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 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
WHOLESALE
 AND
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 IN
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY-GOODS,
 Clothing, Boots, Shoes
 &c., &c.
 21-1-69.

DRESEL & BRIAM
 Wholesale
 AND
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DEALERS!
 IN
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 AND
DEALER IN
Wines and Liquors.
 OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE
 AT
 MEXICO HOTEL.
 1-3-69-21-1

Th. Schlenning,
 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
IMPORTER
 Wholesale
 AND
RETAIL
 DEALER
 IN
GROCERIES,
 Wines,
 Liquors,
 Tobacco,
 Cigars,
 Glassware, Porcelain Ware,
 &c., &c.
 26-10-69

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

JACK COOKE,
 LAWYER.
 Office, west side of Military Plaza,
 near Courthouse. (April 6th)

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.
 2-6-69.

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

C. L. PROBANDT
AUCTION
 AND
Commission Merchant,
 EAST SIDE MAIN PLAZA.
 FISH & HAMMERSTEIN'S
 20-1-70 Old Stand.
WAGONS! WAGONS!
 The undersigned, Agent for the Factory,
 Philadelphia, keeps constantly on hand a full
 supply of
WAGONS,
 made of the best material, which does ex-
 ception. A. STAACKE, Agent.
 feb 7 1870.

A NEW DISCOVERY!!
PHALON'S
"VITALIA;"
 OR,
Salvation for the Hair.
 For Restoring to Gray Hair its
 Original Color.

PHALON'S "VITALIA" differs
 utterly from all the "dyes,"
 "colorers," and "restorers"
 (Y) in use. It acts on a
 totally different principle. It
 is limpid, fragrant, and per-
 fectly innocuous, precipitates
 no muddy or flacculent mat-
 ter, requires no shaking up,
 and communicates no stain to
 the skin or the linen. No
 paper-curtain is necessary to
 conceal its turbid appearance,
 for the simple reason that it is
 not turbid. It is, to all intents
 and purposes, A NEW DISCOVERY
 in Toilet Chemistry.

Phalon's "VITALIA" is
 warranted to effect a change
 in the color of the hair within
 10 days after the first applica-
 tion, the direction being
 carefully observed.

IT IS AS CLEAR AS WATER!
 AND HAS NO SEDIMENT.

Price, One Dollar per Box,
 CONTAINING TWO BOTTLES.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

If your Druggist has not
 "Vitalia" on hand, write, en-
 closing \$1.00, and we will
 forward it immediately.

PHALON & SON,
 517 Broadway, N. Y.
 7-1-10-69

A. BOUD DOREMUS, D. D. S.
 DENTIST.
 DR. WEISSELBERG
 Physician and Surgeon,
 OFFICE, at Nettie's Drug Store,
 200 Old Commerce street
 San Antonio, Jan. 2nd, 1870.

BILL & BRO'S.
 MANUFACTURERS
 AND DEALERS IN
 Jewelry, Silver-Ware, Plated-Ware
 WATCHES, CLOCKS,
 Spectacles, Fine
 Pocket and Table Cutlery,
 RAZORS, SCISSORS,
 FANCY GOODS, &c., &c.
 Watches, Clocks and Jewelry
 REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.
 No. 11 Commerce Street,
 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
 nov 15 1869, J&Wf

TELEGRAPHIC
 SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.

WASHINGTON, February 2.
 The proposed tariff is as follows:
 Teas 20 cents; coffee 4 cts. on refined,
 stone, dried or leaf-tea; crushed, powder-
 ed and granulated sugar 4 cents per pound;
 provided, all other sugar than refined,
 stone or dried, which has in the process of
 manufacture been advanced in quality
 above No. 12 duties, standard or colored,
 being bottled or crystallized in a vacuum,
 pan, or colored or liquored in moulds, or
 purged in centrifugal machines, or by
 vacuum process, or filtered through bone
 blocks or its equivalent, shall be remarked
 as clarified sugar; and provided further,
 that the Secretary of the Treasury shall,
 by regulations, prescribe and require that
 the samples taken by inspectors shall be
 from the middle of the packages, so as to
 get the true average quality, and that the
 weights of sugar imported in casks or
 boxes shall be marked distinctly by the
 customhouse weigher by scoring the fig-
 ures intelligibly on each package.

On Molasses from sugar cane five cents
 per gallon; tank bottom syrup of sugar
 cane juice, melado, concentrated melado or
 concentrated molasses 14 cents per pound;
 provided that all syrup of sugar cane juice,
 melado, concentrated melado or concen-
 trated molasses, entered under the name
 of molasses, shall be forfeited to the United
 States.

It is stated that Sherman telegraphed to
 Gen. Terry, by order of the President that
 the Senatorial election of Hill and Miller,
 are regarded as legitimate here. The ef-
 fect of this order forbids the Legislature
 electing any other Senators.

British affairs are leaving serious con-
 sideration in high executive and leading
 Senatorial quarters; but nothing absolute-
 ly known. Principal persons decline ad-
 dressing rumors or authorizing any
 publication.

The House, after private bills, discussed
 the Fenian prisoners in Great Britain. A
 very warm debate is progressing.

In the Senate a bill was reported for the
 appointment of an Associate Judge with
 Waters of Texas. The committee took
 no action.

Mississippi will not be considered by the
 Reconstruction committee until Butler
 returns, though the bill before the Senate
 may pass any moment after passing the
 House.

London, Feb. 1.
 The Anglo-American cable company
 voted for amalgamation with the French
 company, by a large majority.

New York, February 1.
 The building of Cyrus Olmsted, contain-
 ing 1200 bales of cotton was burned.

HAVANA, Feb. 1.
 The steamer Lavaca, from Key West en-
 tered the harbor this morning with colors
 at half mast, bearing the remains of Cas-
 tiano. The body will be embalmed and
 preparations are making for the funeral.

LONDON, February 2.
 Ship Melbourne from London for Savan-
 nah, put back to Falmouth loading.

The Lady C. Shields for New Orleans, at
 Falmouth, with six feet water in the hold.

MARKETS.

New York Market.
 New York, February 2.
 Cotton easier at 2 1/2.
 Gold 117 1/2.

Foreign Market.
 Liverpool, February 2.
 Cotton opened dull, Uganda 11 1/2 to 11 1/4;
 Orleans 11 1/2; sales 10,000 bales.

French engineers have reported
 so favorably of the steam-cars which
 are now running in the streets of
 Paris, that leave has been granted to
 the company which owns the
 contrivance of laying it in two
 routes of several miles in length, and
 situated partly in some of the best
 parts of the city. The inventor of
 the car is a Scotchman named
 Thompson. The tires of the wheels
 are of Indianrubber, and it has ca-
 pacities of accommodating fifty
 passengers. It is, of course, more
 manageable than the ordinary horse
 car, and is said to be more danger-
 ous to the public. It travels up and
 down rising ground without the
 slightest difficulty, and its rubber
 tires prevent it from jolting.

Fire-proof furniture is the last
 scientific announcement in Ger-
 many. It is said that a German
 chemist, acting under a commission
 from a fire insurance company,
 discovered that impregnation with a
 concentrated solution of rock salt
 renders all timber fire-proof. The
 salt, too, renders wood proof against
 dry-rot and the ravages of insects.

GROCER
 AND
IMPORTER,
 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.

Beef! Beef!
 Smoked Beef! Smoked Tongues and
 Corn beef, for sale at
 SCHMIDT & DURLER,
 No. 9, Commerce street.
 19-1-70d1m.

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

AUCTION
 AND
COMMISSION HOUSE
 BY
L. WOLFSON,
 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
 Auction sales of Dry Goods, Clothing
 Hats, Boots, Shoes, Furniture, and every
 description of Merchandise, promptly at-
 tended to.
 Liberal advance made on consigna-
 ments.
 Goods at private sale, at Auction Prices,
 19-3-69d.

Important Notice
 TO THE
Traveling Public.
 The undersigned having purchased the en-
 tire Livery Stock of B. H. Sappington, and
 taken possession of the premises lately oc-
 cupied by him as a Livery Stable in San
 Antonio, will continue the business at the
 old and well-known stand, at the crossing of
 the upper bridge—making such additions to
 the already largest stock of horses and vehi-
 cles in the city, as shall be demanded by
 the wants of the community.

In connection with the above, he has large
 Pasturage Facilities,
 enabling him to keep stock upon the most
 favorable terms.

Will be kept at all times, Spanish Horses
 and Mules for sale.

Ambulances and teams always in readi-
 ness to carry passengers to any part of the
 State.

The best of Saddle Horses for hire at re-
 duced rates.

BLACKSMITHING.
 He has also on the above-mentioned prem-
 ises, a Blacksmith Shop, where the best of
 workmen are employed for making and re-
 pairing vehicles, shoeing horses, and doing
 all other work in that line.

Charges in all departments will be the
 lowest.

JOHN C. CRAWFORD, Jr.
 San Antonio, Jan. 25, 1870. 7-13-1-70d

A. SARTOR, JR.
 COMMERCE STREET,
 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS,
 IMPORTER AND DEALER
 IN
HARDWARE,
 Agricultural Implements,
 CUTLERY,
 Woodenware,
 PAINTS AND OILS,
 Window Glass,
 Tools, Grindstones,
 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.
 13-10-69d

TO TEACHERS.
THE NATIONAL SERIES OF
SCHOOL BOOKS,
 selected and published by the
 National Board of Commissioners of Educa-
 tion, COMPREHENSIVE
 of all the
FARREL & WATSON'S
 Readers and Spellers,
 13-10-69d

F. GUILBEAU,
 NORTH-EAST CORNER
 OF
PRESIDIO
 AND
LAREDO STREETS.

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

EDWARD MELES,
 GROCERY
 AND PROVISION STORE,
 Corner of Commerce and Paso 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 TO-
 BACCO, SEGARS.**
 A share of the public patronage is respect-
 fully solicited.
 San Antonio, Nov. 12, 1869. (11-69d1w)

JACK HARRIN,
 Saloon and Bar-Room,
 Market Street, at the Old Bull Head
 Stand. The very best Wines, Liquors and
 Cigars (Jan 29 1869)

In calling the attention of the public to our book and job printing office, we feel confident that our long experience and great care with which all our materials have been selected, will enable us to execute work better and at far less costs than it can be done elsewhere.

A few Words from the State of Austin.

Austin Feb. 1, 1870. Austin is at present plithoric; its hotels, its boarding-houses and, in fact, all but its wide and pretentious Avenue, is running over with company.

The little played-out organ of the Ring has lately been dealing in "unwritten history" of rebel times; the author should sign himself "J. L. Haynes" and be done with it.

The St. Mary's Vaquero is offered for sale. The Houston Times is mad at the world generally, and at the United States especially.

he has been wonderfully reticent, and is indebted to his political enemies for his prominence on the list from him no word has yet fallen.

There seems to be no new phrase to the question of contested seats in the Legislature. But it is likely the two Houses will examine into the rights of members to seats where there are good grounds for contest.

Now, leaving these speculations a moment, I call attention to the new radical newspaper, "THE STATE JOURNAL", which has sprung like a new-blown rose from the ruins of the democratic State organ, the "State Gazette."

The diffusion of the tall hats and large walking sticks, worn by the defunct politicians of Austin, seems to have annoyed them very much.

The Houston Times is mad at the world generally, and at the United States especially. It hates mankind (and above all, that portion of it), which is colored. It does not like newspapers, except such that arerazy on the subject of the white man's government, and has a particular spite against the Express.

We are informed that a man named Fauquier was killed at Welborn station, on the Central Railway, yesterday. We have been unable to obtain particulars in relation to the affair.

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hotel in Shreveport. The Brazos Hotel was filthy throughout. The beds were dirty and greasy; the food set before us not fit for swine, and all things were despicable.

DEFERRED DISPATCHES.

European News.

Italy. The Blind Bishop's Address to the Council.—During the session of the Ecumenical Council in Rome a great effect was produced—as described in a special letter to the Herald—by the appearance and by the speech of Monsignor Pizzani, Archbishop of Nisibi.

France. PARIS, January 23.—In the Corps Legislatif yesterday, Thiers made a great speech, denouncing the commercial treaties. All disorder attending the strike of the workmen at Leconzout has been represented by troops, and the strike ended.

Spain. MADRID, Jan. 26.—The election in Ouedo is progressing. Duke Montpensier's defeat is considered certain. Marquis Peroles is running in Madrid as successor to Serrano. The vote last night stood as follows: Peroles, 19,000; Queales, Republican, 15,000; and the Carlist candidate 5000.

Germany. The Cologne Gazette, to hand by the European mail of the 6th of January, relates a horrid story as asserted at Schrimm, in the government of Posen:

A country girl living not far from that place had received her inheritance of 300 thalers from the authorities there. On her return home she spent the night in a village; having no acquaintance there she took refuge at the house of the village justice, to whom in virtue of his position, she gave her whole confidence and informed him of the object of her journey.

Lawlessness and Crimes. Three unknown men, murdered two negroes and shot another through the head on Saturday the 22d inst., near Waco.

A Mr. Brown was alone, brown, by an unknown murderer near Paris, Lamar county. A warrant was issued to arrest a man named Ward, and another, who have fled.

MURDER.—An atrocious murder was committed near this city, on Wednesday evening, the 26th inst., about 9 o'clock. The murdered man's name was Munson Smith, engaged as foreman in the construction of the Morgan wharf.

The clown of C. W. Noyes' Crescent City Circus gave the landlord of the Millers' Hotel a notice while exhibiting in this city. The following, which we copy from the Central Journal, is almost as complimentary as Robinson's notice of the Millican House.

ured by the blows on it. Bates was arrested, but Dolan, up to this time, has not been captured. Mr. Smith was an industrious and hard working man, and had the full confidence of his employers.

Since writing the above, the man Dolan has been captured. He was found in the Guadalupe bottom near McGrew's Ferry, about thirty-five miles from town, having stolen a horse from Messrs. Volk & Mylins.

HOW TO CLEAN OUR LAND OF WEEDS.—A correspondent says that the best plan to clear weedy land of weeds is to keep ploughing it. Each time the furrows are turned, a new lot of seeds come to the surface, and of course germinate, and when turned under, die; and thinks that a whole season given to a lot will more than pay the cost of ploughing some half dozen times, and the loss of the land for the year.

We presume that our friend's plan would decrease largely the quantity of weeds that would spring up after any stirring of the surface soil; but if each farmer would always remember that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," and keep his fields absolutely clean when in crops, there would be no need of losing a year's products, and the labor of four or five ploughings.

New Advertisements.

LOST. February 2nd, Robert Gover, aged 4 years, light hair, blue eyes, blue complexion, no hat on, in his shirt sleeves; also, Sauter, aged 5 years, brown hair, dark eyes, dark complexion, had on his coat a brown coat bound with black cord.

FIVE DOLLARS REWARD! STOLEN. From my ranch on Olmos creek, in Breda Co. I have lost an American horse, bay color, 16 hands high, a seat from a year old, the left shoulder about 1/2 inch below the neck, and a rocking pace.

CATSVILLE WATER MILL. Having possession of S. & B. Brown's Cat Mill, Cat Mill and Cat Mill, all of which are in good order and ready for use, I will sell them cheap. Orders by mail or otherwise will receive prompt attention and be forwarded to any part of the country.

JOHN YANCEY, DEALER IN FINE DRY GOODS, Groceries, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, READY MADE CLOTHING, HOODS, STATIONERY, &c. &c. No. 24, Main Plaza, S. A. T.

PHENIX MUTUAL LIFE. Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn. Assets, over \$4,000,000.00. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL. Insurance Company, Galveston, Texas, Capital, \$500,000.00.

GEORGIA HOME. Insurance Company, Columbus, Georgia, Capital, \$500,000.00. Gold and Currency. Policies Issued by Liberal Terms. W. T. MARSHALL, Agent, San Antonio, Dec. 18, 1869. (19-12-69-33m)

Attention Travelers!! EL PASO MAIL LINE. Four horse Coaches now run between Fort Concho and Fort Stockton, semi-weekly. Passengers leaving San Antonio on Monday and Friday, go through to Stockton without delay.

Stationery, Pictures and Frames, Musical Instruments and Strings, Koenigheim & Co., MAIN PLAZA, OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Advertisement for Stationery, Pictures and Frames, Musical Instruments and Strings, Koenigheim & Co., MAIN PLAZA, OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Capt. morning. Mu. 1 bums, 7 in show. ACCN er fell f Thursd GARD grove o Garden MAY able fo yard e street. VEGE withst ppled y New ceivd Groceri Prices, street. In an vertice wore lo low ci ents an restore er and. Hoog creek s near hi light. will re are get WEI cert gh ft of s provd was no attend speaki nderal Cnt playing in atte a ride, home. did n were m day o The on the. I have ing Me aver garden finest t twenty you kn chine. and is peepel. The usly b ecular to the crip Co tes an a starve Cragin. Mr. WU edentist editors with on article's opinions Official Journal. The the C from a The sixty year, i nonga as seen here b road, pound on a n woid w great ing to to any batch. The ing fr pass t ment, of ach length Stater sold in.

Local Intelligence.

CAPT. LOCK left for Austin Thursday morning, in company with Judge Noonan.

MR. W. W. GAMBLE has a new lot of Albums, Notions, &c., all tastefully arranged in show cases, and at exceedingly low figures.

ACCIDENT.—Our friend Mr. Henry Laager fell from the tin roof of his house on Thursday, receiving severe injuries.

GARDEN SEEDS.—Messrs. Leroux & Cosgrove offer a fine assortment of Landreth's Garden seeds for sale.

HAY and Millet can be had in bales, suitable for easy transportation, at the hay yard near the Alamo, on Nacogdoches street.

VEGETABLES.—The cold weather notwithstanding, our markets are well supplied with a rich assortment of vegetables.

NEW GOODS.—Mr. Julius Piper has received a well selected stock of family Groceries, and offers them at reasonable prices, at the corner of Alamo and Main street.

In another column will be found an advertisement describing the little boys who were lost on the 2nd, and call on our fellow citizens to assist the unfortunate parents and the authorities in their efforts to restore the children to the unhappy mother and father.

HORSE STOLEN.—A farmer from Olmsted crook states that a horse was stolen from near his house on Thursday, in open day light. He offers a reward to any one who will return the animal to him. Thieves are getting bold in this neighborhood.

We attended Wednesday night, the Concert given at the Casino Hall for the benefit of the Hospital of the sisters, which proved to be a complete success. There was no room for all those who desired to attend the same, the hall being literally speaking—thronged with people. We understand that 800 tickets were sold.

CHILDREN LOST.—Two little boys while playing on Flores street, on Wednesday, in attempting to catch a "barro" to take a ride, unfortunately went on the fire from home that they lost their way and did not return that night. Efforts were made to track them, but up to Thursday evening they had not been found. The last seen of them on Wednesday was on the upper deck near Dr. T. J. Tanner's.

THE GREAT KING OF BEAUTY, if the spiritualists could raise it, would admit that there is something "new under the sun." FRAXON'S VITALIA OR SALVATION FOR THE HAIR, is thoroughly original. There has been nothing like it since time began. It is the only transparent, and harmless fluid in existence that will restore the natural color to gray hair, without discoloring the skin.

Facts for the Ladies. I have used a Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine in my shop for eight years, on an average of eight hours a day, making garments from the heaviest beaver to the finest cambric. I have taught at least twenty different persons to run it, and you know beginners do not improve a machine. It has never been out of repair, and is good for ten years more if used properly.

MRS. A. F. STRICKLAND, Dress and Cloak Maker. THE JOURNAL OF EDUCATION for January is of more than usual value to teachers and school officers. In addition to the cost of a school house with full description, Mr. Thomas Davidson contributes an article on "Systems of Language in our Schools of Education." Miss Mary J. Craig writes on "Educational Forces." Mr. William L. Harris and other eminent educators, also contribute articles. The editorials on "County Superintendents," with continued attention, as well as the article by Senex, on the "Missouri Agricultural College," "Notice of Institutes, Official Department," etc., complete the number. Address: J. B. MERWIN, Editor and Publisher, 710 Chestnut St., St. Louis.

The Chattanooga Railroad.

The following items concerning the Chattanooga railroad, we take from the New Orleans Republican.

The people of New Orleans will pay not less than \$1,500,000 each year in beef alone, when the Chattanooga railroad is completed to Texas, as steaks and inferior beef, brought here by Morgan's steamers and railroad, now sells for fifteen cents per pound, while it might be brought on a railroad from the pastures and sold at six cents, with profit. The great cost of beef in this city is owing to Morgan's monopoly, and not to any conduct on the part of our butchers.

The Chattanooga railroad, leading from New Orleans to Texas, will pass through and open up to settlement and cultivation over 5,000,000 acres of now unoccupied land belonging to the State and the United States—lands better adapted, by soil and climate, to the immigrant,

than any lands in the Northwest, thereby lessening taxation and increasing the ability of the State to pay its bonds and debts, by the sale of these lands and the surpluses and their products.

An Ordinance.

Re-enacting and amending an ordinance concerning payments made in Confederate money, or other worthless paper, on accounts of the principal and interest due upon lands sold by the city of San Antonio, to divers persons, &c., passed on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1866.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of San Antonio:

SECTION 1. That the ordinance passed on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1866, and hereafter published, in reference to payments made in so-called Confederate currency, &c., be re-enacted with the following modifications and amendments thereof, to wit:

That all persons interested, their agents or assignees, are hereby required to settle with Messrs. Davis & Murphy within ninety days, from and after the publication of this Ordinance, the entire amount due to the City of San Antonio, of principal and interest on lands purchased from said city on 6th years credit, the payment of which having been made in so-called Confederate currency, since the 1st day of April, A. D. 1861, with which said Davis & Murphy, the claims as above stated are placed for settlement, and upon the presentation of their receipts for the payment of said principal and interest, in U. S. currency, the city will execute the final title to said parties.

SEC. 2. That all persons who are interested for lands purchased from the city of San Antonio, on 6th years credit, and have failed to pay the same, are hereby notified that the aforesaid firm has been employed by the city of San Antonio to institute legal proceedings against all delinquents on said interest, from and after the 1st day of May, A. D. 1870, in case such interest have not been paid in U. S. currency, as said city, up to said date.

SEC. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage. Passed, January 31st, A. D. 1870. Published February 2, A. D. 1870. WM. C. A. THIELEPAPE, Mayor of the City of San Antonio.

MARTIN H. CAMPBELL, City Secretary.

The ordinance above referred to and passed on January 10th, 1866, reads as follows:

AN ORDINANCE.

Concerning payments made in Confederate money or other worthless paper, on account of the principal and interest due upon lands sold by the city of San Antonio to divers persons, declaring the instrument of writing purporting to be deeds from the city of San Antonio for said lands, to be null and void, and allowing credits on account of said principal and interest for the market value of the amounts paid at the time of payments.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of San Antonio:

SECTION 1. That the city of San Antonio does not recognize the act or sale of any person or persons, claiming to act as officers of said city, from the 1st day of April, A. D. 1861, until the ninth day of October, 1865, in receiving in the name of said city, the Bonds, Treasury Notes or currency of the late Confederate Government, worthless paper, purporting to be city scrip of said city, issued during that time in payment of the principal and interest, due to the said city upon lands sold by said city, or in assuming to act in the name of said city in signing or executing instruments of writing purporting to be releases or conveyances from said city for such lands, or receipts for such pretended payments, and that all such pretended releases, conveyances and receipts, are hereby declared to be null and void.

SEC. 2. That to avoid any seeming injustice to those persons who have acted innocently and in good faith in making any such payments since the 1st day of April, A. D. 1861. All such persons as have paid to any person or persons acting as officers of said city, any such bonds, treasury notes, currency or scrip on account of the principal and interest, or either, due upon the lands heretofore sold by this city, shall upon presentation and delivery to the Mayor of his or their receipts, for such payments, together with such instruments of writing purporting to be releases or conveyances from said city, within three months after the passage of this ordinance, and shall at the same time surrender such instruments of writing for cancellation, shall receive from the Mayor of this city a receipt on account of the actual market value of the bonds, treasury notes, currency or scrip so paid by such person or persons at the time of the payment thereof; provided, that such person or persons shall at the same time execute and deliver to the Mayor, an instrument of writing wholly cancelling and annulling the writings heretofore executed and delivered to such person or persons by persons acting in the name of this city, as aforesaid, and existing in this city in the same position, with the same price and charge upon such lands as before such payments.

SEC. 3. That in case any person or persons, having delivered his or their receipts, and instruments of writing as mentioned in the 2d. section of this ordinance shall be dissatisfied with the amount of credit allowed him or them by the Mayor thereon, and shall refuse to receive from the Mayor a receipt for such amount, and to surrender such instruments of writing; then in that case the Mayor shall deliver back to such person, or persons, the original receipts, and instruments of writing so delivered by him, or them, as aforesaid, and that thereupon such receipts and instruments of writing shall be null and void.

SEC. 4. That it shall be the duty of the City Attorney, after the expiration of three months after the passage hereof, to commence all necessary suits in the proper courts, for the cancellation of such instruments of writing as have not been surrendered up and cancelled according to the provisions hereof, and for the recovery of the principal and interest, due to this city upon such bonds.

SEC. 5. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed Jan. 10th 1866. Mayor's Office, San Antonio Jan. 10th 1866. (Signed) D. CLEVELAND, Mayor.

M. STODOLM, City Secretary.

Mayor's Office, City of San Antonio Texas, December the 4th 1865.

I hereby certify that the foregoing and above is a true and correct copy from the original Ordinance on file in the Mayor's Office of this City. MARTIN H. CAMPBELL, City Secretary.

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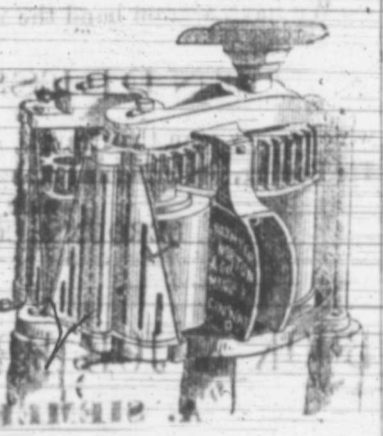


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