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TELEGRAPHIC

SPECIAL DISPATCHER TO THE EXPRESS
CITY OF MEXICO, Jan 4.

The attempt by troops to assassinate
Lardo de Tejada, and proclaim Santa An-
na, has been discovered here and frus-
trated.

The ring-leaders were arrested and lodg-
ed in prison.
Order has been restored in Puebla.
The authorities in Michoacan are arming
troops. The real purpose is unknown, but
the pretence is to preserve peace.
Troops have marched from Vera Cruz
against the Orizaba insurgents. Gen'l
Chelgery has joined the insurgents. A
battle took place in San Luis Potosi on
the 14th ult., between the insurgents and
government troops. The insurgents were
victorious, capturing 20 pieces of artillery
and compelling Gen. Eschelgery to fly in
haste.

It is believed that General Negrete is
concealed in this city working in favor of
Santa Anna.

WASHINGTON, Jan 6.
The following gossip is telegraphed
North: Deep regret is manifested among
the Republicans here, in the election of
Texas Senators. General Reynolds is un-
derstood to claim the Senatorship in con-
sideration of his deserting Hamilton,
when it is known here, that his change of
front was the result of an order procured
by Judge Evans, of Texas, from President
Grant.

Senator Wilson and other Republican
Senators express the opinion that Rey-
nolds' election would be a great misfortune
to Texas.

MADRID Feb 6.

The duel between Figueras and Col. Lu-
ga will probably be fought, as the former
will not withdraw his offensive expres-
sions.
In the case of Henry Rochefort, no ap-
peal having been taken the sentence be-
comes final.
The ministry are determined to put it
into execution and the defendant has been
notified to surrender himself to the autho-
rities.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.
The steamer Rhein, from Bremen, via
Southampton, arrived.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.

Bullock leading one and Bryant another
Georgia delegation, have arrived, both
claim to be Republicans.
Peter L. Washburne, Governor of Ver-
mont, is dead.
Revenue over \$847,000.

Twenty seven cases of yellow fever oc-
curred on the Seminole, the fever subsiding,
and the cases are milder. The Seminole
leaves Key West for Portsmouth.
The Senate Judiciary committee will
hear the Conservative Republican delega-
tion on Monday, regarding Georgia.
Trumbull has notified Bullock's delega-
tion to be present.
The election committee has indefinitely
postponed the case of Segar, who claims a
seat from Virginia at large, in the House.
Ridgeway introduced bills to repeal the
act prescribing the oath of office; also,
for the removal of political disabilities
from the people of Virginia.
Walker introduced a bill to discontinue
the freedmen's bureau.

The resolution offered on Monday last,
declaring that Constitutional authority to
levy taxes does not include any power to
impose duties, other than for collection of
Revenue, and that such levied for any
other purposes than that of revenue, espe-
cially if levied to foster and encourage pro-
tection of the country or one class of citi-
zens at the expense of another section, or
class, or furnished by the Constitution,
unjust to the great body of the people and
injurious to almost all industries, and di-
recting the Ways and Means committee to
prepare a bill accordingly, was laid upon
the table by 83 to 78.

Dispatches by Fish from Havana say
that one American citizen was killed and
two wounded yesterday. No particulars.
Senate—A petition was presented favor-
ing an additional amendment granting
female suffrage.
A bill to protect Congressmen from im-
portunities and assert the independence of
the several departments; also, the census
bill was discussed without final action.

PARIS, February 6.
Gen. Haines departed for Panama to
conduct the Darien Ship Canal explora-
tions.
The Marseillais, Henri Rochefort's journal,
appears this morning with a characteristic
article over the signature of Rochefort
himself, relative to the recent notice order-
ing him to constitute himself a prisoner,
in obedience to the sentence of a court.
He boldly declares he will not surrender
himself, and if the ministers want him
they must come and take him; and furth-
ermore, they must come prepared to use
force.

The new postal arrangements with the
United States applies only to prepaid mat-
ter.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 7.
Dobbins, proprietor of a distillery at
Dayton, refuses to pay taxes in order to
test the legality of the forty-eight hour
fermentation rule.

MADRID, Feb. 7.
It is reported that the treaty between
Spain and the Spanish-republics will be
signed immediately.

MARKETS

New York Market.
NEW YORK, February 7.
Cotton quiet at 25 $\frac{1}{2}$; lard quiet at 15 $\frac{1}{2}$;
freights dull.

New Orleans Market.
NEW ORLEANS, LA., February 7.
Cotton demand fairer, prices firm at 24 $\frac{1}{2}$;
receipts since Saturday 16,635 bales;
no exports.
Gold 121.

Foreign Market.
LIVERPOOL, February 7.
Noon—Cotton opened quiet but steady,
Uplands 11 $\frac{1}{2}$; Orleans 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 11 $\frac{1}{4}$; sales
10,000 bales.

MARRYING A LUNATIC.—Herman
Albert, a down-town broker and a
lunatic, immensely wealthy, escaped from
Blackwell's Island recently. He walked into
a Canal street cigar store of bad repute, where
the proprietress, Marie Diers, recognized
him. After some conversation she induced
him to marry her immediately. The newly
married couple had been married only a
few days when the Benedict, in an un-
mistakable fit of insanity, wand-
ered from his home, and was nabbed
by a policeman, and ignominiously
sent off to the asylum on Blackwell's
Island. But his devoted spouse had
no notion of being deprived of
his society, so applying to a lawyer,
a habeas corpus was obtained,
which released Herman. Having
recovered from the paroxysm which
caused his incarceration, he was
given up to his wife. In a very
short time after being released from
the asylum he was found wildly
parading the streets, fantastically
dressed in his wife's petticoat crin-
oline and bonnet, and again he was
arrested and sent to his old quarters
on the island. Recourse was again
had to the habeas corpus, but that
instrument did not influence the
judge of the Supreme Court. Three
times the wife returned to the
charge, with a like result, until
driven to desperation, she has now
begun an action against the father
of Herman for having maliciously
deprived her of the comfort and
support of her husband, fixing her
damages at \$10,000.
Mr. Albert has, on his side, taken
steps to have the marriage declared
void, on the ground of the lunacy
of one of the contracting parties,
and the alleged practice of fraud on
the part of the other.

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tire Livery Stock of B. K. 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 at
the upper bridge—making such additions to
the already large 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
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enabling him to keep stock upon the most
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Will be kept at all times, Spanish Horses
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Ambulances and teams always in readi-
ness to carry passengers to any part of the
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The best of Saddle Horses for hire at re-
duced rates.

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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.

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"THE HACIENDA"

is 10 leagues long, and one league wide, ex-
tending all along the river; most of the
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The "Hacienda" has an excellent "Press,"
Besides large groves of Poplars, the
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which make it one of the most valuable
properties in the State of Chihuahua.
Persons desiring to purchase this property
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der signed, who resides at present at Santa
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**SMOKING AND CHEWING TO-
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A share of the public patronage is respect-
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San Antonio, Nov. 17, 1869. (11-1-69d&w)

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Since General Davis has taken possession of the office of Governor of the State, a visible change has taken place in the tone and sentiments of the press.

We hope this conversion has come to pass without egotistical reserves. Unfortunately the many good advice, which are so freely administered to Governor Davis by our conservative friends, taste much of a desire to participate in the fruits of the recent Republican victory.

In the first place it is "confidently expected," that the Governor will not be the Governor of a party, but that of the whole people, to which we do not object.

Then follows the demand to appoint the judiciary without regard to political antecedents.

If the conservative papers ask such a price for their approach to the Republican party, they might as well remember the words written over the entrance to Dante's Hell: "Here leave hope behind."

The object of the Republican party in this country is not only to give but also to secure to all men, no matter how poor or how contemptible they may be, liberty, equality before the law, and equal political rights.

The first part of this problem is solved, the second is yet to be solved. And here it is especially the judiciary, which is charged with the successful solution of the same.

Flake's Bulletin predicted a good many things, none of which have come to pass yet, witness: The election of Hamilton. Flake's predictions are worth just as much as his pot-house editor. They fill his paper, and that's all.

Flake is down on public printing. The last job he had was the printing of the State Constitution in German. Since then he lost the Government printing, and has of course a right to be down on printing generally.

Flake is an honest man, and when he can't have a hand in a thing, he is down on it. So much for Flake. The Victoria Advocate, under its new editor, is quite a sprightly paper, dealing out hits all round, but especially to the Coalitionists.

It is a fact that the radicals have bargained for the State Gazette. Wonder if the bargain includes Joneslyn?—Houston Times. Of what earthly use could they have with him? We would inform the Waco Examiner that Salem Dutcher is as much a carpet-bagger as any man in the State, we care not what army he may have served in.—Houston Union.

Be he carpet-bagger or not, he has come over to the democracy; and, Brother Tracy, that covers a multitude of sins. The Austin Republican hopes General Davis will change his advisers. They have done him excellent service up to the present writing.—Houston Union. Had not the Republican better change its adviser?

FROM WASHINGTON.—Our Washington Telegraphic Dispatches of today contains what the Reporter very appropriately terms "Gossip" concerning the Senatorship of Texas. We do not know to whom we are indebted for said gossip; but so much we know, that it is intended to lunge the Legislature in favor of somebody, and against Gen. Reynolds. We should not wonder if the great annotated "I" was pulling the wires behind the curtain.

As far as Gen. Reynolds is concerned, it is well known in Texas, that he has never yet expressed the wish to become a U. S. Senator; should be elected as such, he has accomplished more by being silent on the subject than the great annotated "I" was pulling the wires behind the curtain.

The editor of the Houston Times troubles his brains with a proper definition of rebellion and revolution and inquires whether Kossuth and Washington were guilty of treason.

The difference between Kossuth and Washington on one side, and Jefferson Davis on the other, is this, that the two first battled for liberty, while the last one fought for the perpetuation of slavery.

It is not so much the treason against the United States which makes Jefferson Davis odious, but treason against human progress and human liberty.

Will that satisfy you? It is high time that every news paper in Texas should take position upon the matter of granting aid to corporations, as the wildest propositions imaginable will be seriously urged upon the Legislature and the whole press, without distinction of party should stand together to protect the means of the State from being spoiled.—Houston Telegraph.

Flake's Bulletin predicts that the printing bill of our approaching Legislature will exceed \$125,000.—Houston Telegraph. Flakes Bulletin predicted a good many things, none of which have come to pass yet, witness: The election of Hamilton. Flake's predictions are worth just as much as his pot-house editor. They fill his paper, and that's all.

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TEXAS ITEMS. The Victoria Advocate says; We notice but few hides coming in, in comparison with other years, which is attributable to the stringent laws prohibiting the skinning of cattle.

The Texas Ranger speaks favorably of Navasota, and says it is becoming a fast little city, but complains of its greedy merchants, who do not favor it with advertisements. We know of several merchants nearer home who are of the same sort. Give it to them.

The Rockport Transcript says seventy houses have been built in Rockport during the past year. This beats, we believe, San Antonio. We clip the following from the Transcript:

In our last issue, in the account of the murder at Fulton, the given name of French was George instead of Tom, as the type-setter made us say. The murderer Toomy has since died from the wounds received.

On last Saturday evening after our paper had gone to press, there occurred a shooting affray on the wharf, in which Jack Harding received a wound in the breast, from a pistol in the hands of Fred August Stein. The wound was trifling, and the wounded man is doing well.

Revolving Scene at an Execution. Louis Hines, a negro, was hanged at Tarboro, N. C., on Friday last. The hour having arrived, the Sheriff asked the condemned man if he had any confession to make, to which he replied that he had not.

The cap was then placed over his head, forever darkening his vision to all earthly things, the noose was adjusted by the sheriff's deputy, and at 12 M. the drop fell. A scene of fearful excitement here ensued. The knot on the rope was not properly placed, and when the body fell it slipped round under the chin.

The legs had not been pinned either, and the suspended wretch struggled in a terrible manner. He had fallen about three feet and a half, and the neck was not broken. With convulsive effort he succeeded in getting his hand up to the rope, at his throat, and holding this he got his feet again on the platform.

All this time there was the greatest excitement and commotion in the small crowd within the enclosure, while those without were ignorant of the exciting scene. A gurgling noise in the throat, as of difficult respiration, could be distinctly heard by the entire crowd in the yard.

The Sheriff ran and pushed the feet of the scaffold, and the condemned was again swinging in mid air, and still struggling violently. In seventeen minutes, however, he was pronounced dead by Drs. J. H. Baker and Stanton, and the body was cut down and placed in a coffin.

Thus ended the execution of Hines's a bungled and horrible affair, but Tarboro had its annual hanging.—[New York Herald.] Few of those reforms which are slowly but surely made in England can relieve a heavier pressure of accumulate distress and agony than the abolition, on New Year's Day, of the law of imprisonment for debt.

Important modifications have already been gradually made in the English laws relating to debts, mollifying materially the barbarous legislation which produced in a degree the cruelty exhibited towards debtors in the early laws of the Roman law of the Twelve Tables.

The history of debtors' prisons in London alone would reveal an unwritten and almost incredible sum of human wretchedness. It has supplied biography with startling anecdotes and romance with some of its most thrilling pages. What a scene must have been presented at midnight in the White Cross street prison on the opening of the new year, when the governor of the prison having notified the inmates that they were at liberty to depart, thirty-one of the ninety-four prisoners were welcomed by the crowd of relatives and friends anxiously awaiting them outside, and sixty-three begged to be allowed to remain till the next day because they had no homes to go to!

The injustice and expediency of the old laws relating to debt have at length been acknowledged in England, as they previously had been in the United States and in France.

New Advertisements. 10,000 Peach Trees. Strong and bearing, \$1.00 per dozen; bushel ones \$2.50 per dozen. Vines of Burgundy and Tokay, 25 cents per dozen, to be had at teacher Moeller's, near Mr. Green's store. LOUIS VOGLT. 9-2-70dlw.

Notice. The undersigned will open their business in their new establishment, next to Hummel's house, Main street, on Thursday the 10th inst., of which they hereby give notice to their friends and patrons. 9-2-70dlw. DOSCH & RISCHÉ.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. County of Bexar. In County Court for the Settlement of Estates, &c., to January term, A. D. 1870. To all persons interested in the welfare of the minor Wallace Mitchell.

Whereas, Thomas Whitehead, guardian of the estate and person of Wallace Mitchell, minor, has filed in this Court his application setting forth that the said minor has not sufficient means for his support and maintenance, without the sale of a portion of the real estate belonging to said minor, and praying for an order of sale of the following described property, to wit:

The north west half of block No. 6, (containing lots No. 1, 2, and 3,) it being a part of survey known as "the old mill track" on west side of the river, upper San Antonio, conveyed to Asa Mitchell, by John James, by deed recorded in book P. No. 1, pages 522 and 523, Bexar county, and from the executor of the estate of Asa Mitchell, deed to said minor, by deed recorded in book G. No. 1, pages 275 and 277.

Now pursuant to an order made and entered at the present term of this court, notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the welfare of said minor to appear at the next February term of this court, when said petition will be acted on, and show cause why said property should not be sold as prayed for.

Witness, Mortimer Stoen, County Clerk Bexar county, and Seal of said court, at office in San Antonio, this 8th day of February, A. D. 1870. M. STOECH, M. C. C. B. Co. By H. MacCOMACK, Deputy. 9-2-70-ditw3t.

A CARD. This is to notify the public of Texas that Charles H. Cole is not our agent for the sale of Portable Engines and Saw Mills, Stationary Engines or Machinery manufactured by us. GRIFFITH & WEDGE, Zanesville, Ohio. 9-2-70-w3t.

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These Glasses are made of the finest crystal, and constructed in accordance with the philosophy of nature in form of a concave-convex mirror, and their transparency is so perfect that the wearer can only perceive that he has them on by the improvement in his sight.

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FIRE, MARINE AND Life Insurance! PHENIX MUTUAL LIFE Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn. Assets, over \$1,000,000.00. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL Insurance Company, Galveston, Texas. Capital, \$500,000.00. Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, Branch 45 William St., New York. Cash Capital and Reserved Funds, (\$343) \$17,630,390.00. Assets in the United States, 2,280,000.00. Daily Revenue, 39,000.00.

GEORGIA HOME Insurance Company, Columbus, Georgia. Capital, \$350,000.00. Gold and Currency Policies Issued on Liberal Terms. W. T. MARSHALL, Agent. San Antonio, Dec. 18, 1869. (19-12-69-13m) GARDEN SEEDS. WAGNER & RUMMEL. 28-10-69.)

Pentecost & Biersch, HAVE ON HAND 50 Doz. J. Jouvin's Celebrated Kid Gloves, of all sizes and colors. 10 doz. Stained, half price.

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Local Intelligence.

Weather fine on Tuesday; last night we had a slight frost, scarcely doing any damage to the vegetation.

Our gardeners around town are working in earnest. They are digging, plowing, sowing and planting, and we may expect a rich crop of all kinds of vegetables early in the year.

SENATOR HEUTHERG left for Austin on Monday's stage, accompanied by Representative Zoeller, from Boernig.

Our Congressman, Degener arrived in Austin on Sunday morning last, and will leave for Washington as soon as the 15th Amendment has been adopted by the Legislature.

We are prepared to furnish our readers the latest news from Austin, by telegraph, as well as by letter. Whoever wishes to be well informed of the proceedings of the Legislature, ought to subscribe for the Express.

The Herald of Tuesday is out of temper at being caught a lying. Like a naughty boy whipped into the corner, he cries: "incompoop sub," and insists that he is the man that should do the city printing. Cry out, poor fool! But quit lying.

The Agricultural, Stock-raising and Industrial Association of Western Texas will hold a regular meeting at the Commercial Club room on Wednesday evening. A full attendance of all the members, and all others interested in the welfare of this country is expected.

An effort will be made at this meeting to adopt some plan, by which this Western country can be cleared of a lawless band of horse and cattle thieves, to say nothing of other crimes, that would disgrace our country, to mention in the columns of our paper. The report of the committee appointed by the last meeting, which we published lately in our English and German paper, will be offered and discussed at the meeting.

It looks to the offering of rewards for all thieves. The petitioning the newly elected Governor and military authorities for redress. The establishing of Agencies upon all the roads throughout the county, who will be furnished with a description of stolen stock. The employment of two mounted men in each county, &c. This meeting will be of the greatest importance and we hope every man in the city will attend.

COURT.—We understand the District Court will adjourn in the course of this week. There is only one original case to be tried yet, the State vs. Logan & Co., after which the business of this term is to be closed.

TYROLESE SINGERS.—While in Austin we had an opportunity to hear, in a Concert, a company of Tyrolean singers, who performed very well. The company consist of two gentlemen and three ladies, who have traveled over the whole of the civilized world, and are now trying to make their fortune in Texas. Professor Fahn, the leader, is a very respectable gentleman, with whom we had the pleasure of getting acquainted with. He proposes to come to San Antonio in a few days and give a series of concerts, consisting of the peculiar Tyrolean songs, and performances on the "Zithern" and on glass, wood and straw instruments. We predict him a good audience.

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An Ordinance,

Re-enacting and amending 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, &c., passed on the 16th 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 16th 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, on principal and interest on lands purchased from said city on fifty years credit, the payment of which having been made in so-called Confederate currency, since the 1st day of April, A. D. 1861, with whom, 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 own interest for lands purchased from the city of San Antonio, on fifty 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, to 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 16th, 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 acts of any person or persons, claiming to act as officers of said city, from the 1st day of April, A. D. 1861, until the sixth 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 scrips of said city, issued during that time in payment of the principal and interest, or either of them, 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 honestly 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 this 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 putting 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 cancel 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 therefor such receipts and instruments of writing shall be null and void.

SEC. 4. That it shall be the duty of the City Attorneys, after the expiration of three months from 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 lands.

SEC. 5. That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage. Passed Jan. 16th 1866. Mayor's Office San Antonio Jan. 16th 1866. (Signed) D. CLEVELAND, Mayor.

M. SLOCUM, 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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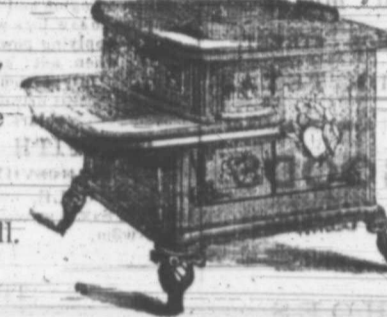
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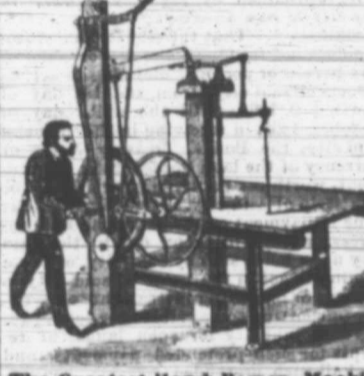
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