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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1870.

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LOUIS ZORK,
COMMERCE STREET,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
WHOLESALE
AND
Retail Dealer
IN
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY-GOODS,
Clothing, Boots, Shoes
&c., &c.

Th. Schlenning,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
IMPORTER
AND
RETAIL
DEALER
IN
GROCERIES,
Wines,
Liquors,
Tobacco,
Cigars.

DRESEL & BRIAM
Wholesale
AND
RETAIL
DEALERS
IN
DRY GOODS
AND
GROCERIES
IMPORTERS OF
California Wine.

JOHN R. SHOOK,
LAWYER,
NO. 9, COMMERCE STREET,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Will practice in District and Supreme Courts.
(26-10-69d)

JACK COUKE,
LAWYER.
Office, west side of Military Plaza,
near Courthouse. (4-11-70)

WM. M. PIERSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Particular attention given to Commercial matters, adjusting intricate and mixed accounts, and Partnership business.
Office—No. 12 French's Building.
9-69

I. N. EVERETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
OFFICE No. 17, FRENCH'S BUILDING,
San Antonio, Texas.
Will practice in the State and Federal Courts. (6-7-69d)

HAY! HAY!!
Millet! Millet!!
HAY in Bales,
CORN and all other articles for contractors, are always on hand and will be furnished at the corner of Gooddoches street and the Alamo.
CORN! CORN!!
1-19-69-d2m.

JACK HARRIS,
Saloon and Bar Room,
Market Street, at the Old Bull Head
Building. The very best Wine, Liquors and
Cigars. (2-10-69d)

AUCTION
AND
COMMISSION HOUSE
BY
L. WOLFSON,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Auction sales of Dry Goods, Clothing
Hats, Boats, Saws, Furniture, and every
description of Merchandise, promptly at-
tended to.
Liberal advances made on consigna-
ments.
Goods at private sale, at Auction Prices.
19-5-69d.

BRADEN HOTEL
AND
LIVERY STABLE
ON MARKET STREET,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
ED. BRADEN, Proprietor.
26-10-69d.

ROSADALIS.
Dentist.
A. BOYD DOREMUS, D. D. S.
DENTIST.
Market street.

DR. WEISSELBERG
Physician and Surgeon,
OFFICE, at Nettie's Drug Store,
On Commerce street
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1869. (4-11-70)

Just Received
A large and well assorted lot of
LANDRETH'S
Fresh and genuine
GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS,
ALSO,
ONION SETS,
WOOL TWINE,
LOUIS RUTH,
Market street.
2-11-69)

Proposals for Fresh Beef.
HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT
STATE OF TEXAS.
Office of Chief Commissary of Subsistence,
Austin, Texas, Dec. 18, 1869.

Agents Wanted! Agents Wanted!
\$75 to \$200 per month, more and ter-
mable, to sell the celebrated and original
Common Sense Family Sewing Machine, im-
proved and perfected. It will sew, fell,
cut, tack, hem, and embroider in a
most superior manner. Price only \$15.
For simplicity and durability it has no rival.
Do not buy from any parties selling machines
under the same name as ours, unless buying
a Certificate of Agency signed by us, as
they are worthless. Cash from Machines.
For Circulars and Terms, apply or ad-
dress,
H. CRAWFORD & CO.,
413 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
30-10-69d3m.

KLOEPPER HOTEL,
COMMERCE STREET,
San Antonio, Texas.
FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT!
Mrs. Kloepper calls the attention of her
friends to the extra facilities for travelers
with teams. Attached to her house is a
spacious yard fronting on the river, where
any quantity of stock can be secured.
25-6-69d4wt.

CUTLERY,
Rodgers', Wostenholme's and American
table and Pocket Knives, Razors and Sels-
sons, just received by
17-12-69d&wt6
BELL & BRO'S.

The New Year.
BY ALFRED TENNYSON.
Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty light;
The year is going, let him go,
Ring out, wild bells, and let him die.
Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go,
Ring out the false, ring in the true.
Ring out a slowly dying cause,
And ancient forms of party strife;
Ring in the nobler hopes of life,
With sweeter manners, purer laws.
Ring out the want, the care, the sin,
The faithless coldness of the times;
Ring out, ring out thy mournful hymns,
Be it the fuller minstrel in.
Ring out false pride in place and blood,
The civic slander and the spite;
Ring in the love of truth and right,
Ring in the common love of good.
Ring out old shapes of foul disease;
Ring out the narrowing lusts of gold;
Ring out the thousand years of old,
Ring in the thousand years of peace.
Ring in the valiant man and free,
The larger heart, the kindlier hand;
Ring out the darkness of the land,
Ring in the Christ that is to be.

**DISCOVERIES OF THE MICRO-
SCOPE.**—Lewenhoeck tells us of an
insect seen with the microscope, of
which twenty-seven millions would
only equal a mite. Insects of vari-
ous kinds may be seen in the cavi-
ties of a grain of sand. Mould is a
forest of beautiful trees, with the
branches, leaves, flowers, and fruit.
Butterflies are fully feathered.
Hairs are hollow tubes. The sur-
face of our bodies is covered with
scales like fish; a single grain of
sand would cover one hundred and
fifty of these scales, and yet a sin-
gle scale covers five hundred pores.
Through these narrow openings the
sweat forces itself out like water
through a sieve. The mites make
five hundred steps a second. Each
drop of stagnant water contains a
world of animated beings, swim-
ming with as much liberty as
whales in the sea. Each leaf has
a colony of insects grazing on it,
like oxen on a meadow.

New York has a population of one
million, and spends \$70,000 a week
for amusements. Paris, with a
population of two millions expends
\$93,000 a week for similar purposes.
Paris over New York, with twice
the population of the latter \$26-
000.

OFFICIAL.
LAWS
OF THE
UNITED STATES,
Passed at the Second Session of
the Forty-First Congress.

[Public Resolution—No. 3.
An Act making a temporary appro-
priation for the prosecution of the
work upon the improvement of the
Des Moines rapids in the Mis-
sissippi River.
Be it enacted by the Senate and House
of Representatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That there be, and
is hereby, appropriated, to be paid
out of any money in the treasury
not otherwise appropriated, to be
expended under the direction and
superintendence of the Secretary of
War, for the purpose of continuing
the prosecution of the work upon
the improvement of the Des Moines
rapids in the Mississippi River, the
sum of two hundred thousand dol-
lars.
Approved, December 23, 1869.

[Public—No. 2.]
An Act making appropriations to
partially supply deficiencies in the
appropriations for the service of
the fiscal year ending June thirty,
eighteen hundred and seventy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House
of Representatives of the United States of America
in Congress assembled, That the following
sums be, and the same are hereby,
appropriated, out of any money in
the treasury not otherwise appro-
priated, to supply deficiencies in the
appropriations for the fiscal year
ending on the thirtieth of June,
eighteen hundred and seventy, viz:
For compensation and mileage of
the members of the legislative as-
sembly of the Territory of New
Mexico, and contingent expenses
thereof, fifteen thousand dollars.
For publishing the laws in pamph-
let form and in newspapers of the
States and Territories and the
city of Washington, thirty-six
thousand dollars.
Approved, December 23, 1869.

A. GUILBEAU,
NORTH-EAST CORNER
OF
PRESIDIO
AND
LAHEDO STREETS.

GROCER
AND
IMPORTER
OF
FRENCH WINES
AND
LIQUORS,
BEST QUALITIES OF
FRENCH COGNAC.
11-12-69d.

F. GUILBEAU
Received a consignment of E. Turpin,
New Orleans, of assorted CANDIES, for
sale cheap for cash.

REMOVAL
OF
Messrs. Fish & Hammerstein!
WE HAVE OCCUPIED
THE LOWER STORY OF THE
Masonic Building.
With many thanks to our customers who
have 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.

W. WESTHOFF & CO.,
Indianapolis, Texas.
WHOLESALE GROCERS
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
Merchants,
AND
DEALERS IN HARDWARE.

George B. Torrey,
AUCTION
AND
Commission Merchant,
COMMERCIAL BROKER,
AND GENERAL AGENT.
North side Main Plaza.
Consignments and Agencies solicited.
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 70. (3-4-70d&w)

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

A. SARTOR, JR
COMMERCE STREET,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS,
IMPORTER AND DEALER

HARDWARE,
Agricultural Implements,
CUTLERY,
Woodenware,
PAINTS AND OILS,
Window Glass,
Tools, Uprightstones,
Nails, Hinges,
Locks, &c., &c.

A. SARTOR,
Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of
well assorted
CLOCKS
AND
WATCHES.
warranted for one year
Steel and plated Spectacles, &c., &c.

Groceries,
A FULL AND COMPLETE
STOCK
AT
A. SARTOR, Jr.
12-10-69d.
BELL & BRO'S.,
MANUFACTURERS
AND DEALERS IN
Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Plated-Ware
WATCHES, CLOCKS,
Spectacles, &c.,
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED
No. 9 Commerce Street,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
nov13 1869. (4-11-70)

TO TEACHERS.
THE NATIONAL SERIES OF
SCHOOL BOOKS,
COMPRISING
PARKER & WATSON'S
Readers and Spellers,
Montleith & McNally's Geographies,
Davies' Arithmetics, &c., &c.,
are the adopted Standard for State Univer-
sities for use in the Public Schools of
ALABAMA, LOUISIANA
AND
NORTH CAROLINA.
Publishers' Descriptive Catalogue, com-
prising over
300 DIFFERENT WORKS,
and specimen copy of "Educational Bulletin,"
sent free.
Special Prices
for first introduction or examination.
A. S. BARNES & CO.,
Publishers,
111 & 113 William St., New York.
21-12-69d1w.

NOTICE.
VADO DE PIEDRA.
The undersigned wishes to sell his "Ha-
cienda," known under the above name, sit-
uated on the right bank of the Rio Grande,
touching Villa Ojajaja or Prystido del Norte,
"LA HACIENDA"
is 10 leagues long, and one league wide, ex-
tending all along the river; most of the
lands are fertile and cultivable, of which
some some sixty or seventy "suertes" are
open land and irrigable by the Rio Grande.
The "Hacienda" has an excellent "Trasa,"
besides large groves of Poplars, the
"Hacienda" possesses excellent
PASTURES FOR ANIMALS,
which make it one of the most valuable
properties in the State of Chihuahua.
Persons desiring to purchase this property
will please apply for particulars to Messrs.
MacMans & Bro's of this city, or the un-
derigned, who resides at present at Santa
Rosalia, Canton of Comague.

GUADALUPE GALVAN,
Chihuahua, O. S. L., 1869. (16-12-69-48m)

NOTARY PUBLIC.
JAMES P. NEWCOMB
Office in the "San Antonio Express" build-
ing. (25-6-69d&w)

The Daily Express.

A. SIEMERING & CO., Publishers.

Official Journal of the United States.

Official Journal of Bexar County and City of San Antonio.

FRIDAY, JAN. 14, 1870.

The San Antonio Express was some time since banished from the exchanges of the Galveston Bulletin...

Whitlock is the last man, who should invoke the aid of the Galveston Bulletin, to help him out. It's going a long way from home for an example...

The Brenham Enquirer, 5th inst., says the planters in Washington county are generally engaged in making necessary arrangements for a crop.

The Cincinnati Gazette Annual Register.—We are in receipt of one of the completest almanacs of the New Year so far...

The text of the Pope's Allocution shows that the cable dispatch was correct in representing the Pope as saying that the church is stronger than heaven...

TEXAS ITEMS.

The Gonzales Index, 5th inst., says: Corn is plentiful in the country at 75 cents per bushel...

The late advance in cotton has caused the staple to move more lively toward our city.

Texas papers are requested to publish the following: If my brother, Leonard A. Hartson, is alive...

The Indianapolis Bulletin, 5th inst., says the holidays are now over, and

business is again assuming a cheerful appearance. Hides, peltries, cotton and wool are coming in freely...

The Paris Press, 1st inst., is informed by parties who recently passed through Jefferson, that work on the Memphis, El Paso and Pacific Railroad is being rapidly pushed through.

The Gonzales Index says of that part of the country: Lands may be bought very low...

One of the 'lost tribes' has turned up, safe and sound, in the shape of a people called the Falashas, who inhabit a district in Abyssinia...

There were about 250,000 of the Falashas. They speak an Agua dialect called Falashina, or Kullina, and into this language they have translated a Gheez version of the Old Testament.

The text of the Pope's Allocution shows that the cable dispatch was correct in representing the Pope as saying that the church is stronger than heaven...

NOTICE.—John McKinzie Jackson:—If you are yet living, and this should come to your notice, come home immediately...

RETURN OF DELEGATES FROM THE COLORED LABOR CONVENTION.—Thomas Powell, the only delegate from Galveston...

once in an instructive and entertaining manner.—Civilian.

THE DARIAN SHIP CANAL.—The Baltimore Sun, in its Washington news, says:

The President will submit to Congress, on its reassembling, a special message on the Darian ship canal matter...

STANTON DIED POOR.—These words contain the great man's best eulogy. With opportunities to accumulate millions...

A statistical New Yorker says that last year 1,160 persons were killed by accidents from gunpowder...

HEADQUARTERS POST OF SAN ANTONIO, San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 13, 1870.

One of the Lost Tribes.

I. It has been observed that soldiers out on pass at night, do not conduct themselves in an orderly manner...

II. As a rule, non-commissioned officers and soldiers, who come off guard in the morning...

III. The Sheriff and his deputies, the Marshal and all of the Police force, are hereby required to arrest and confine in the jail...

By command of Bvt. Maj. Gen. JAMES H. CARLETON, CHARLES C. CRESSON, Brevet Major U. S. A., Post Adjutant.

Facts for the Ladies.

I have used my Wheeler & Wilson over fifteen years. It has done the sewing for two families...

New Advertisements.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE FOR 1870.

The First Edition of One Hundred and Twenty Thousand copies of Vick's Illustrated Catalogue of Seeds and Floral Guide...

BOUQUET OF PHLOXES.

It is the most beautiful, as well as the most instructive Floral Guide published...

TO THE WORKING CLASS.

We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment of home, the whole of the time...

GEO. W. SMITH & CO., GENERAL

Real Estate Agents.

OFFICE—Gray's Building, Houston, Texas. Special attention given to the Sale, Purchase and Location of Lands...

REFERENCES: Hon. A. H. Craig, U. S. Senate, N. H. Lieut. Gov. George Hendee, Vermont.

Notice. The undersigned authority will offer for rent the Hard Rock Quarries...

Beef! Beef!! Beef!!! Headquarters 5th Military Dist., (STATE OF TEXAS.)

SEALED PROPOSALS, which must be in triplicate with a copy of this advertisement...

Koenigheim & Co., MAIN PLAZA, OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

JUST RECEIVED, a splendid FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF Fancy and Staple DRY-GOODS...

Having just received a stock of Fall and Winter Goods...

STRICTLY RETAIL

Establishment on Commerce Street, next door to Bell & Bro's...

Dress Goods, Fancy Goods,

Clothing, Casimeres, Hats, Caps, BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

Philadelphia made Shoes. KOENIGHEIM & CO., Commerce street.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE Collector's Office, 3rd District, Texas, SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 3rd, 1870.

The tax payers of this District are notified that the undersigned has this day taken charge of the office of Collector...

P. BRAUBACH, Collector 3rd Dist. Texas.



LONG LOOKED FOR

COME AT LAST!! THE GREAT UNDIVIDED, UNABRIDGED AND GIGANTIC COMBINATION.

Mirth, Music & Magnificence!

Darling feats, feats of strength, marvelous acrobatic stunts...

MR. C. W. NOYES' CRESCENT CITY CIRCUS.

WILL EXHIBIT IN SAN ANTONIO, Four Days Only.

Saturday, Jan. 15th, The Manager takes great pleasure in announcing to his many friends...

TOURNAMENT OF SPLENDOR OF THE FIELD OF THE CLOTH OF GOLD.

Will be given every night, including at one time in the Arena...

MAGNIFICENCE

Produced by the enterprising manager, Mr. C. W. NOYES...

Great Wilson Brothers, Mr. Charles McCarty, and Adolph Gonzales.

MASTER WOODS COOK

is Champion Souffle maker of the World, and will take orders...

MISS ANNIE WORLAND

Frontier Equestrienne, and charming rider on the CORNER PLAZA.

Mlle. Marie Barnour, THE SPANISH BEAUTY,

QUEEN OF THE AIR!

WONDER OF THE NEW CENTURY. Her daring and accomplished act...

THE ONLY Female Gymnast!

The FEMALE Gymnast is directed by Mr. TOM FLAND, the accomplished English and Military Circus...

MR. CHARLES NOYES

Manager, Director, Animal Tamer and Gentleman, who will see all of his managerial...

Don't forget this day and date. THE ONLY Female Gymnast!

Director, Manager, and Animal Tamer.



Local Intelligence.

ABATEMENT OF A NUISANCE.—Briggs has been removed from the office of Justice of the Peace.

The plows are busy now in all directions.

Some one has left a pair of gold spectacles in our sanctum.—The owner is hereby notified.

The Criminal Court has elected a candidate to Huntsville for five years, Judge Tom is doing very well.

The Weather on Wednesday was warm bright and sparkling; on Thursday it was dark, cold and windy.

THE PHARISEE of the Evening Star continues to pound his brass and declare he is unlike other journalists.

OPENING OF THE CITY SCHOOLS.—The city free schools will open on Monday, the 17th inst. Parents and all interested are notified to send their children punctually. The school rooms have been repaired and thoroughly renovated; and the schools will continue under the same excellent discipline and management as heretofore.

THE S. A. Herald of the 12th acknowledges its disease to be want of patronage. This want has produced the ugly symptoms in that sheet—so says its editor. The only cure is death.

ARRIVALS AT THE MENOR HOTEL.—F. T. Stacken, Fredericksburg; C. P. Price, Baltimore; H. Yastman, Baltimore; R. Atkin, B. A. Sherdly, Rio Prio; W. T. Passey, Nashville; A. W. Bostwich, Fort Smith; C. P. Muller, Austin; J. P. Constable, Cincinnati; Mr. Suigorski, W. K. Arnik, Indiana; John R. Sharot, City.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—At the meeting of the Agricultural Society last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. H. Jackson, President, Ed. Braden 1st Vice President, W. G. Kingsbury, 2nd Vice President, Erastus Reed, 3rd Vice President, Robt. Clarke, Secretary, F. Kattener, Treasurer.

We are not given to self-praise, but the following compliment in the S. A. Herald of the 12th inst. is too good to be passed over, and we must beg the indulgence of our readers in giving it a place:

"A MOKSROSSITY.—The editor of the Express is certainly a lineal descendant of Original Sin; his evil passions have stamped in his countenance moral depravity, as indelible as the mark of Cain; he has explored every depth of degradation; wandered in every by-path of shame; won every epithet of crime, and has sunk so much lower than the accursed of his race, that it would take Hercules with the Archimedeon lever to lift him to the level of a common felon. A Robespierre in politics, a Judas in religion, and a Selkirk in society. We challenge the universe to produce a match for this monster."

The proprietors of the Herald are a decidedly plus set. We extract the following from its columns:

"We would rather have all the policemen in town after us, yes lay in jail a month, than for the one who nursed us in infancy, learned us to talk and walk, taught us to say nightly: 'Now I lay me down to sleep, I pray the Lord my soul to keep,' &c. to find us drunk in a bar-room." S. A. Herald.

This reminds us of a story. In a famous gallery in Rome, hung two pictures, side by side, so remarkably opposite in character, as to attract general remark and enquiry. One represented a beautiful child, perfectly angelic in every lineament of its features; the other a horrible specimen of a man, whose crime furrowed face and demonic expression made the picture a true representation of the evil one. A famous painter met a child whose beauty made so deep an impression upon him that he engraved the image to his canvass, and set it up as the picture of all that was good and lovely in man; he then sought for a subject to represent the opposite idea; at last, near the close of his career, he heard of a dreadful fellow, and visiting his subject, found the truly opposite of his beautiful child, and after painting the picture, his interest led him to enquire into the history of the man whose crimes had become pictured upon his countenance—and to his horror he turned out to be the beautiful child he had painted years before, and hung in his studio as the representation of all that was good and lovely.

Monday—If the Herald men were good little boys who said their prayers every night before they retired to their virtuous couches, what wonderful progress they have made in the way of human depravity, since they have grown up to be naughty men and editors.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office, at San Antonio, Texas, Jan. 12th, received prior to Jan. 5th, 1870:

- Published by Official Authority. Britton, E E; Bee, Gen H P; Baker, Geo N; Bille, G C; Brown, Jas W; Busley, John A; Buser, T T; Berry, Lowell (col.); Campbell, Bissentad; Collins, Henry; Curran, Peter; Connor, Thomas; Christias, S S; Cook, Wm; Clark, W J; Daniels, Miss Engene; Danenhauer, S; Dias, Encarnacion; Davis, Jas J; Dunn, Jas P; Farris, John P; Kalba, Joseph; Kittman, Josef; Klein, Moses; Kirke, Wm; Landgrebs, H; Lueero, Sosefita; Lastinger, Mrs Judah; Lecky, Thomas; Monroe, B; Mosley, Francis; McSorley, Jas; Martinez, Felipe; Mulry, John; McSwain, J M; Meickles, Miss L; Martinez, Hario; McCullech, Robt; Mills, W W; Mackan, R E; Meny, Thielant; Newman, S B

- Farral, John; Fradison, Jas H; Freymere, H; Field, Seman; Frank, Hirsch; Frazier, Isaac J; Fossett, Mrs; Gombert, G H; Garretson, John W; Gimbel, H; Gasinas, Lige; Gates, Wm N; Howell, Adelino; Holsman, B; Hornsley, B J; Hoch, Andrew; Hixson, Eljah; Holler, John; Harrell, Hardy; Horn, Ellen; Howley, Austin J; Hernandez, Santos; Hogg, Furner; Haeffay, Wm; Hayward, William; Hurst, Wm; Hext, A; Jaqua, Albert; Jackson, Miss Emma; James, Henry; Jones, Joseph; Jourdon, T; Jefferson, Edwin; Johnson, Miss Alice; Kohler, Ernst; Kabelmacher, H; Nunn, Miss; Mandy, Miss C; Noll, Wm H; Nicholas, Miss N; Osborne, E A; Osmu, Hilario; Osnare, Nat A; Pieper, August-2; Portillo, Lorenzo; Patton, Mrs Joe; Binghampt, F M; Rosado, A S; Root, Miss Lucy; Rood, Vicenti; Riley, Jas; Kyles, J W; Ribas, Encarnacion; Sackford, Wm; Scofield, Mrs P; Shell, Josephina; Sexton, P B; Torres, Bernardo; Urguio, S; Varney, C R; Yarga, Philips; Vandestraden, T; Williams, Chas; Williams, Chas A; Whiggins, F W; Williamson, G M; Weber, Geo W; Wilson, John; Wade, Jasm; Waldrop, S J; Ybarra, R C

Letters held for Postage.

- Francis M. Brister, Lexington, Burleson Co., Texas. J. W. Herndon, Galveston, Texas. Elizabeth Ashley, Kosciako, Miss. Mrs. Margaret T. Brown, Lexington, Burleson co., Texas. John E. Rioslan, Houston, Texas. Henry Williams, San Antonio, 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. S. P. GAMBIA, P. M

MARKET MANIFEST.

- GARDEN SEEDS. WAGNER & RUMMEL, 2s-10-09. Liebig's Beef Extract. SOLD BY "RHODUS & CO., San Antonio. WAGONS! WAGONS! The undersigned, Agent for the Factory of WILSON, CHILDS & CO., Philadelphia, keeps constantly on hand a full supply of WAGONS, made of the best material, which defies competition. A. STAECKE Agent. Feb 7 69-71y. Direct Importation. JUST RECEIVED, A LARGE ASST OF French Claret, Quarts and Pints, 10 different Brands. Prunes in Glass Jars. Fruit in own Juice. Leaf Tobacco. Cognac by the Bbl. and Box. Champagne, Duc de Montebello Charte blanche. French White Wine and Rhine Wine, etc. Pianos! Pianos!! Of Hazelton & Bro., W. Kniebe & Co., and others. The risk of transportation is on our own account. Glassware! Glassware!! 40 Bbla. Lamp chimneys, of all sizes and lowest prices. Table Lamps, Bracket Lamps, Hang Lamps, Parlor Lamps, Hall Lamps, Side Lamps and Spring Candelsticks, &c. 175 Boxes Window and Picture Glass of all sizes. Pottenrieder & Biersch. 7-1-70d&w. A. MORRIS, DEALER IN Staple and Fancy Dry-Goods, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, SHOES AND BOOTS. NO. 24 COMMERCE STREET, San Antonio. EDWARD MILES, GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE, Corner of Commerce and Pava Streets, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. The undersigned has just opened a FAMILY GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE, where he intends keeping on hand a supply of the best in the market at the lowest cash prices. A good supply of Corn and Fresh Corn Meal will be kept on hand, which will be supplied in any desired quantities, at short notice. SMOKING AND CHEWING TOBACCO, SEGARS. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. San Antonio, Nov. 12, 1869 (11-69d&w

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 Sawyer, 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.

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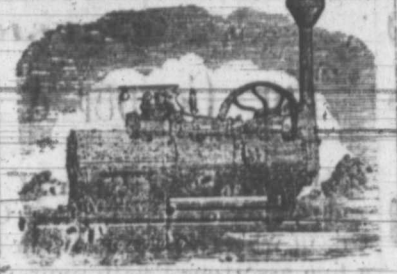
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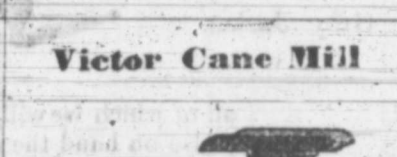
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