals here have seen a copy
of a circular signed by members of the
Cuban Junta in New York, ordering the
insurgents to lay down their arms for the
present and giving as a reason for the
abandonment of the insurrection, the fail-
ure of the recent filibustering expedition
the inability of the Junta to send more
men further, the disheartening action of
the American Government in permitting
gunboats to sail from New York.

The circular severely attacks the course
of President Grant.

The Junta advise the Cubans to submit
to the Spaniards in order to save further
bloodshed.

Vox de Cuba announces the surrender of
fifteen hundred insurgents at Tenje.
One Spanish gunboat arrived to-day,
having become separated from its compan-
ions off Charleston. The rest are expected
to arrive to-morrow.

A further announcement has been made
from the Interior of Cuba of insurgents
offering to capitulate.
If all the news be true, the revolution
may be considered to be expiring but full
confirmation is wanting.

MARKETS.

New York Market.
New York, January 3.
Money very active at 7c for currency to
gold; discounts 10 to 12; sterling weaker,
68; gold dull and heavy at 119 1/2 to 119 3/4;
bonds of the United States quiet; South-
ern bonds quiet and steady.
Cotton quiet, sales 700 bales, at 25 1/2;
Pork heavy, new \$29.50 to \$30; Lard, ket-
tle 18 to 19 1/2; groceries dull; freights quiet.

New Orleans Market.
New Orleans, La., January 3.
Money active and firmer at 24 1/2 to 24 3/4

dull, mess \$30; bacon dull, nominally 16 1/2,
18 to 18 1/2; Lard, tierce, 18c; keg 19 1/2 to
20c; Sugar cured hams 20 to 25c; Sugar
dull at 12 to 12 1/2; molasses prime 60 to 70c;
whisky 90c to \$1.00; coffee fair 14 1/2 to 14 3/4;
prime 17 1/2 to 17 3/4.
Gold 120; sterling 29 1/2; New York slight
discount.

Foreign Market.
LONDON, January 3.
Consols 92 1/2; Bonds 86 1/2.
LIVERPOOL, January 3.
Holiday in the cotton market.

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mons, Charleston, Piano, \$600. We pub-
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Edwin M. Stanton.

During the last eleven months there have passed away one ex-President, five persons who had held seats in the Senate, the oldest General of the army, the senior Admiral of the navy, and one of the ablest managers of the postal affairs of the nation. Yet among all these no man has died who worked more indefatigably, unselfishly, or intelligently for his country than he whose sudden death is announced in our dispatches—Edwin M. Stanton.

At the age of fifty-four, worn out by labors and responsibilities which few men have undertaken, and fewer still endured, he has gone from the scenes of earth, just as a grateful country had bestowed upon him a new proof of its confidence and gratitude. He accepted the portfolio of the War Department, a man of stalwart frame and boundless energy. He assumed a burden of care and trouble that would almost have crushed down an Atlas. He sustained the load, but when his duties were ended, discovered that he had sacrificed his own strength for his country's safety. In half a decade, the man of middle age had hurried into bodily decrepitude. More gradually, but none the less truly than he who maintains his principles at the stake, had he born the ordeal of martyrdom.

We have no disposition to derogate from the well earned fame of the many men who in their country's cause, perilled and lost their lives on the battle field, or fought unarméd treason in the halls of Congress and in Executive councils, but the singularity, pure patriotism and spotless integrity of Mr. Stanton contributed more to the suppression of the rebellion than the labors of any other individual. When Schuyler Colfax, a few evenings ago, in response to a serenade, remarked that he had returned from a visit to the man who saved the country, he mentioned no name. It was not necessary. None could fail to perceive that he referred to Edwin M. Stanton. And now, should we merely say that the man who saved the country is dead, the public voice would supply the omission.

Edwin M. Stanton was born at Steubenville, in December 1815, being the son of Dr. David and Lucy Norman Stanton. He was of English descent, and inherited the hostility to that despotism to the institution of slavery. His grandfather, Benjamin Stanton, a resident of North Carolina, freed his servants by will, and his widow soon after removed to the free territory of Ohio. Edwin's father was a highly respected physician at Steubenville. His son was early trained in habits of industry. At the age of thirteen he became clerk in a book store in his native city, and three years later entered Kenyon College, where he also remained three years. Next we find him for a brief period in the employ of a Columbus bookkeeper. His talents, however, lay in other directions, and, after studying in the office of Daniel L. Collier, Esq., of Steubenville, he was admitted to the bar in 1836. He opened an office in Cadiz, Ohio, speedily gained a large practice, was elected Prosecuting Attorney of Harrison county, and finally returned to his native place. In 1842, when in his twenty-seventh year, he was chosen Reporter of the decisions of the Supreme Court of Ohio, and prepared the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth volumes of those reports.

Though an industrious lawyer, he gave considerable attention to politics, and was a prominent member of the democratic party. Still, heeding open his office at Steubenville, he removed to Pittsburgh in 1847, becoming a partner of the Hon. C. Shuler he became connected with many important suits before the United States and Pennsylvania Courts, among others with the Erie war, and Whiting litigation cases. In 1852, his practice in the U. S. Supreme Court had assumed such dimensions, that he took up his residence in Washington. His ability was recognized by the Government, which, in 1853, sent him to California as special counsel in some great land cases. A year later he became acquainted with Mr. Lincoln, by being associated counsel with him in the Manning-McCormick reaper suit.

In December, 1859, President Buchanan called him to the Attorney General's office, and he held the duties of that position during the last twelve months of the most imbecile administration that has ever cursed the country. Whatever might be the incapacity, or worse, of the man with whom he was thus bound in official alliance, and who breathless suspicion turned his own reputation. The Union had no more strenuous or outspoken advocate. Though he returned to the practice of his profession at the incoming of the new administration, he interest in public affairs did not abate, and on the resignation of Gen. Cameron in January, 1862, he was instantly selected for his success as Secretary of War.

To recount in detail his services during the administration of President Lincoln, would be to write the history of the war. As we have before said, his labors were so multiplied and so diversified that it is less possible and high-principled man would have been crushed beneath them, had he fled from the responsibility. He united the industry of the most persistent drudge with the broad views, keen insight and sagacious policy of the most accomplished statesman. He early perceived the necessity of weakening the rebels and aiding the Government, by enlisting in the support of the latter, the strength of the African element of the South. In his first annual report—December, 1862—he expressed the opinion that the power of rebels rested upon their peculiar system of labor, which enabled them, by the employment of slaves on the plantations, to support their armies, while devoting themselves to the war. He held that it was the duty of the Government to strike down the system of slavery, and turn against the rebels its productive power.

This was in accordance with the President's proclamation of the previous September, insofar, no doubt, by the private advice of his great Ministers. The Chief Magistrate was patient and cautious, willing and even anxious to wait for developments of the Secretary, on the other hand, was impatient of delay. Obstacles only increased his desire for action. The one would patiently attempt to untie the Gordian knot; the other, knowing that the entanglement must come to an end, would cut it. Different, however, as were the two men, their relations were most harmonious. They were naturally disposed to opposite policies, but their confidence and good will served as an equilibrium, and as an attraction toward the

golden mean. Yet we can not but feel that the never flagging energy and unyielding hopefulness of the Secretary more often controlled movements, in the end at least, than the easy patience of the President. The bitter hatred of the rebels and of their Northern sympathizers against Mr. Stanton are the best proof of his efficiency. He may have erred in isolated instances, for he was human and not infallible, but he was a grandly successful statesman from the first to the last. His memory rests upon the hearts of the people, and his name will be remembered as long as the name of Lincoln. It was the iron hand that the era demanded, and he was not to conceal it beneath a silken glove.

Men thoroughly in earnest have no leisure for pleasant gossip or formal compliments, in urgent crisis, and the Secretary incurred the displeasure of some loyal persons, by his frequent brusqueness and irritability. This may have been partly constitutional, but must mainly be attributed to incessant strain upon his nervous system. That it was always excusable, that he was never at fault through haste or impatience, that he always observed the duties of his office, we do not dispute. His violation of courtesy was, however, of small importance, and generally half, at least, involuntary. No lover of his country who now sees the grand results of Mr. Stanton's labors will recollect with any ill will these slight imperfections of the devoted official.

At the tragic close of Mr. Lincoln's brief second term, Mr. Stanton was retained in office by his unworthy successor; but there could be no permanent accord between the honesty and patriotism of the one and the torpid "policy" of the other. In August, 1867, the President requested Mr. Stanton to resign, upon the alleged ground of "public considerations of a high character." To this he replied that similar considerations compelled him to retain his place, until the next meeting of Congress. The President thereupon suspended him, and directed him to hand over the books and papers in his possession to General Grant. This was finally done; but Congress, in the following January, declared its non-concurrence in the removal. Gen. Grant resigned his position of Secretary of War, and Mr. Stanton resumed his duties, until May, 1869, when the impeachment trial had been concluded. On his resignation, both Houses of Congress passed a very complimentary resolution, which only echoed the opinions of loyal citizens of the country. It was as follows:

"The thanks of Congress are due and are hereby tendered to the Hon. Edwin M. Stanton for the great ability, purity and fidelity to the cause of the country which he has discharged the duties of Secretary of War, as well as the open dangers of a great rebellion as at a later period when assailed by the opposition, inspired by hospitality to the measures of justice and pacification provided by Congress for the restoration of a real and permanent peace."

As Cincinnati was back to his farm after he had saved Rome, so Mr. Stanton, at the close of his official career, became a simple lawyer once more. He had been in office during a period of unexampled corruption, but he returned to private life a poorer man than he had left it. His practice was worth \$20,000 a year, yet he performed far harder work, endured harassing cares and bore with silent dignity outrageous slanders that he might serve his country for less than half the above mentioned sum. For the last eighteen months he had industriously practiced in the United States Courts, and once paid a visit to this city in discharge of his duties as an advocate and counselor.

His services were too valuable to be appreciated by the nation, and he was nominated to fill the vacancy on the Supreme Bench, occasioned by the resignation of Judge Grier. He was confirmed without referring his nomination to a committee, as is usual, and the general hope was aroused that the Supreme Court, by this infusion of fresh talent and unquestionable loyalty, would regain some of its pristine dignity. It was not to be, however. On Friday morning, December 24, a sudden attack of disease of the heart prostrated the already enfeebled frame, and closed forever the lips that had never breathed aught of disloyalty or cowardly expediency. From the ranks of living patriots Edwin M. Stanton passed to the army of departed heroes.

His own record is his best eulogy, and amply sustains the language of the President's official announcement: "He was distinguished in the councils of the nation during the entire period of its struggle for national existence, first as Attorney General, then as Secretary of War. He was increasing in his labors, earnest and faithful in his assumptions of responsibility necessary to his country's success, respected by all good men, and feared by wrong-doers." C. G.

Found in Hist.

In the year 1862 there lived at Akron, Ohio, a young bricklayer who had a wife. They lived together quite happily for a while, but one sudden the husband disappeared and came out to the west. He went to California, to Colorado, to British Columbia, to any place, in fact, where he could hear of a gold or silver lead. It is not recorded that he made any money. Indeed, a rolling stone gathers very little moss, and the bricklayer was no exception.

He did not write to his wife from the year 1862 to the year 1869. A long time truly, if on one side there was love and on the other constancy. She might have believed him dead and felt relieved; she might have deemed him faithless and felt sorrowful; she might have felt true to the notions of her earlier views and felt a tender emotion. By the sequel, however, shall one best judge of her heart.

The husband drifted hither and thither. Working a little, here he went yonder, having a good job to-day, to-morrow saw him out of money and out of elbows.

Bricklayer are probably philosophical mechanics, for this one took his good or evil fortune as a sailor takes weather aboard a ship—that is to say, as it comes, cheerily and kind. At last the tide—whether at its ebb or flow we know not—which has been bearing him a waif since 1862, brought him safely to Kansas City. He sought for work and obtained it. In looking about for

board, the man who employed him said: "Come to my house. If you live, as I live, you are welcome."

The bricklayer went. Washed his hands on the back porch, entered the dining room, and sat himself down by the stove a few moments to warm. A woman entered, gazed as one fascinated upon the bricklayer, approached him nervously, and cried out:

"My husband!" "My wife!" was the philosophical answer, "but what do you do here?"

It was indeed their first meeting since 1862. Explanations followed. The husband was by no means hard to appease.

The wife it appears had followed her employer from her home in Ohio and was living with him as his wife, for a consideration the rightful husband concluded not to disturb the existing relations. He still boards in the house—which is situated on the levee, near the Pacific railroad depot—a work for the man who still retains possession of his former wife. Taking everything into consideration, the whole affair has about it an air of coolness not usual in such latitudes. — Kansas City Times.

CONSOLATION.—A well known Alderman was dining out, a few days since, and being entirely unwell in all Aldermanic peculiarities, dined sumptuously. Arriving at home, he proceeded at once to bed and to sleep. His repose, however, was short-lived, and he awakened soon, with severe pains in his stomach. The Alderman, however, imagined it was a mortal disease, and as he was a strict member of the church, he besought his wife to send at once for the clergyman. The good man came and offered all the consolation in his power. He told him that it was nature's decree that men should die; that resignation was a Christian's virtue, and that it was sweet to die.

"What!" screamed the Alderman, "sweet to die?" "Yes, my dear friend, it is sweet to die, don't you think so?" "Yes, sir, but I ain't fond of sweet things."

It is needless to say that the good minister's consolation was ineffectual. — New Orleans Picayune.

A correspondent of the Houston Telegraph of the 29th inst., writing from Chappell Hill, Washington County says: Very early last Sunday morning, while the sister of Mrs. Dr. Meredith was standing by the hearth, her clothes took fire and in her fright she jumped into bed with her sister and the Doctor, who was yet asleep, thinking to smother the flames. The Doctor and his wife being aroused and excited, pulled the frantic young lady on the floor, and in their attempts to tear off her clothes, their own caught fire, and all three were very badly burnt about the hands, arms, and face. Though suffering exceedingly, no apprehensions of fatal result.

FACTS FOR THE LADIES.

On the 7th day of August, 1867, I purchased a Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, which has been used from that day to this, almost incessantly. I do not recollect any day, except Sundays, in which some work has not been done upon it. By far the greater part of the time it has been run from seven o'clock in the morning until ten, eleven, and often until twelve o'clock at night. It has never cost one cent for repairs, and is today in as complete working order as the day I bought it. I would not exchange it for a new machine of any other kind.

MARSHALL A. BELLONS. Success Falls, Nov. 22, 1869.

Now Advertisements.

For Gardeners.

Northern Peach Trees, of the earliest to the latest kinds, at \$1.00 each, per dozen. Strawberry plants, at \$1.00 per doz. Blackberries at \$1.25 and \$2.50 per doz. Ornamental Shrubbery at 50 cents a piece, to be had at CHAS. WIEGREFE, New Braunfels, Texas.

Notice.

The firm of Sampson, Sawyer & Torrey is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Torrey will settle the unfinished business of the firm.

SAMPSON, SAWYER & TORREY. San Antonio, Jan. 1st, 1870.

The undersigned having purchased all the right title and interest in the firm of Sampson & Torrey and Sampson, Sawyer & Torrey, will continue the business on his own account and request all persons having claims against either of said firms, to present them for liquidation, and all persons indebted are expected to settle promptly. I further would respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. G. B. TORREY. San Antonio, Jan. 1st, 1870.

We take the pleasure in recommending Mr. Torrey to the patronage of the public, and solicit for him the same generous support as heretofore extended to the late firm. E. SAWYER, S. SAMPSON. San Antonio, Jan. 1st, 1870. (3-1-70d&w3)

Dissolution.

The firm of J. L. Trueheart & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The liabilities of the partnership will be liquidated by E. Miles. J. L. TRUEHEART, EDWARD MAYER. San Antonio, Dec. 30, 1869. (15-3-70w3)

George B. Torrey, AUCTION

Commission Merchant, COMMISSION BROKER,

AND GENERAL AGENT. North side Main Plaza. Consignments and Agencies solicited. San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 70. (3-1-70d&w)

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WE HAVE OCCUPIED THE LOWER STORY OF THE Masonic Building.

With many thanks to our customers who have so kindly extended their patronage in the past, we respectfully solicit their attendance at the large and attractive TRADE SALES

that will be held during the coming year. 1-1-70d1w.

Notice to Persons who have Land for Sale.

Persons who have land for sale in any portion of Western Texas, may be put in the way of finding a purchaser by addressing a note to the undersigned, describing the land, as to quantity, advantages, water and wood, soil, &c., and lowest cash price per acre. I receive every mail letter from persons contemplating moving to Texas, who desire to purchase farms. JAMES P. NEWCOMB, Express Office. San Antonio, August 10, 1869.

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MARKET MANIFEST.

LANDRETH'S warranted GARDEN SEEDS, just received and for sale by JULIUS PIPER

BUTTER, CHEESE, MACKEREL, Herrings, Codfish, Pigs feet, Sardines and Anchovies, for sale by JULIUS PIPER. 21-10-69d

POTATOES, ONIONS, SOFT KIDNEY, Pickles in Vinegar, CRANBERRIES, just received by JULIUS PIPER. 28-10-69d

CAVIAR, GREEN, SWISS, LIMBURG, and Western Cheese, Herrings and Lentils, just received by WAGNER & RUMMEL. 28-10-69d

California Clover Seed, 50 Sacs for sale by SAMPSON, SAWYER & TORREY. March 20th.

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SOLD BY RHODIUS & CO., San Antonio.

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(A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. San Antonio, Nov. 12, 1869. (11-69d&w)

CUTLERY,

Rodger's Wostenholme's and American Table and Pocket Knives, Razors and Scissors, just received by BELL & BROS. 17-12-69d&w10

ANNUAL MEETING OF

Agricultural, Stock Raising and Industrial Association of Western Texas.

Will be held at the Commercial Club Rooms, Wednesday evening, January 12th, 1870, at 7 o'clock.

An election of officers will take place for the ensuing year.

F. H. STRIBLING, Pres't. & SAMPSON, Sec'y. (28-12-69d&w)

Local Intelligence.

DISTRICT COURT still in session, nothing of importance transacted.

The weather is delightful, not too warm and not too cold; the thermometer varying from 65 to 80 degrees.

THE Criminal Court opened yesterday in the County Clerk's room, in French's building.

This County Court which ought to have opened on Monday, has adjourned to Wednesday, on account of the Sheriff having taken possession of the Court room for the Criminal Court.

THE semi-annual election of officers of the Casino Association, on Monday last, resulted in the election of Mayor Thielepape, President, and Judge Klocke, Vice President.

We call the attention of the public to the advertisement of Mr. Chas. Wiegand, of New Braunfels, who has a fine lot of Peach Trees, Strawberries, Ornamental Shrubs, &c., for sale, and is ready to ship the same to any address. He favored us with samples of Strawberry, Blackberry and Gooseberry plants, which look excellent and will no doubt give full satisfaction.

THERE is quite an excitement in town in consequence of the elopement of a young girl, the daughter of a respectable citizen, which took place yesterday morning. It appears that a young man of this city fell in love with the girl, and as he did not succeed in getting the consent of the parents to a marriage, he procured a license in Castrovilla and ran away with the girl. This happened on Sunday night; the fugitives appeared before Justice Geger, at Leon Springs, and were duly bonded in matrimony. But the father was soon on their track, and the seducer, was arrested and conveyed to this city, where he awaits his trial for kidnaping.

We were assured on yesterday that the appointment of the Bar of this city at the appointment of Thos. Paschal to the Criminal Judgeship of Bexar county, was equal to our own, and gave way to a general indignation, in which our best citizens join. The excuse that there was no other lawyer who could take the oath, amounts to nothing, as there is a District Court in session which has concurrent jurisdiction with the Criminal Court. A simple order of the General Commanding to transfer the docket of the Criminal Court to the District Court, would have answered all purposes.

THE HERALD ON MEAT STALLS.—One thing is certain, our city administration will never satisfy the Herald crew, which is sufficient evidence that the city administration is still right and working for the best of our community.

A long-winded article in yesterday's Herald develops the usual amount of sophistry of which this sheet is so fond. The laboring people and the poor of the city, struggling to make a living, are called to join in the howl against a loyal and energetic administration, and an attempt is made to imbibe the poor with hatred towards the rich.

We are tired of these constant slanderous attacks of the Herald on the city Board, and so is the community at large. We know that the low rent during the last year did not make meat 2 cent cheaper, nor does the low price of cattle; we know just as well the higher rent will not raise the meat prices; competition in business will regulate such things, in spite of all inciting language of a malicious sheet. The motives of the Herald in using such language, are well understood and properly appreciated.

THE CRIMINAL JUDGESHIP.—The Evening Star comes out in defence of our Military appointing Thos. Paschal Criminal Judge. Passing over the serious attempt of the Star to make up, in dignity, what it lacks in sound judgment, we simply propose the question, if any portion of our population, loyal or disloyal, would ever have consented to cast their vote for Thos. Paschal?

We do not resent Mr. Paschal for we know him to be a gentleman, and do not blame him for taking any office he can get hold of, but we blame those who appointed him, for we reason that we consider it a deplorable fact in the life of a young man of 23 years, the youngest and least experienced lawyer of the bar, who has never yet given any evidence of his competency for the position he now occupies, with the judicial gravitas to judge of life and death of our citizens. Such actions we consider a contempt of court. If we are mistaken in our judgment, so much the better for Thos. Paschal. As journalists we have done no more than our duty, in condemning experiments with the Judicial Engine.

This is the way they do up divorces in Illinois: The husband did put in an appearance. The Court was on the point of adjourning, when the wife rushed in and demanded a divorce. She was just in time. The Court put down his hat, the sheriff was arrested in the midst of his "Hear ye, hear ye, this court is now adjourned"; the clerk uncorked his ink bottle; the witness came breathlessly upon the stand; and in less time than it takes a spring lamb to describe a half degree of the circle of which his caudal appendage

is the radius, Mrs. Ellen M. Flock was Mrs. Ellen M. Flock no more."

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office, at San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 5th, received prior to Dec. 29th 1899:

- Adams, Miss Belle; Babe, Andrew J.; Bern, D.; Britton, E.E.; Bisco, Miss Emma; Borens, James; Bell, F.W.; Bacon, Hon W.P.; Baley, Zell; Carleton, G.E.M.; Deless, Anna T.; Dossie, A.; Diaz, Antonio; Donham, Miss Eliza; Douglas, Joseph; Erle, E.; Eckles, Wm C.; Eisenhauer, D.; Frazier, William; Goreal, Frank; Glassar, H.; Givens, Mrs. Neall; Glasgow, Miss Lavinia; Ham, Richard; Herring, John; Herrelle, Hard J.; Haquin, Thos; Henry, Antoneth; Kessler, John; Laigast, L.; Mueller, Charles; Millholend, B.W.; McCoubingh, James; McLean, W.T.; Morris, Spencer; Nowin, Jennie; Rice, J.H.; Reed, John; Schubbach, Martin; Say, G.W.; Sullivan, Eugene O.; Swen, Chas E.; Tausner, J.J.; Thuler, Ingeltha M.; Zellinger, John.

Letters held for postage.

- Stuart Vance, city; Miguel Benites, Piedras Negras; Mrs. Groos, Hermis, para Don. for Ma. Valder, Eagle Pass; A. Schoenart, Gonzales, Texas; Mrs. Eleanor, Grattan, Dublin; W. Jackson, San Antonio; Olimos creek, Tx; Mrs. Fannie Brown, Selma, Texas; Mrs. Hannah Simpson, (col.) San Antonio; Mr. Davis, Fort McKavett, Texas.

Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please ask for advertised letters.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Sundays, from 9 to 10 a.m., and from 4 to 5 p.m.

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Office of Chief Commissary of Subsistence, Austin, Texas, Dec. 16, 1899.

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These contracts shall commence on the 1st of February, 1900, and shall be in force for eleven months, or such less time as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

Payment to be made in Government Funds, Good and sufficient bonds, not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3000) will be required from the contractor.

Proposals must be made separately for each Post. Conditions and requirements, same as published in previous advertisements.

Blank forms for proposals and all information relating thereto, will be furnished on application to this office.

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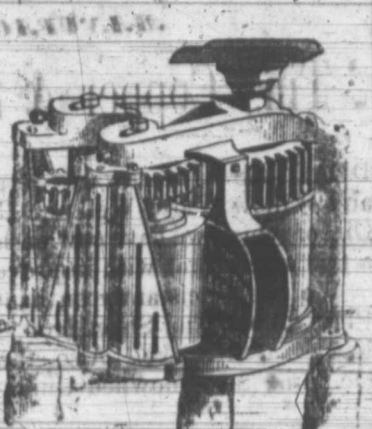
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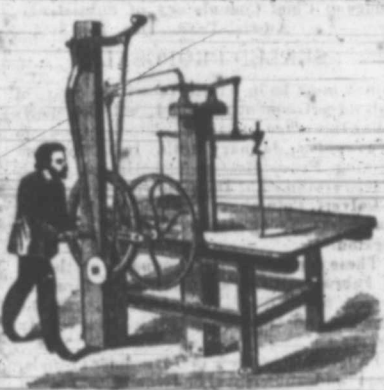
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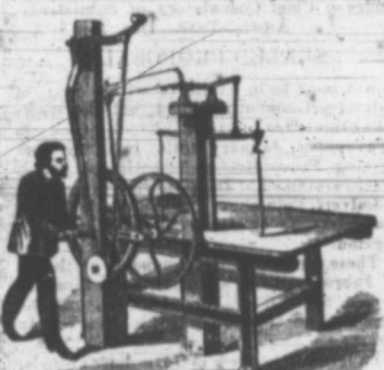
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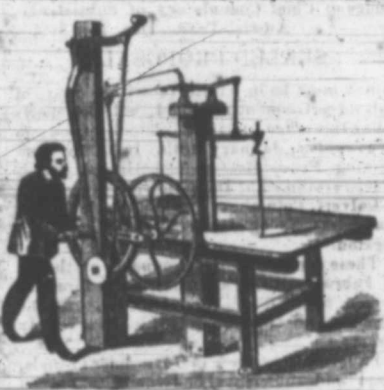
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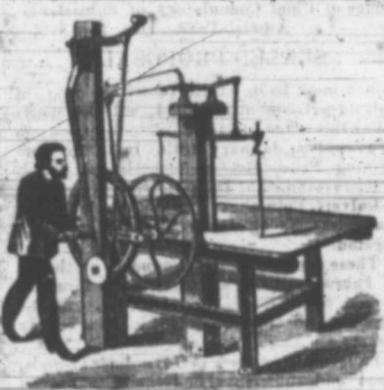
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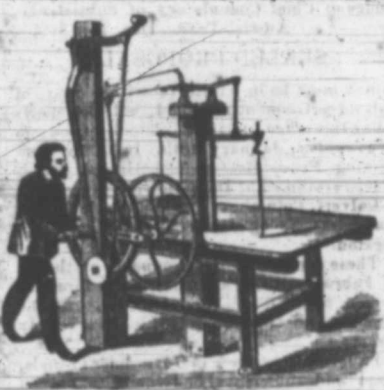
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