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And the maidens muse on many a thing,
The sailor plies the foaming sea,
The huntsman kills the good red deer,
And the soldier wars without a fear;
But fall to each whatever befall,
The farmer he must feed them all.

Smith hammereth cherry-red the sword,
Priest preacheth pure and holy word,
Dame Alice weaves her beaming web,
Clerk Richard tales of love can tell;
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And courtiers, ruffe strat and shipe,
White pages bring the Gascon wive.

Man builds his castles fair and high,
Whene'er they stand on land;
Great cities rise in every land,
Great churches show the builder's hand,
Great arches, monuments and towers,
Fair palaces and pleasing bowers;
Great work is done, be it here or there,
But work or rest, what'er befall,
The farmer he must feed them all.

The Army Bill.
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of
Representatives of the United States of Amer-
ica in Congress assembled, That the Secretary
of War be, and he is hereby, author-
ized and directed to assemble a board to
consist of one major general, two brigadier
generals, and two colonels, who were in
active service in the Army during the late
war, two or more of said officers to be se-
lected from among those appointed to posi-
tions in the regular Army, on account of
distinguished service in the volunteers. It
shall be the duty of said board to examine
fully into the military record, qualifica-
tions, and general fitness of all officers of
the Army, whether of the line or staff, be-
low the rank of brigadier general, and up-
on such examination to recommend for ap-
pointment or transfer to vacancies, or re-
tention in the positions of present assign-
ment in the staff corps and departments, or
in the regiments of artillery, cavalry or
infantry, such officers as the board may
decide to be best fitted to fill the same, on
account of previous active service, willing-
ness to continue to do duty, and moral
standing. The commanding officer of each
of the several military departments and
chiefs of the several staff departments of
the United States shall, as soon as practi-
cable after the passage of this act, forward
to the Secretary of War, for the informa-
tion of said board, a list of officers serving
in, or honor on the rolls of, their respec-
tive departments, whether of the line or
staff, who, by reason of inexperience, inef-
ficiency, immoral conduct, or other cause,
have given evidence of want of adapta-
tion to the military service, and who, for
the reasons above mentioned, can without
detriment to the service, be mustered out
of the Army. The board shall report their
recommendations when determined upon
to the President; provided he shall approve
said report, is hereby authorized to make
and order such transfers, and, by and with
the advice and consent of the Senate, to
make such appointments as he shall deem
proper, of the officers so recommended, to
vacancies then existing in the line or staff,
or which may occur within the space of six
months thereafter. And all of the said
officers who shall not be so recommended
by said board for transfer or appointment,
shall, from and after the approval of said
report by the President, be immediately
mustered out of the Army of the United
States. And also all officers whose names
are in the list so recommended by said
board, who shall not be transferred or ap-
pointed as aforesaid by the President with-
in six months, shall in like manner be
honorably mustered out of the Army of
the United States: Provided, That from and
after the passage of this act, and until the
end of said term of six months, no transfers
or appointments shall be made except
from the list so recommended to the Pres-
ident by said board.

But such report shall set out the instan-
ces of such inexperience, inefficiency, im-
moral conduct, or other cause of want of
adaptation to the military service upon
which the report is founded in each case
specifically, which report shall be open to
public inspection.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That
any officer transferred under the provisions
of this act to fill a vacancy of the grade
previously held by him, shall take rank in
such grade from the date of his commis-
sion, and not from the date of transfer or
the date of the commission of the officer
whose muster out caused the vacancy.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the
offices of General and Lieutenant General
of the Army, shall continue until a vacancy
shall occur in the same and no longer; and
when such vacancy shall occur in either of
said offices, immediately thereupon all laws
and parts of laws creating said office shall
become inoperative, and shall be construed
as if they had never been enacted.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That after
the 1st day of September, 1870, there shall
be only three major generals; and the Pres-
ident shall, within ten days preceding said
date, select, without regard to seniority,
the three major generals to remain in com-
mission, and the others shall be mustered
out of the service of the United States on
said date.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That
after the 1st day of September, 1870, there
shall be only six brigadier generals; and
the President shall within ten days pre-
ceding said date select, without regard to
seniority, the six brigadier generals to re-
main in commission, and the others shall
be mustered out of the service of the United
States on the date.

Sec. 6. And be it further enacted, That
the offices of Adjutant General, Quarter-
master General, Commissary General of
Subsistence, Chief of Ordnance, Chief of
Engineers, Paymaster General, Sargeon
General, and Judge Advocate General,
shall be filled by the appointment or as-
signment of an officer who shall have the
rank and pay of a colonel; but the present
incumbents may continue in the above-
mentioned offices at the rank and pay above
mentioned.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, That

all officers who may be mustered out of
service by the provisions of this act, shall
be entitled to one year's pay and allowan-
ces from the date they are so mustered
out.

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That
the proviso of the sixteenth section of the
act approved August 3, 1864, limiting the
number of officers on the retired list of
the Army to seven per cent of the whole
number of existing officers, be, and the
same is hereby repealed. And hereafter
the number of officers who may legally be
retired in accordance with existing laws
shall be in the ratio of the President,
Provided, That the whole number retired
shall at no time exceed two hundred and
fifty.

Sec. 9. And be it further enacted, That
from and after the passage of this act the
bracket rank in the Army of the United
States shall be abolished; and that here-
after no officer shall assume the title or
rank of major, or of a rank higher than
that of the grade actually held by him.

That all military storekeepers in the
quarter masters' and ordnance depart-
ments, and all medical storekeepers, shall
be mustered out of service within six
months from the passage of this act. And
the offices of military storekeeper and med-
ical storekeeper shall be abolished.

Sec. 10. And be it further enacted, That
nothing in this act shall be construed to
prevent the assignment to duty, as addi-
tional second lieutenants, of the graduates
of the Military Academy.

Sec. 11. And be it further enacted, That it
shall not be lawful for any officer of the
United States to hold any civil office, wheth-
er by election or appointment, and any
such officer accepting or exercising the
functions of a civil office, shall at once
cease to be an officer of the Army, and his
commission shall be vacated thereby.

Sec. 12. And be it further enacted, That
the professors at the United States Military
Academy, whose service in the Army
and at the Academy exceeds twenty five
years, shall have the assimilated rank of
colonel of engineers, and those whose fine
service is less than twenty-five but exceeds
fifteen years, shall have the assimilated
rank of lieutenant colonel of engineers,
and said professors are hereby placed on
the same footing as all other officers of the
Army as regards retirement from active
service.

Sec. 13. And be it further enacted, That
the pay of the officers of the Army shall be
as follows: the pay of the General shall
be \$12,000 a year; Lieutenant General shall
be \$10,000 a year; the pay of major general
shall be \$7,500; the pay of brigadier
general shall be \$5,000; the pay of colonel
shall be \$3,500; the pay of lieutenant col-
onel shall be \$3,000; the pay of major shall
be \$2,500; the pay of captain shall be \$2,000;
the pay of lieutenant shall be \$1,500; the pay of
first lieutenant shall be \$1,000; the pay of
second lieutenant shall be \$750; the pay of
first lieutenant, not mounted, shall be \$1,000;
the pay of second lieutenant, not mounted,
shall be \$750; the pay of chaplain shall be
\$1,400; the pay of able-deck to major general
shall be \$200 per annum in addition to the
pay of his rank; the pay of able-deck to
brigadier general shall be \$150 per annum
in addition to pay of his rank. And there
shall be allowed and paid to each and every
commissioned officer below the rank of
brigadier general, including chaplains and
others having assimilated rank or pay, ten
per cent of their current yearly pay for
continuous service: Provided, That the total
amount of such increase for length of ser-
vice shall in no case exceed forty per cent,
on the yearly pay of his grade as estab-
lished by this act: And provided further,
That the pay of a colonel shall in no case
exceed \$4,500 per annum, nor the pay of a
lieutenant colonel \$4,000 per annum.

The pay of acting assistant commissary
shall be \$100, in addition to pay of his
rank; and these sums shall be full of
all commutation of quarters, fuel, forage,
servants' wages and clothing, longevity
pensions, and all allowances of every name
and nature whatever, and shall be paid
monthly by the paymaster: Provided, That
fuel, quarters and forage in kind may be
issued to officers by the quartermaster's
department, as now allowed by law and
regulations: And provided further, That
when any officer shall travel under orders,
and shall not be furnished transportation
by the quartermaster's department, or on
a conveyance belonging to or chartered by
the United States, he shall be allowed ten
cents per mile, and no more, for each mile
actually by him traveled under such order,
distances to be calculated according to the
nearest post routes; and no payment shall
be made to any officer except by a pay-
master of the Army. Officers retired from
active service shall receive seventy-five
per cent of the pay of the rank upon
which they are retired.

Sec. 15. And be it further enacted, That no
officer of the artillery corps below the
grade of field officer shall hereafter be
promoted to a higher grade before having
passed a satisfactory examination before
a board of three military officers senior to
him in rank, to be appointed by the Sec-
retary of War. Should the officer fail at
such examination he shall be suspended
from promotion one year, when he shall
be re-examined; and upon a second fail-
ure he shall be dropped by the President
from the Army.

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Horses and their Food.
 When the French seized the city and province of Algiers, they found no difficulty in routing, with their drilled and veteran troops, the multitudinous array of Arabs in pitched battles. But in rapid marching through the deserts, accompanied by incessant, irregular and desultory attacks, the children of the Sahara mounted on their fleet steeds proved themselves immeasurably superior to their European Antagonists. The light Cavalry headed by the famous Shiek Abdel Kader, mocked at all the efforts of the French dragons. They would hover on the front or flank of the Gallic line of march, attacking or retreating as the case demanded, but always masters of the situation and always acting on the offensive. The French found that they could neither overtake these Asiatic Cossacks when they fled; force them to a disadvantageous fight, nor inflict any chastisement; and on a long march the losses resulting from this incessant skirmish and *qui vive*, were often more serious than those of a battle. At last the Nomadic tribes wearied of a contest the proportions of which had outgrown their strength and courage, and their gallant chief surrendered to the French. The Marshal of the Army inquired of Abdel Kader by what method his horses were enabled to make such long marches without wagons or supplies. The Shiek replied that the answer was in three words, "Barley, Barley, Barley!" On this grain the horse could travel further and endure more fatigue, than on any other, and this was the staple food of the Arab horse. The stomach of the animal requires food that has bulk, as well as nutrition, and barley by its hull supplies the former quality better than any other variety of grain. Next in value as food for the horse is the oat, which possesses, though in an inferior degree, the twofold quality needed for this purpose. Corn is the least suitable grain to be given to horses, as it is concentrated, and therefore hard to digest, and heating in its nature. The exclusive use of Corn by Government teams, and in the cavalry service on the frontier, causes a loss to the Government each year of thousands of valuable animals. Both oats and barley can be raised in Western Texas to any desired amount, and at present prices are more profitable than either corn or cotton. We are pleased to learn that the Government contractors at this place, Messrs. Adams & Wickes, are encouraging the growth of these valuable varieties of grain. They furnish seed at cost of all farmers who apply, and engage to purchase the crop at high prices. Many hundred acres have already been sown, and large numbers of our best farmers are getting ready to plant largely in oats the next season. We believe that within the next two years, Western Texas will more than meet the large Government demand for oats and barley, a demand which now can only be supplied from St. Louis at large cost, and with great delay.

Cavalry Scout.
 The Cavalry force sent out from this post two or three weeks since under Captain Shoemaker, have returned. They rode some three or four hundred miles along the head waters of the Guadalupe, Medina and Rio Frio, but report that they saw no Indians, and found no indications of their having recently been in that country. An inexperienced hunter tried to make corned beef by giving his oxen

Resumption of Specie Payments.
 "Graybeard," a correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, sends to that paper the following communication on this subject: "The steady and rapid downward tendency of gold is taking everybody by surprise, but is doing nobody any harm. The dreaded evils have evidently been discounted by the business public, and so the avalanche of resumption finds a cleared track, and is not likely to bury a single solvent firm beneath its weight. While our statesmen have been putting off the evil day, the golden pear of resumption has been ripening under the genial rays of the reconstruction sun, and to-day it is ready to drop to the ground. Think of that! American securities at a gold premium, and greenbacks at par within five years after the close of a rebellion during the progress of which the Democracy professed, that when the war was over our bonds would be repudiated, and greenbacks would not be worth a dollar a bushel. So we ought to thank God that there are false prophets, even if the devil sends them. But let us have resumption. The merchants and manufacturers of Philadelphia are ready for it to a man, and want it now. Mr. Williams' resolution, offered in Congress yesterday, providing that after its passage duties on imports shall be payable to the amount of one-half in greenbacks, is universally welcomed as the open sesame to all the gold that is locked up in the country. Let the bugle note of its passage be sounded, and the jubilee of resumption will have begun. Then the business of the country, which has been so long tossed on the horns of gamblers, and rocked in the waves of fluctuation, will once again stand firmly and firmly on its feet. The country will realize, from one end of it to the other, that all market values have touched bottom. The era of hesitation, which is always paralyzing will have passed, and a degree of commercial prosperity will be introduced such as I believe this country has never seen. It will be like the growing of vegetables after the rigid frosts of a late spring, when the latter is succeeded by warm showers and hot sunshine. Even as I write, the value of greenbacks is at par in the public mind. It needs but a nod from Congress and a wink from Boutwell to place them at par at every bank, every moneyed institution, and every counting-house in the United States. Pray let us have the nod and the wink!"

Postal Telegraphs.
 The policy of working telegraph lines by the Government, has been tried in England and it has already proved a failure. The public generally have been complaining, and now a meeting of the Press Association of London is called to protest against the continued mismanagement of the telegraphic service. Now, when we consider the superior civil service system of Great Britain, and bear in mind that the whole territory within which the lines are operated contains only 110,000 square miles; that this is densely populated, with good roads in every direction, it will readily be seen that there is a vast difference in favor of England as against the United States in operating the telegraph. If the postal system has failed in Great Britain what might be expected in the United States?

COST OF EUROPEAN GOVERNMENTS.—European statistics give deep meaning to some of the speeches made in the Louisiana Peace Congress. For example, Victor Hugo said: "No more armies, no more kings. We desire that the people should live, labor, buy, sell, and think freely; that there should be schools making citizens, and that there should no longer be princes making cannoniers. We desire the great continental republic; we desire the United States of Europe. And I close with this world: Liberty is the aim; Peace is the result." Now, interpret these declarations by the annexed figures: The smaller European States have to pay per annum, for the support of their royal rulers from \$200,000 to about \$700,000 each. Bavaria is taxed a full million; England, \$2,350,000; Prussia, \$2,400,000; Italy, \$3,200,000; Austria, \$4,000,000. The three most costly empires are those of Turkey, France and Russia, which require for the support of their monarchs, respectively \$6,600,000, \$7,000,000, and \$8,500,000. The sum of the personal expenses of European Sovereigns is about \$4,000,000 a year.

General Breckinridge did a brave thing in Louisville recently, when he denounced the men who belong to the Ku-Klux Klan as either idiots or villains, and expressed his readiness to obey the summons from the sheriff as one of his posse to bring them to justice. If all of the former leaders of the rebellion were as bold in discountenancing political assassination, we should have a better state of affairs in the South.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.
 SPECIAL DISPATCHES BY THE EXPRESS.

Foreign Market.
 LIVERPOOL, March 23. Cotton quiet at 11 $\frac{1}{2}$, 11 $\frac{1}{4}$, 11 $\frac{1}{8}$; sales 10,000 bales.
 LONDON, March 23. Bands 101.
New York Market.
 NEW YORK, March 23. Cotton weak, at 20 $\frac{1}{2}$, 20, 21; Orleans 23. Gold 113 $\frac{1}{2}$.
New Orleans Market.
 NEW ORLEANS, March 23. Cotton lower, at 21 to 22; Gold 113 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Victor Hugo, in his novel, "By the King's Command," has given the St. Peter of Quakerism a more unkindly cut than the obvious Mauley's dagger. In speaking of the loan-stealers and man-sellers of the seventeenth century, Hugo says: "Bargain! they are for sale. In England, under Jeffreys, and the tragical adventure of Monmouth, many a lord and gentleman was de-capitalized and quartered. These victims left wives and daughters—widows and orphans—whom James II. presented to the Queen, his wife. The Queen sold these ladies to William Penn. What is surprising is, that James II. should have sold these women, but that William Penn should have bought them. The bargain by Penn is excused or explained herein, that Penn, having a desert to sow with men, had need of women.—The women were a part of his implements. These ladies were a good thing for her gracious Majesty the Queen. The young ones brought a high price. One has the uncomfortable sense of a complicated scandal, in reflecting that Penn probably got the old Duchesses very cheap."

A TRIBUTE TO THE SOUTH.—The New York Tribune pays the following tribute to the South: "The South has two noble characteristics, which left to their nature of working in society, are enough in themselves to lift communities from any depth of disaster, and set them on the highway of renown. She has a brave way of looking facts in the face, admitting the truth, comprehending the extent of a disaster, as a preliminary to fresh enterprise. This she honestly came by through the blood of the men who two hundred years ago felled original oaks and pines on the banks of the Potomac, the James and Roanoke, and the Savannah. Second, the crowning occupation to which every good Southerner aspires; the noblest, purest, most honest, and permanent vocation for man is, in his own opinion, that of a tiller of the soil. Given these as premises in any society, and no disaster can prove irretrievable."

TILTON, of the Independent, is altogether out-heroded by the Nation. In that lively sheet we find the following intimation of the "Golden days of the American Bar" that are crowding upon us: "We look forward to see the day when the tedium of every trial will be lightened by instrumental music, an occasional song or anecdote from the bench, and perhaps readings or recitations from female members of the bar, and the introduction of a baby or two to be passed round toward lunch time." The unfortunate collocation of "baby" and "lunch time," leads one to recall involuntarily the King of the Cannibal Islands.

NOTICE.
 Public Sale of Government Stores.
 POST OFFICE BUILDING, TEXAS, March 21st, 1870.
 There will be sold at Public Auction, at the Post Office Building, Texas, on Friday the 25th day of March, 1870, between the hours of 12 m., and 2 p. m., the following Government Stores, viz: 7 Wall Tents, 4 Hospital Tent Flies, 5 Doles sets, 6 Doles sets, 4 Hospital Tent Flies, large, 129 Wall Tent Pins, 76 Hospital Tent Pins, small, 45 Common Tents, 33 Common Tent Flies, sets of, 424 Common Tent Pins, 5 Hospital Tents. Terms—Cash in U. S. Currency.
 J. T. KIRKMAN,
 1st. Lieut. 10th Infantry, A. A. Q. M.
 24-37041w.

UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE.
 Notice is hereby given to all concerned, that all persons who have been assessed upon the Annual List of 1870 for Division No. 4, composed of the county of Bexar, and who may wish to appeal from such assessments, relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or computations, by the Assistant Assessor for said division, can file their appeals at the office of the Assistant Assessor, U. S. Internal Revenue, in the City of San Antonio, in Bexar county, on the 30th day of April, 1870. All appeals must be in writing, and must specify the particular nature, matter or thing, respecting which a decision is requested; and must, moreover, state the ground or principle of error complained of.
 W. B. MOORE,
 Asst. Assessor for 1870, of Texas,
 San Antonio, March 20, 1870. (24-37041w)

Advertisements.

J. B. SWEENEY, GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.
 ALAMO PLAZA, San Antonio, Texas.
 Family & Fancy Groceries, Wines, Liquors & Sigsars, a choice article of Black and Green Teas always on hand. Packages delivered in all parts of the city free of charge. Produce bought and sold. March 21, 1870. 23-37041w.

Pentzrieder & Biersch,
 HAVE RECEIVED,
 Water and Butter Coolers, of porous Saxon clay.
 CHINA FLOATING AND COCOANUT OIL.
 A large assortment of Hair Oil, Pomade, Genuine Cologne Water.
 Fifty dozen Spectacles, of different qualities, 7-1-70d&w.
 Richard Baumann,
 Will please give his address to the undersigned in order to receive a valuable letter and information from home. Any person knowing of the whereabouts of R. Baumann, will earn the thanks of his distressed parents by giving his address or any information concerning him. A. SIMMERING & CO.
 15-3-70d&w (7C)

DEPT. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, San Antonio, March 23rd, 1870. I will sell at public Auction, in front of the Alamo Building, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on Saturday, April 23rd, 1870, to the highest bidder for legal tender notes, the following animals captured from hostile Indians, viz: 20 Ponies, 8 Mules. By order of Major General J. J. REYNOLDS, D. W. PORTER, Capt. A. Q. M., U. S. A. 23-37041w.

U. S. CURRENCY.
 From this date taken at par at my Bar. A. J. LOCKWOOD.
 23-37041w.

U. S. CURRENCY.
 From this date taken at par at the Turner Hall. HAUZEISEN & HAWN.
 20-3-70d11.

MEUNCH HALL,
 POSITIVELY FOUR NIGHTS ONLY!
 Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 23, 24, 25 and 26.
GRAND MATINEE,
 Saturday at half past 2 P. M.
 THE ORIGINAL **PEAK FAMILY BELL RINGERS.**
 Vocalists, Harpists and Silver Cornet Band.

Having the honor of announcing a series of their elastic and novel entertainments as above, on which occasion they will have the pleasure of presenting an entire new programme, consisting of New Bell Music, New Harp Solos, all the new and pleasing ballads and character songs of the day, New (Echo) Cornet Solos. New selections for the Star Bell, which for purity of tone have never been equaled in the United States, and new selections for the Silver Cornet Band.
 Admission:—One-dollar, square. Children under twelve, fifty cents. All children in the afternoon, twenty-five cents. Seats may be secured at Gumble's Book store without extra charge.
 J. M. HARRIS, Agent.
 20-3-70d11.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.
 The undersigned wishes to inform those suffering from the PAINFUL EFFECTS OF YOUTHFUL INDISCRETION, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCY AND NIGHTLY EMISSIONS, that they can be cured (if not too long standing), by addressing with stamp, DR. H. CLEMENS, Box No. 24, (outside) Austin, P. O. N. B.—All business strictly confidential. 18-3-70-41m.

NOTICE.
 SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 16, 1870. This firm of Lockwood & Johnson is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All liabilities will be discharged by A. J. Lockwood.
 JAMES T. JOHNSON,
 A. J. LOCKWOOD.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 16, 1870. The business of the above firm will be conducted as heretofore, by the undersigned, at the old stand, Alamo Plaza. 17-3-70d11w.
 A. J. LOCKWOOD.

CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR.
 As good as, and cheaper than any in this market. For sale by STEELE & WILLIAMS, 10-3-70d11w-37.

KOENIGHEIM & CO.,
 MAIN PLAZA, OPPOSITE CATHEDRAL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
 JUST RECEIVED, a splendid
FALL AND WINTER STOCK
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Fancy and Staple DRY-GOODS CLOTHING,
 BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
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KOENIGHEIM & CO.,
Retail Emporium,
 COMMERCE STREET,
 NEXT TO BELL & BROS.
 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 & Bros., and also that we will always have on hand a complete stock of
Dress Goods,
Fancy Goods,
Clothing, Casimeres, Hats, Caps,
BOOTS, SHOES, &c.
 Consistently on hand, a large assortment of **Philadelphia made Shoes.** KOENIGHEIM & CO., Commerce street.

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 part of the country.
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 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, Sings and Goat, Skins: also for
Wool, Bacon, Lard, Pecans, Honey, Bee-wax, &c.
 Retail Merchants supplied at lowest San Antonio prices. 14-3-70d11w (m)

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!!
D. & A. OPPENHEIMER
 Are just receiving at their new store,
No. 8, Commerce Street,
 A large and well selected stock of
FALL AND WINTER
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods!
CLOTHING, HATS, &c.
BOOTS AND SHOES,
CARPETS, NOTIONS, &c., &c.
 Which they offer at prices to maintain their far famed reputation as selling goods cheaper than the cheapest. We adhere still to our old motto of
"Quick Sales and Small Profits"
 15-1-70d13m.
Laudreth's Garden Seeds,
 Full supply at
 17-3-70-41. LEROUX & COCHRAN.
 CELEBRATED SEPTOLINE OIL, just received by
 J. M. WAGNER & GUMMEL,
G. SCHLEICHER,
 Real Estate Agent, San Antonio, Tex.

Attention to the purchase and sale of city property, lands, and farms, etc. to insure perfection of title, securing land, obtaining patents, and all business connected therewith.
 Owners of lands in the western counties, especially in Fisher and Miller's Colony, will find it to their interest to send me lists of land they own, as plenty of the lands are settled on and require attention to preserve the title. My office is at No. 17, French's Building. P. O. Box 144.

G. SCHLEICHER, CIVIL ENGINEER.
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 SHERRY and CHAMPAGNE, of the best quality, and prices low. For sale by STEELE & WILLIAMS, 10-3-70d11w-37.

Local Intelligence.

NOTICE.

Mr. E. H. Quirk is seeking for the Journal and is in the office of the...

THE AT THE...

Sunday Night... Don't open at 7 o'clock...

FINANCIAL. March 29, 1870. Gold in New York 112 1/2. Currency - Buying rate...

Major W. B. Moore, formerly Editor of the Express, and now Assessor of the District, is in this city on a visit.

MASQUERADE - At the Plaza Hotel, where she enthralled the genial and energetic Tobin, a masquerade ball will be given on the 20th of next month.

DISTRICT COURT - No business of importance was transacted yesterday.

NON EST - The military are seeking for Alberto Nunez with intent to arrest him. Up to this time he has not been found.

THE MAIL - The Columbia mail yesterday was six hours behind time, owing to pressure to the muddy roads.

FEAR IS DOWN - The old building in the middle of the Plaza, threatens to fall upon the heads of the passers by. One corner especially leans beyond the control of gravity. It should be torn down and removed without delay, else an accident will probably be chronicled as occurring there.

AN AQUATIC COURTHOUSE - Our Courthouse may be a convenient affair for ducks and other waterfowl, when it rains, for the roof lets all the water through and the floors hold it faithfully...

THE EXHIBITION - Mr. Editor: You will be of the advantage of some gentleman in this place in the descending of the Rio Grande river to the springs in this place in a boat, has not been the first instance of the kind, as you stated...

CANDY - Candy as a tickler of the palate, is a success. Delicately sweet, artistically perfumed, pervaded with ambrosial, cooling essences that gently stimulate without intoxication, moulded into convenient, pleasant and soluble, that may be carried in a tiny hand or pocket without smothering to either, ready made to one's mouth, with no skins, or husks, or shells to be peeled or cracked off, and no vexatious seeds to be extricated...

FACTS FOR THE LADIES - I have used my Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine eleven years, for all sorts of family sewing, from the very coarsest to the finest...

IT Astounds Everybody, that a stout, slender build, like Spring water,

should revive the original tint in white grey or grizzled hair. Yet so it is, PAILON'S VITALIA OR SALVATION FOR THE HAIR is just such a dant, as limpid and as stainless, yet it far exceeds every other dye of coloring liquid ever known, in imparting rich shades of color to grey hair.

DEPENDENT of the Ballot, coming from Sataria, that the ramic plant is the most valuable there, and that it will eventually supersede cotton in all the rich bottom lands subject to periodical overflow in that latitude. With Chinese labor cultivating the ramic, these lands will yield \$300 per acre. After the first year of the only labor it requires is that of harvesting and threshing out, the first being done with a mowing machine, and the last by means of the patent ramic cleaner. The writer claims that as soon as the plant gets to be fully appreciated, as it soon will be, the empire of King Cotton will pass away, and that truly regal and wonderful plant, the ramic, will wield the scepter and clothe the world. As an article of apparel it will become as common to the ladies of moderate means, as silk are now among the wealthy.

ANOTHER BRITISH GOLD FIELD. It is reported that back in the Rocky Mountain chain, in British Columbia, a gold field has been discovered as rich as the original California, with Australia piled on top. Scientifically considered, there is no reason why gold should not exist in the same chain of mountains, of the same geological strata, north of Colorado, Idaho and Montana as well as in those territories, and if British Columbia has the rich mines reported California will soon supply the diggers.

A CLERGYMAN, formerly of Newburyport, known familiarly as Parson Milton, was seen by a neighbor, heading home on Monday morning with a stout cod he had just bought, and was accosted with, "Mr. Milton, did you not know that fish was caught on Sunday?" The minister, in his characteristic blunt manner, replied, "the fish ain't to blame for that!"

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office, at San Antonio, Texas, March 22nd, received prior to March 15th, 1870:

- Published by Official Authority. Arrandier, Mrs. L. Alexander, Gale. Benton, W. D. Brown, H. G. Boyd, E. Buchner, Emma. Clark, Lindsay. Crozier, G. H. Canines, Augustus. Dunlap, W. W. Engelhardt, Paul. Fish, Louis. Forehand, Fannie. Gifford, E. A. Gray, Chas. W. Gregory, P. H. Harris, Josephine. Hinkle, John. Hays, G. W. Houston, S. K. Harris, T. A. Harpers, Mrs. M. Herck, M. Hartman, Mrs. M. Johnson, Miss A. Krochman, E. Noll, Wm. W. S. W. K. L. search. Linske, A. Penn, Chas. Rhea, P. Schaeffer, Wm. Schmidt, Pat. 2. Sims, Henry. Taylor, Lieut. A. C. Verdenburg, Mary. Van Pelt, Mrs. Wilson, R. Word, Chas. (col).

Letters held for Postage.

- Mr. Ben S. Greer, Pilot Grove, Grayson Co., Texas. Messrs Vve Honore, Rousseau Co, 25 rue Richer, Paris France. Douglas B Watkins, Co D 9th Cav. Fort Steketon. At Dr. Geo. S. Mackenzie, Ft. McKavett. James Sabers, Ft. McKavett. Mrs W. C. Jones, Fort Clark. Messrs Thomas Taylor, care of Maj Geo W. Clark, Editor Two Republic City, Mexico. Miss J. Armer, Fort Smith, Ark. Mr. Hugh McCay, 22 Duane St, New York. Serg't John Mitchell, Co M 9th Cav. Fort McKavett. Jean Cortez, San Marcos. Miss Louise Morehead, Laredo, Texas. Mr. Warron C. Carr, Co. 1st U.S. Infantry, 17th Regt. Patrick DeLoak, Serg't Co B 3rd U.S. Cav., Fort Bayard, N.M. Mr. J. A. Smith, Dhamis, Medina Co. Tex. Miss Annett Williams, Ind. post-off. Washington Co. Texas. William Sattler, New Brannels, Comal Comal Co. Texas. To the Sheriff of Goliad County, 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 a. m. until 4 p. m. S. P. GAMBLE, P. M.

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The undersigned, desiring to inform his friends and acquaintances that he has again received a consignment of the best and most reliable of the world, he has again received a consignment of the best and most reliable of the world, he has again received a consignment of the best and most reliable of the world...

WAS FOUND,

In front of E. J. Probandt's Auction house, a considerable amount of money, the owner can have the same by describing it and paying for this advertisement.

FLOWER BULBS,

A new supply of Gladioli, Dahlias, Double Tuberoses, Tigrids, just received at this office. A. SIEMERING. 15-370 dfg.

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Rodger's, Wostenholme's and American Table and Pocket Knives, Razors and Scissors, just received by BELLS & BROS'S. 17-12-20th st

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NOTICE, Will positively be sold, at public Auction, on the 22nd day of March, 1870, the improvements on the lot formerly known as the homestead of J. J. Giddings, on the east side of the San Antonio river, and near the Alamo. The improvements to be removed by the purchaser in 12 days from day of sale. ADAMS & WICKES. 15-370 d&w

City Cards, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

PHILIP KONRAD, MAIN STREET, NEXT TO NETTE'S DRUG STORE Dealer in all kinds of

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County of Gillespie.
Taken up by Wm. Lang, at his residence
on Squaw creek, county and State aforesaid,
and estrayed before R. Radeoff, a Justice of
the Peace Precinct No. 1, Gillespie county,
a certain brown mare mule, 16 hands high,
age not known, branded on the left shoulder
with a brand resembling OZA and apprized
at \$25 U. S. currency.
Witness, hand and seal, this 10th day
[i. e.] of February, A. D. 1870.
JOHN M. COMPART,
17-2-70 6t.) C. C. G. C.

W. WESTHOFF. L. PREUSS.
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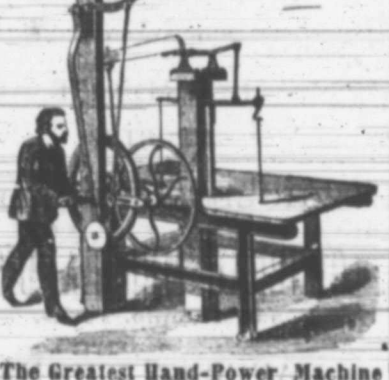
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