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Legislative Proceedings.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—NINTH DAY.
AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 17, 1870.
House met pursuant to adjournment.
Rolls called. Quorum present.
The Journal of yesterday read and adopted.
Mr. Hughes asked permission of the House to offer a protest against the action of the House in giving to Mr. Burnett the seat made vacant by the ineligibility of A. D. Elam.
Mr. Burnett moved that leave be granted Mr. Hughes to present the protest.
The House refused to receive the protest.
Mr. Robinson, Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills, offered the following report:
Committee Rooms, Feb. 17th 1870.
To Hon. Ira H. Evans, Speaker of the House of Representatives:
Your Committee on Enrolled Bills ask leave to report that they have carefully examined the Joint Resolutions ratifying the 13th and 14th Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and find them to be correctly enrolled.

W. G. RICHMOND,
Chairman.
Mr. Morrison offered the following resolution:
Whereas Hon. A. F. Leonard is now a member of this House, representing the Twenty-first District, and believed to be ineligible for the position he holds, from the fact that he held office prior to the late rebellion and afterwards engaged in the war against the United States Government, holding the office Lieutenant in the Confederate army, therefore be it
Resolved, That the Committee on Contested Elections be requested to make inquiry as to the facts in the case, and report as soon as practicable.
Mr. Robinson moved the adoption of the resolution.
Mr. Sinclair offered the following amendment, to amend by referring the resolution to Beary Major General Reynolds, commanding the Fifth Military District.
Mr. Allen moved that the amendment be adopted. Carried.

The question then regarding upon the adoption of the resolution as amended was carried.
Mr. Pridley offered a resolution relative to internal improvements, which were read.
On motion of Mr. Burnett was laid on the table.
Mr. McLean moved that the House now proceed with the business on the Speaker's table. Carried.
The Speaker then announced that the first business in order was the third reading of the joint resolution offered by Mr. Slaughter in regard to the removal of records of the Supreme Court.
Joint resolution read. The question then recurred upon the adoption of the resolution, it was adopted.
The following special Order from the Headquarters, 6th Military District was then read.

Headquarters 5th Military Dist.,
(State of Texas.)
AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 17, 1870.
General Order,
No. 34.

II. The sum of forty thousand dollars, currency, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the treasury of the State of Texas to pay per diem and mileage of the members of the present session of the Legislature, and also to pay the officers and employees, and to defray the printing and contingent expenses of said Legislature. The certificate of the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives, approved by the presiding officers of their respective bodies, shall be a sufficient voucher for the Comptroller of the State to draw his warrants on said appropriation; and no greater sum than the amount herein appropriated shall be drawn therefrom.
By command of
REV. MAJ. GEN. REYNOLDS,
Adjutant General.

Acting Assistant Adjutant General.
The Speaker then announced that the time had arrived for the consideration of the protest of the minority of the Committee on Privileges and Elections relative to the action of the House on the question of unseating Mr. Elam. Mr. Schlenning moved that the resolution be read.
On motion of Mr. Burnett, the protest was received and read.
Mr. Morrison moved that the protest be laid on the table. Carried.
The Speaker then announced that the next business in order was the reading of the joint resolution ratifying the 13th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
Mr. Cooper moved the Joint Resolution be engrossed. Carried.
Mr. Butler moved that the roll be suspended, so that the resolution might be read.
Mr. Chambers moved the adoption of the Joint Resolution.
The result being in favor of, and on against, it was decided by the Chair that the said Joint Resolution ratifying the 13th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States was accepted.
On motion of Mr. Tegenor, the House adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

SENATE.
AUSTIN, TEXAS.
Wednesday Feb. 17, 1870.
Senate met pursuant to adjournment.
Lt. Gov. J. W. Flanagan in the Chair. Roll called. Quorum present.
Absent—seven members, Bowers, Clark, Latimer, Parsons, Pettit, Pickett, and Rawson.

Rawson was allowed to record his vote for the 13th Amendment.
Flanagan being no objection, Senator Rawson's vote was recorded, voting yes.
On motion of Senator Flanagan, Senator Gilches was allowed to record his vote on the 13th Amendment, voting yes.
Senator Latimer moved to adjourn until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock A. M. Carried.

Most of our readers will remember the mysterious murder of B. W. Loveland, of this city some months ago. Since that time officers have been very earnestly at work endeavoring to ferret out the perpetrators of crime, but until recently they were unable to obtain reliable information. It appears, however, that some persons who had a knowledge of the movements of certain suspected parties gave the information to the authorities, and on Sunday last, Deputy Sheriff Keeland and Marshal Davis arrested a negro named Jake Johnson, in the Brazos Bottom, as implicated in the murder and brought him to this city. Certain revelations made by Johnson led to the arrest of another negro yesterday, named John Jamison, who, according to the statement of Johnson is the person who struck the fatal blow. In the absence of an official examination we refrain from giving particulars this morning.

List of Letters

Remain in the Post Office, at San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 23rd, received prior to Feb. 16th, 1870:

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| Braun, W | Jones, Wm C |
| Burgh, W A | Jaques, N E |
| Benning, Thos | Jackson, Miss M |
| Cabasso, Sr Ragou | Jones, H A |
| Collard, Miss U | Kuelle, Matthew |
| Caler, Miss Anne | Kelly, N |
| Clayton, J. A | Kraft, Frank |
| Clayton, Senor Juan | Langford, Sallie |
| Cunningham, Ben | Merritt, Wm H |
| Clark, Mrs Anna | McHenry, B |
| Down, Miss Lizzie | Moore, John |
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8691 From Rockport by Lander to Saint Mary's, 25 miles and back, once a week, bidders to propose schedule.
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Leave Saint Mary's
Arrive at Rockport

8692 From Waxahatchie, by Trinidad, Kaufman, Cedar Grove, Manly, Hooker, Green's Point, and Miller Grove, to Bright Star, 190 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Waxahatchie Monday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Bright Star Wednesday by 1 p. m.
Leave Bright Star Wednesday at 3 p. m.
Arrive at Waxahatchie Friday by 8 p. m.

8693 From Crockett by Nashes, Elizs, Aho, and Liswood, to Douglas, 51 miles and back three times a week.
Leave Crockett Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Douglas next days by 12 m.
Leave Douglas Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Crockett next days by 6 p. m.

8694 From Palestine, by Magnolia, Wotter, Fairfield, Cotton Gin, and Springfield, to Waco, 95 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Palestine Monday, at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Waco Wednesday by 12 m.
Leave Waco Wednesday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Palestine Friday by 7 p. m.

8695 From Waco, by Reiny's Creek, to Gateville, 45 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Waco Wednesday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Gateville next day by 3 p. m.
Leave Gateville Tuesday at 12 m.
Arrive at Waco next day by 12 m.

8696 From Tyler, by Flora, Crockett's Bluff, Jordan's Saline, Four Mile Prairie, Cedar Grove, Turner's Point, Rockwall, Millwood, and Lone Tree, to McKinney, 112 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Tyler Monday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at McKinney Wednesday by 6 p. m.
Leave McKinney Thursday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Tyler Saturday by 6 p. m.

8697 From Austin, by Capt's Mills, Blanes, and Hedge's Mill, to Sisterdale, 48 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Austin Monday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Sisterdale next day by 6 p. m.
Leave Sisterdale Wednesday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Austin next day by 6 p. m.

8698 From Galveston to Brazos Santiago, 245 miles and back, once a week, by steamships, on schedule satisfactory to the Department.
8699 From Hallsville, by Friendship, Omega, Gilman, Calloway, Holly Springs, Quinlan, Jordan's Saline, Canton, Prairieville, Kaufman, Haugb's Store, Scyene, to Dallas, 175 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Hallsville Monday and Thursday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Dallas fourth days by 6 p. m.
Leave Dallas Monday and Thursday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Hallsville fourth days by 6 p. m.

8700 From Palestine, by Plenitude, Kickapoo, Cartana, Enok, and Seven League, to Tyler, 54 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Palestine Tuesday and Friday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Tyler next days by 12 m.
Leave Tyler Wednesday and Saturday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Palestine next days by 6 p. m.

8701 From Bonham, by Warren, Kentucky tower, Sherman, Whitesboro, Macomb, Gainesville, and High of Elm, to Montague, 104 miles and back, 5 times a week to Sherman, and once a week to Montague.
Leave Bonham Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5 p. m.
Arrive at Sherman by 6 p. m.
Leave Sherman Tuesday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Montague next day by 8 p. m.
Leave Montague Thursday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Sherman next day by 8 p. m.
Leave Sherman Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Bonham by 6 p. m.

8702 From Helms to Yorktown, 20 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Helms Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Yorktown by 12 m.
Leave Yorktown Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1 p. m.
Arrive at Helms by 7 p. m.

For forms of proposal, guarantee, and certificate, and also for instructions as to the conditions to be embraced in the contract, &c., see advertisement of October 31, 1869, January 2nd, 1869, and of this date, inviting proposals for mail service in Texas, &c. to be found at the principal post-offices. Bids should be sent in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Mail proposals, State of Texas," and addressed to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

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THERE are many names given in contempt which have been made honorable, but you are deterred from taking to yourselves the name Radicals, because you see in it nothing but disaster.

The sapient editor of the Houston Telegraph who produced the above, has lately said so many foolish things that we are afraid he is gradually ripening for the lunatic asylum. We well remember his many terrific predictions to Radicals, before the election, and his good advice to Republicans, neither of which were heeded by one or the other.

For such to come and utter contemptible platitudes, concerning Republicans, the meaning of which they do not understand themselves, is more than ridiculous, is even beneath contempt.

The above cited paragraph of the Houston Telegraph is at par with its former productions, is a mere wasting of paper, a childish, senseless scribble, no more.

Who told you that Republicans care anything about being called Radicals? Who told you that Republicans see nothing in Radicalism but disaster?

If you had said there was nothing in the Democracy but disaster to the State, you could then have cited the history of the last ten years as proof of your assertion.

But tell us what is there in the name of "Radical" that an honest man needs to be afraid of? Do you know that every grand and progressive event, accomplished in this world, was so by the aid of Radicals? You, as a Christian, ought to know, that Christ was a Radical throughout, for which Radicalism he was crucified by the stupid rabble; you, as a reader of the bible, ought to know that Moses is the prototype of all Radicalism, for he exterminated all evil with fire and sword.

The Republicans, whom you honor with the name of "Radical," intend to cure the State of that social and political sore that threatened to undermine the welfare and future of Texas, and that this cure will be a radical one, we have all assurances and we are glad of it.

It will be seen from our special dispatches from Austin, that in the joint session of the Senate and House of Representatives yesterday Messrs. M. C. Hamilton and S. W. Flanagan have been elected United States Senators for Texas, by a two third majority of all votes, 110 voting in the aggregate.

We clip the following from the Houston Times:

The representatives of the various German Associations of this city held a meeting, on Wednesday evening last, for the purpose of making arrangements for the Volksfest of 1870. The following officers were elected to serve for the year: Jacob Binz, President; Ed. Leonhardt, Vice President; Peter Floeck, Treasurer; Charles G. Heyne, Recording Secretary; I. Japhet, Corresponding Secretary.

The following standing committees were appointed: 1. On General Arrangements, A. S. Fox, Chairman. 2. On National Games and Exercises, F. Mitchell, Chairman. 3. On Police, Charles C. Heyne, Chairman. 4. On Music and Dancing, G. W. Lemmel, Chairman. 5. On Printing, E. Leonhardt, Chairman. 6. On Fireworks, I. Japhet, Chairman.

In addition, citizens from thirteen different counties outside of Harris, were appointed to co-operate with the above committees in arranging and carrying out the programme of the Festival.

A meeting of the committees will be held on Wednesday evening, the 23d inst., at which it is expected the place and time of the holding of the Volksfest will be named.

TELEGRAPHIC

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 23, 1870.

SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS: Senate and House in joint session. Result of the Senatorial elections: Morgan C. Hamilton for the six years term, 71 votes, against Horace Douglass 39 votes and E. B. Norton 1.

SEVERAL gentlemen from Texas, partisans of Hamilton, arrived here today on a political mission. They do not oppose the admission of the State, but will ask Congress to take some action, or cause an investigation, regarding the late election for Governor. They represent that frauds and irregularities were committed in various parts of the State, to the detriment of Hamilton, and that in two counties especially the military authorities, by order of Gen. Reynolds, prevented the taking of the vote, the Registrars absenting themselves on the plea of disturbances.—New York Tribune.

The above has the mark of falsehood on its face. In no county has the taking of votes been prevented by order of Gen. Reynolds, but in two counties it has been prevented by the riotous action of the rebel mob. The gentlemen from Texas, above referred to belong of course to the tribe of scalped Indians; Tommy Ochiltree and the soapy Bell, are of that sort. Congress and the President know how to tax them.

Financial Condition of the State Penitentiary.

We have been allowed the privilege of publishing a laconic report from Col. Dudley, Superintendent of the Penitentiary, with the official endorsements of the Commanding General and the Governor upon the same, which speak volumes. The following is the Superintendent's report for February:

HUNTSVILLE, Feb. 10th, 1870. To Capt. Chas. E. Morse, A. D. C. I require no money from the State to pay the expenses of the institution for February 1760.

(Signed) N. A. M. DUDLEY, Brev. Col. &c. Ho'rs Fifth Military District, Office Secretary of Civil Affairs, Austin, Texas, Feb. 14th 1870.

Respectfully referred to His Excellency, E. J. Davis, Governor of the State of Texas, for his information. No fund for the months of January and February have been furnished this institution from the State.

J. J. REYNOLDS, Bvt. Maj. Gen. U. S. A., Commanding, [Governor Davis' endorsement.]

Respectfully returned to Headquarters Fifth Military District. Col. Dudley's administration of the Penitentiary has been very creditable, and has entitled him to thanks of the people of Texas. Until it came under his management it was a constant and increasing expense to the State.

EDMUND J. DAVIS, Provisional Governor. State Journal.

The Bonaparte on Trial.

Prince Pierre Bonaparte, now on trial for killing Mon. Noir, does not seem to be a Prince of much account. One of the newspapers, the Reforme, says that while residing at Canino, his huntsman was about to be married to a young girl. The Prince was paying attentions to her, which the huntsman resented, and told him he would not sanction their continuance. Some days after he was shot in the head while in the middle of the woods by Pierre Bonaparte himself. Public rumor soon made known the perpetrator for the police, and a captain of the mounted force was charged with his arrest. Pierre Bonaparte had a certain reputation for courage, and also was known to carry arms. The officer arranged to arrest him at the cafe which he usually visited, and to have two men ready to seize him on receiving a signal. The captain went to the cafe, seated himself near Pierre Bonaparte and engaged in conversation with him. While speaking he remarked the butt-ends of two pistols spoke of their fine carving, and having got them into his hand, he believed it a favorable moment to give the signal. But the assassin was otherwise armed, and, during the fight, he found a chance to stab the captain with a stiletto. The Pope had him tried for this double murder, when he was sentenced to death, but was pardoned by the Pope.

TELEGRAPHIC

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS

WASHINGTON, February 22. Secretary Fish, in a letter to Dan. E. Sickles, Minister at Madrid, writes that the abolition of slavery will be a result of the present contest in Cuba.

Senate—Columbus speaking against the right of New York to withdraw her ratification of the 15th amendment. The House election committee postponed the 4th case of Segar. The Military committee is examining witnesses on the Cadet corruption charges.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 22. Seward has arrived, his health is excellent. New York, Feb. 22. The steamship City of Boston is twenty nine days out. The agents think she was forced to make a harbor in the Azores. She had 30 days provisions on board.

LONDON, Feb. 22. Donnell's health is improving. Naval estimates are seven hundred and fifty thousand pounds less than last year.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22. The committee on foreign affairs discussed Cuban matters without important results. Admiral Faragut is here, sick. The indications in executive session today, were that Judge Poirer will not be confirmed.

The newly elected Senators from Georgia, visited the President, who again disavowed any interference between them and Hill and Miller.

Senators—The credentials of Farrow and Whitley, Senators from Georgia, were presented. Drake said both credentials were in utter disregard of law. The credentials were finally withdrawn.

Without further business, the Senate adjourned in honor of the day.

House—A resolution considering the case of Manges, was referred to the committee on Rules.

Voorhies made a personal explanation, denying that he ever belonged to a secret political society, or aided in relating the draft during the war.

An effort to adjourn in honor of the day, was defeated. The appropriation bill was resumed and discussed to adjournment.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22. Heavy rains have occurred throughout the State.

LONDON, Feb. 22. A semi-monthly line of steamers has been established between Liverpool and Panama.

The bishop of Chichester is dead, aged 84 years. Cairo, Ill., Feb. 22. The missing persons from the steamer Emma No. 2, are as follows: Thomas Foster, second Engineer, Jas. scoley of Lexington, Ky.; another white man and several hands.

PARIS, February 22. The preliminary examinations of the recent riots have been made, over one hundred and fifty persons have been arraigned for trial.

ROME, Feb. 22. Discussions on infallibility will be opened this week.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22. The Legislature has amended the laws to allow women to vote on school matters.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22. No commercial or financial reports today, the markets and exchanges are closed in honor of Washington's birthday. No New Orleans markets.

Fish, in his letter to Sickles, says; had the junta expended the money and energy in sending the insurgents munitions and arms, as they might have done, consistent with the laws of nations, instead of devoting them to deliberate violation of laws, and instead of sending volunteers to Cuba, had proceeded there themselves to take part in the struggle, it is probable the result would have been different. It is certain that the feeling in the United States would have been more favorable to their cause.

New Advertisements.

AUCTION!!

ON SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1870.

At 9 o'clock.

I will sell at Auction, for the benefit of whom it may concern: 40 Head of Horses; 1 Mule, (more or less); 10 Single Buggy Harness—new; 50 Casks Tomcats Ale, quarts and pints; 20 Porter; 30 Mattresses; 50 Keps Horse Shoes, No. 1; 20 Sets Spokes.

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Administrator's Notice. STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bexar.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of William Rodriguez, dec'd., by the Probate Court of said county, at its January term, 1870, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate, to present the same with the time prescribed by law.

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JUST RECEIVED, a splendid

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

Fancy and Staple DRY-GOODS

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Koenigheim & Co.,

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COMMERCIAL STREET,

NEXT TO BELL & BRO'S.

Having just received a stock of Fall and Winter Goods, suitable for the Retail Market of this city, and the adjoining country, we would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that we have opened a

STRICTLY RETAIL

Establishment on Commerce street, next door to Bell & Bro's, and also that we will always have on hand a complete stock of

Dress Goods,

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Clothing, Casimere, Hats, Caps,

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Constantly on hand, a large assortment of Philadelphia made Shoes.

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CASTROVILLE WATER MILL. Having possession of S. S. Brown's Grist Mill, I will sell Corn Meal at ten cents per bushel less than San Antonio prices.

For 25 bushels and over, will make a discount. Orders by mail or otherwise will receive prompt attention and be forwarded to any parts of the country.

JOHN VANCE, DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Boots and Shoes,

HATS and CAPS, READY MADE CLOTHING, BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c. &c.

And all goods usually kept in a retail store, at lowest prices.

He will pay Cash for country Produce, such as Corn, Wheat, Dried Beef, Hides, Dressed Deer Skins, Sheep and Goat Tallow; also for

Wool, Bacon, Lard, Pecans, Honey, Bees-wax, &c.

Retail Merchants supplied at lowest San Antonio prices. JOHN VANCE, DEALER IN

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D. & A. OPPENHEIMER,

Are just receiving at their new store,

No. 8, Commerce Street,

A large and well selected stock of

FALL AND WINTER

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Which they offer at prices so low as to make their far famed reputation of selling goods cheaper than the cheapest. We would still to our old motto of "Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Landreth's Garden Seeds, Full supply at 15-1-50 d. LEMMON & CO. GROGERS

FIRE, MARINE AND Life Insurance! PHENIX MUTUAL LIFE Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn. Agents, orer \$1,000,000.00

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Local Intelligence.

KILLED BY INDIANS.—We learn from Mr. Wick's...

AUCTION.—A great Auction sale will take place on Saturday next...

The weather is fine, rather too warm; thermometer over 90 degrees...

WASHINGTON'S birthday was generally observed as a holiday...

The ball at the Menger Hotel was a great success. The hall was handsomely decorated...

MAIL ROBBER.—Our readers will remember the mail robbery that was committed some time ago on the El Paso route...

Tuesday a man walked into the boot and shoe store of Mr. Sweeney...

Since then it was found out that the probable thief is in the employ of the El Paso stage company...

The Deroy, Maj. Gen. Meigs, who visited Corpus last week for the purpose of ascertaining what advantages it possessed over other neighboring cities...

It is said that the Stage company owe him some \$200 or \$300 and that they, learning the above stated facts, refused to pay him the money.

The Deroy, Maj. Gen. Meigs, who visited Corpus last week for the purpose of ascertaining what advantages it possessed over other neighboring cities as a point for supplying Government posts in the interior...

We advise our readers, and the people of San Antonio in general, to a careful perusal of the above, which we clip from the Corpus Christi Advertiser.

We are amongst those who see a good many reasons why San Antonio should be supplied from Corpus Christi, but from Indiana, of which we will speak hereafter...

An Ordinance.

Re-enacting and amending an ordinance concerning payments made in Confederate money, or other worthless paper...

Sec. 1. That all persons who owe interest for lands purchased from the city of San Antonio, on fifty years credit...

Sec. 2. That all persons who owe interest for lands purchased from the city of San Antonio, on fifty years credit...

Sec. 3. That the ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage. Passed, January 21st, A. D. 1870. Published February 2, A. D. 1870. WM. C. A. THELEPAPE, Mayor of the City of San Antonio.

Attest: MARTIN H. CAMERON, City Secretary.

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...

Sec. 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 ninth day of October, 1865...

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...

Sec. 3. That in case any person or persons having delivered to him or their receipts, and instruments of writing as mentioned in the 2d section of this ordinance...

Sec. 4. That it shall be the duty of the City Attorney after the expiration of three months from the passage hereof to commence all necessary suits in the proper courts...

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 27th 1868. I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance is a true and correct copy from the original Ordinance on file in the Mayor's Office of this City.

NEW Furniture Store, 69 COMMERCE STREET. 69 (Kampmann's Building.)

ERASTUS REED Having gone regularly into the Furniture business, is now receiving a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF FURNITURE

MATTRESSES, Of all kinds, made to order. Particular attention given to repairing. 27-11-69-d. Just Received LANDRETH'S WARRANTED FRESH GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS, ONION SETS, PEAS BEANS AND GRASS SEEDS.

PLANTATION BITTERS This wonderful vegetable restorative is the sheet anchor of the feeble and debilitated. As a tonic and cordial for the aged and languid it has no equal among tonics.

H. GRENET, Importer AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. BRADEN HOTEL LIVERY STABLE ON MARKET STREET. SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. ED. BRADEN, Proprietor.

SPECIAL NOTICES. AWAY WITH SPECTACLES. OLD EYES MADE NEW. AWAY WITH UNCOMFORTABLE TRUSSES—COMFORT AND CURE FOR THE RUPTURED. WOMAN AND SOCIAL EVILS. ESSAYS FOR YOUNG MEN.

LEROUX & COSGROVE, 56, Commerce Street, MANUFACTURERS OF Tin, Copper & Sheet Iron Ware.

DEALERS in Hardware of all descriptions, Castings, Wood and Willow Ware, Well and Cistern Pumps, Devco's best Coal Oil, of which we have now on hand 160 Cases...

We have just received 250 Cooking, Parlor, and Office stoves, the celebrated

Cotton Plant, Queen of the South, Southern Bell, Gray Jacket, Mutual Friend, Delta, MAGNOLIA, and 300 PLYMOUTH

all of which we will sell at reduced prices. We have also on hand the newly invented ENDLESS MATCH, which every man that travels, or smokes, ought to have.

BOOK & JOB PRINTING HOUSE, A. SIEMERING & CO., PUBLISHERS OF "The Freie Presse fur Texas" "San Antonio Express" AND TEXAS FARMER ZEITUNG.

Livery and Sale Stables, East Side Alamo Plaza San Antonio Texas. Peay & Karber, MULES AND HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD AT REASONABLE RATES.

J. H. KAMPMANN ARCHITECT & BUILDER, J. H. KAMPMANN'S NEW DOOR, SASH AND BLIND FACTORY. The undersigned having completed his new factory, in which all work is done by Machinery and Steam power...

