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in triplicate, with 5 copies of this advertise-  
ment attached, will be received at this office  
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As may be required in the Department of Tex-  
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1.2-71.)

## OFFICIAL LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES,

Passed at the Third Session of  
the Forty-First Congress.  
[GENERAL NATURE—No. 56.]  
AN ACT to provide for the redemption of  
copper and other token coins.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and  
House of Representatives of the United States  
of America in Congress assembled, That the  
Secretary of the Treasury is hereby author-  
ized and required to redeem in lawful  
money, under such rules and regulations as  
he may from time to time prescribe, all  
copper, bronze, copper-nickel and brass  
token coins of every kind heretofore au-  
thorized by law, when presented in sums  
of not less than twenty dollars; and when-  
ever under this authority these coins are  
presented for redemption in such quantity  
as to shew the amount outstanding to be  
redundant, the Secretary of the Treasury  
is authorized to discontinue or diminish  
the manufacture and issue of such coinage  
until otherwise ordered by him.  
Approved, March 3, 1871.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 57.]  
AN ACT in relation to fraudulent trade-  
marks upon foreign watches.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House  
of Representatives of the United States  
of America in Congress assembled, That  
from and after the first day of April, eight-  
een hundred and seventy-one, no watch,  
watch case, watch movements, or parts of  
watch movements, of foreign manufacture,  
which shall copy or simulate the name or  
trade-mark of any domestic manufacturer,  
shall be admitted to entry at the custom-  
house of the United States unless such do-  
mestic manufacturer is the importer of the  
same.  
Sec. 2. That domestic manufacturers of  
watches, who have adopted trade-marks,  
may cause to be recorded in the treasury  
of the United States, in a book to be kept  
for that purpose, and under such rules and  
regulations as may be prescribed by the  
Secretary of the Treasury, their names,  
residences, and descriptions of trade-marks,  
and furnish to the Secretary fac-similes of  
such trade-mark; and it shall be the duty  
of the Secretary to transmit one or more  
copies of the same to each collector or other  
proper officer of the customs of the United  
States, to be used by such officers in the  
execution of the first section of this act.  
Approved, March 3, 1871.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 58.]  
An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to  
reduce the expenses of the survey and  
sale of the public lands in the United  
States," approved May thirty, eighteen  
hundred and sixty-two.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House  
of Representatives of the United States of  
America in Congress assembled, That the  
act entitled "An act to reduce the ex-  
penses of the survey and sale of the public  
lands in the United States," approved May  
thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, be,  
and the same is hereby amended by adding  
thereto the following additional section, to  
be numbered as section eleven, viz:  
Sec. 11. And be it further enacted, That  
in those cases where settlers shall make de-  
posits in accordance with this act, to the  
credit of the United States, for public sur-  
veys, such amounts so deposited shall go in  
part payment for their lands situated in  
the townships the surveying of which is  
paid for out of said deposits; and effect  
shall be given to this act by regulations to  
be prescribed by the Commissioner of the  
General Land Office.  
Approved, March 3, 1871.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 59.]  
An act to extend the time for the reversion  
to the United States of the lands granted  
by Congress to the State of Michigan to  
aid in the construction of a railroad from  
Pere Marquette to Flint, in said State,  
and for other purposes.  
Be it enacted by the Senate and House  
of Representatives of the United States of  
America in Congress assembled, That the  
time specified in the fourth section of  
the act of Congress, approved June thir-  
ty, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, entitled  
"an act making a grant of alternate sections  
of the public lands to the State of Michigan  
to aid in the construction of certain railroads  
in said State, and for other purposes," for  
the reversion to the United States of the  
lands granted by said act to aid in the  
construction of a railroad from Pere Mar-  
quette to Flint, and for the completion of said  
road, and the same is hereby further ex-  
tended for the period of five years from and  
after the passage of this act.  
Sec. 2. That the State of Michigan may  
authorize the sale of sixty sections of the  
land granted to aid the construction of said  
road, from Pere Marquette to Flint, when-  
ever and as often as the Governor of  
said State shall certify that ten additional  
miles of said railroad is completed and in  
running order as a first class railroad; Pro-  
vided, That said lands authorized to be  
sold as aforesaid shall include only lands  
situated opposite to and contiguous with  
the completed sections; And provided, That  
in case said railroad shall not be fully  
completed from Flint to Lake Michigan within  
the time as extended by this act, all the  
lands included in said grant to which the  
right to sell shall not then have attached  
shall revert to the United States.  
Approved, March 3, 1871.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 55.]  
AN ACT to provide for the better secur-  
ity of life on board of vessels propelled  
in whole or in part by steam, and for  
other purposes.  
(Continued.)  
Sec. 22. And be it further enacted, That  
the said local boards, when so requested  
in writing by any master or owner, shall,  
under the direction of the supervising in-  
spector inspect steamers in other collec-  
tion districts where no such board is es-

ablished; and if a certificate of approval  
is not granted, no other inspection shall  
be made by the same or any other board  
and unrevoked by the supervising in-  
spector of the district are removed: Pro-  
vided, however, That nothing herein contained  
shall impair the right of the inspectors to  
permit such vessel to go to another port  
for repairs, if in their opinion it can be  
done with safety.  
Sec. 23. And be it further enacted, That  
in order to carry this act fully into execu-  
tion, the ten supervising inspectors now  
in office shall continue in commission;  
and whenever a vacancy occurs, from  
death, resignation, or removal, the Presi-  
dent of the United States shall, the advice  
and consent of the Senate, fill the vacancy  
by appointing a steamship inspector, who shall  
be selected for his knowledge, skill, and  
practical experience in the uses of steam for  
navigation, and is a competent judge of the  
character and qualities of steam vessels,  
and of all parts of the machinery em-  
ployed in steaming. The said supervising  
inspectors and the supervising inspec-  
tor general shall assemble together as a  
board, once in each year at the City of  
Washington, District of Columbia, on the  
third Wednesday in January, and at such  
other times as the Secretary of the Treas-  
ury shall prescribe, for joint regulation,  
and shall assign to each of the supervising  
inspectors, respectively, the limits of  
territory within which he shall perform  
his duties, and the said board shall estab-  
lish all necessary rules and regulations  
required to carry out in the most effective  
manner the provisions of this act for the  
safety of life, which rules and regulations,  
when approved by the Secretary of the  
Treasury, shall have the force of law:  
Provided, however, That the supervising  
inspector for the district embracing the  
Pacific coast shall not be under obligation  
to attend the meetings of the board often  
or than once in two years, and when he  
does not attend such meetings, he shall  
make his communication thereto, in the  
way of a report, in such manner as the  
board shall prescribe.  
Sec. 24. And be it further enacted, That  
such supervising inspector shall watch  
over all parts of the territory assigned to  
him, shall visit, confer with, and arrange  
into the doing of the local boards of in-  
spection with his district, and shall in-  
struct them in the proper performance of  
their duties; and shall, whenever he  
thinks it expedient, visit such vessels il-  
licensed, and examine into their condition,  
for the purpose of ascertaining whether  
the provisions of this act have been ob-  
served and complied with, both by the  
board of inspectors and the master and  
owners; and it shall be the duty of all  
masters, engineers, mates, and pilots of  
such vessels to answer all reasonable in-  
quiries, and to give all the information in  
their power in regard to any such vessel  
so visited, and the manner of navigating the  
same.  
Sec. 25. And be it further enacted, That  
whenever a supervising inspector ac-  
certain to his satisfaction that any master,  
mate, engineer, pilot, or owner of any such  
vessel fails to perform his duties accord-  
ing to the provisions of this act, he shall  
report the facts in writing to the Secretary  
of the Treasury, who shall cause imme-  
diate investigation into the truth of the  
complaint, and if he deems the cause suf-  
ficient, shall remove the delinquent.  
Sec. 26. And be it further enacted, That  
it shall be the duty of such supervising in-  
spector to see that the said several boards  
within their respective districts, execute  
their duties faithfully, promptly, and, as  
far as possible, uniformly in all places  
by following out the provisions of this act  
according to the true intent and meaning  
thereof; and they shall, as far as practicable,  
harmonize differences of opinion when they  
exist in different local boards.  
Sec. 27. And be it further enacted, That  
the said supervising inspectors shall also  
visit the collection districts in which there  
are no boards of inspectors, if there be any,  
where steamers are owned or employed,  
and each one shall have full power to in-  
spect any such steamer or the boilers of  
such steamer in any such district, or in any  
district where, from distinction or other cause,  
it is inconvenient to resort to the local  
board, and to grant certificates of approval  
and to do and perform all the duties im-  
posed upon local boards by this act.  
Sec. 28. And be it further enacted, That  
it shall be the duty of the board of super-  
vising inspectors to establish such rules  
and regulations as may be necessary to  
make known in a proper manner to local  
inspectors the names of all persons licensed  
under the provisions of this act, the names  
of all persons from whom licenses have  
been withheld, and the names of all whose  
licenses have been suspended or revoked;  
and also names of all steam vessels neglect-  
ing or refusing to make such repairs as  
may be ordered under the provisions of this  
act, and the names of all that have been re-  
fused certificates of inspection. And such  
supervising inspector shall report, in writ-  
ing, at the annual meetings of the board,  
the general business transacted in his  
district during the year, embracing all viola-  
tions of the steamship laws, and the action  
taken in relation to the same, all investiga-  
tions and decisions by local inspectors, and  
all cases of appeal, and the result thereof;  
and the board shall examine into all the  
acts of each supervising inspector and local  
board, and all complaints made against the  
same, in relation to the performance of their  
duties under the law, and the judgment of  
the board in each case shall be entered up-  
on their journal; and the board shall, as far  
as possible, correct mistakes where they  
exist.  
Sec. 29. And be it further enacted, That  
it shall be the duty of the board of super-  
vising inspectors to establish such rules and  
regulations to be observed by all steam ves-  
sels in passing each other as they shall  
from time to time deem necessary for safety,  
two printed copies of which rules and  
regulations, signed by said inspectors, shall  
be furnished to each of such vessels, which  
rules shall be observed both night and day,  
should any pilot, engineer, mate, or master

of any steam vessel neglect or wilfully  
refuse to observe such regulations so esta-  
blished, any delinquent so neglecting or re-  
fusing shall be liable to a penalty of fifty  
dollars, and to all damages done to any pas-  
senger, in his person or baggage, by such  
neglect or refusal.  
Sec. 30. And be it further enacted, That  
it shall be the duty of the collectors, or other  
chief officers of the customs, and of the  
inspectors aforesaid within the said several  
districts, to enforce the provisions of law  
against all steamers arriving and depart-  
ing, and upon proof that any collector, or  
other chief officer of the customs, or inspec-  
tor, has negligently or intentionally omit-  
ted his duty in this particular, such delin-  
quent shall be liable to removal from office  
and to a penalty of one hundred dollars for  
such offense, to be sued for in an action of  
debt before any court of competent juris-  
diction.  
Sec. 31. And be it further enacted, That  
every collector or other chief officer of the  
customs shall retain on file all original cer-  
tificates of the inspectors required by this  
act to be delivered to him, and shall give  
to the master or owner of the vessel there-  
in named three certified copies thereof, two  
of which shall be placed by such master or  
owner in conspicuous places in the vessel  
where they will be most likely to be ob-  
served by passengers and others, and there-  
kept at all times, framed under glass; the  
other shall be retained by such master or  
owner as evidence of the authority thereby  
conferred; and if any passenger shall be re-  
ceived on board any steamer not having  
the certified copies of the certificates of ap-  
proval as required by this act, placed and  
kept as aforesaid, or if any passenger steamer  
shall receive or carry any gunpowder on  
board, not having a certificate authorizing  
the same, and a certified copy thereof  
placed and kept as aforesaid, or shall carry  
any gunpowder at a place or in a manner  
not authorized by such certificate, such  
steamer shall be held liable for a penalty of  
one hundred dollars for each offense, to be  
recovered in any court of competent juris-  
diction.  
(To be continued.)

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It runs quiet and rapid, without gears, cog-  
wheel or belts.  
It is the most powerful and strongest Machine  
in use.  
It has a Shuttle tension, and uses with equal  
facility both cotton and linen thread, doing all  
kinds of sewing, from this point to heavy sole  
leather.  
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From Gentle C. Scott's "Report of Fashions."  
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fashioning business from many years' experience,  
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Machine the most improved sewing machine of Grover  
& Baker's, and the only one of the kind in the  
world for the use of the "tailors" use, or for  
the use of any trade requiring a tight seam in  
cloth or leather.  
We have used the Grover & Baker Shuttle  
Machine No. 1, and find it admirably adapted to  
our business. It runs lighter, makes less noise,  
and is every way preferable to the Singer  
Machine, for either light or heavy manufacturing.  
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new shuttle Machines, which you designate as  
No. 1. I have used many different machines in  
my business during the last eight years, and it  
gives me great pleasure in asserting that this  
one is far superior in all points to any that I  
have ever used. I want no better.  
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Machines in the market, including Leavitt's,  
Singer's and Howe's, have finally adopted your  
No. 1 Grover & Baker Machine, and having  
used it the past two years, can truthfully say  
it proves to be the best machine, and superior  
to any we have used.  
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REPUBLICAN STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Table with columns: Dist., Names, Dist., Names. Lists names of committee members for various districts.

NOTICE.

The SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS has received the commission of Official Organ for the twenty-third Judicial District, which embraces the counties of Bexar, Wilson and Comal.

The FRENCH PRESS has received the commission of Official Organ for the twenty-sixth Judicial District, composed of the counties of Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie, Blanco, Edwards and Kimbrell.

We call the attention of Sheriff's Constables, District Judges, District Clerks, Justices of the peace, all county officers and administrators, or parties making either public or private sale under order of a Court, to the clause in Section 13, of the law, which says:

Every advertisement and publication in any other paper than the one selected, shall during the term of such legal selection, be null and void for any legal purpose.

Draw the Party Lines.

If any original Union man had expected until recently to find agreeable, or even tolerable quarters in the Democratic camp, the late utterances of the Conservative press have forever disbanded their minds of such a hallucination.

The plain truth is that Texas "Democracy" is pure rebellion and franchise 4,000,000 American citizens. We are not afraid of the decision of those who were dragged into rebellion against their will.

The news from Northern Texas in relation to the prospect of war with the Indians, is corroborated from other sources. The general in chief of the army is in receipt of a letter from the Indian Territory, indicating a renewal of Indian hostilities at an early date.

As a gentleman was walking the streets of Washington, the other night, he was accosted by three ruffians who pretended to be drunk, and asked him the time of night.

OFFICIAL LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Passed at the Third Session of the Forty-First Congress.

GENERAL NATURE—No. 55.]

An act to renew certain grants of land to the State of Alabama.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the grant of lands made to the State of Alabama by the act of Congress approved June thirteenth hundred and fifty-six, entitled "An act granting public lands, in alternate sections, to the State of Alabama, to aid in the construction of certain railroads in said State," to assist in the building of a railroad from the city of Montgomery, Alabama, to some point on the Alabama and Tennessee State line...

GENERAL NATURE—No. 56.]

AN ACT to provide for the better security of life on board of vessels propelled in whole or in part by steam, and for other purposes.

(Continued.)

SEC. 12. And be it further enacted, That whenever any person claiming to be a pilot of a steam vessel shall offer himself for a license, the inspector shall make diligent inquiry as to his character and merits, and if satisfied from personal examination of the applicant, with the proof that he shall offer, that he possesses the requisite knowledge and skill, and is trustworthy and faithful, they shall grant him a license for the term of one year to pilot any such vessel within the limits prescribed in the license, but such license shall be suspended or revoked upon satisfactory evidence of negligence, unskillfulness, or intention to the duties of his station, or for intemperance, or the willful violation of any provisions of this act.

SEC. 13. And be it further enacted, That the said local boards of inspectors shall investigate all acts of impudence or misconduct committed by any licensed officer while acting under the authority of his license, and shall have power to summon before them any witness within their attendance by a similar process as in the United States circuit or district courts; and such local inspectors are hereby authorized to administer all necessary oaths to any witnesses thus summoned before them, and after reasonable notice in writing, given to the alleged delinquent, of the time and place of such investigation, that all witnesses shall be examined under oath touching the performance of his duties by any such licensed officer, and if the board shall be satisfied that any licensed officer is incompetent, or has been guilty of misbehavior, negligence, unskillfulness, or has endangered life, or willfully violated any provision of this act, they shall immediately suspend or revoke his license, and the chief officer of the customs for the district shall pay out of the revenues received under the provisions of this act such fees for his services, and to any witness summoned for his service, and to any witness summoned for his service, and to any witness summoned for his service...

SEC. 21. And be it further enacted, That in addition to the annual inspection, it shall be the duty of the local inspectors to examine, at proper times, steamers arriving and departing to and from their respective ports so often as to enable them to detect any neglect to comply with the requirements of law, and also any defects or imperfections becoming apparent after the inspection aforesaid, and tending to render the navigation of the vessels unsafe; and if they shall discover any omission to comply with the law, or that repairs have become necessary to make the vessel safe, the said inspectors shall at once notify the master in writing, stating in the notice what is required; and if the master deems the requirements unreasonable or unnecessary, he may apply for a re-examination of the case to the supervising inspector, as hereinbefore provided; and if the master or owner shall refuse or neglect to comply with the requirements of the local inspectors, and shall, contrary thereto and while the same remains unrepaired by the supervising inspector, employ the vessel by navigating her, the master and owner and the vessel itself shall be liable to the penalty as prescribed by the first section of this act, and in addition thereto shall be liable for any damage to passengers and their baggage which shall occur from any defects as stated in the notice aforesaid. And all repairs and orders for repairs shall be promptly made by the inspectors, and when it can be safely done in their judgment, they shall permit repairs to be made where those interested can most conveniently do them; and no inspectors of one district shall modify or annul the doings of the inspectors of another district, in regard to repairs unless there is a change in the state of things, demanding more repairs than were thought necessary when the order was made, nor shall the inspectors of one district license a person coming from another district, if such person has been reported for unfitness or want of qualifications.

Two travellers having been assigned to the same bedroom in a crowded hotel, one of them before retiring knelt down to pray, and confessed a long catalogue of sins. On rising from his knees he saw his fellow traveller, valise in hand, going out of the door, and exclaimed: "What's the matter? what's up?" "Oh nothing was the reply, "only I'm not going to risk myself with such a scamp as you confess yourself to be!"

(To be continued.)

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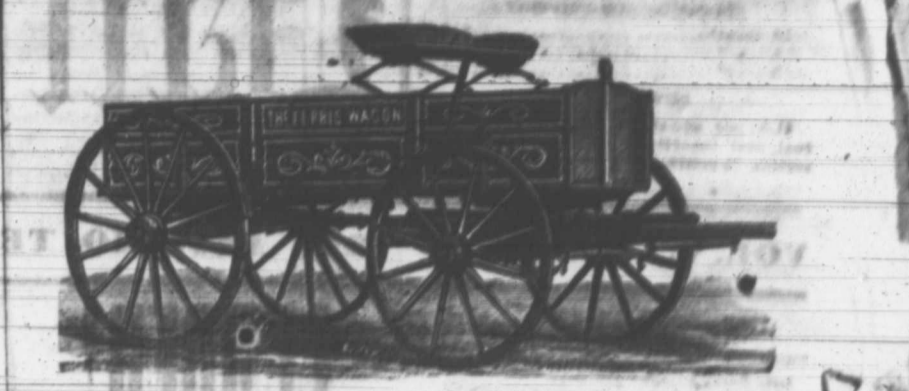
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GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS REPORTING DIRECT TO CHIEFS OF STAFF.

Captain Benjamin G. Card, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Depot Quartermaster, San Antonio, Texas. Captain W. G. Hodges, Military Storekeeper, Quartermaster's Department, U. S. Army, Galveston, Texas.

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Austin, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Major J. K. Mizner, 4th Cavalry; company B, 19th Infantry.

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Fort Brown, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Col. H. B. Clitz, 10th Inf; company K, 4th Cavalry; headquarters cos. A, G, H, and K, 10th Infantry.

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Fort Griffin, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Lt. Colonel O. J. Whiting, U. S. Army; cos. D, F and H, 4th Cav.; cos. B and F, 6th Cav.; headquarters cos. A, F and G, 11th Inf.

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Fort McIntosh, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Major T. M. Anderson, 10th Infantry; cos. C, 4th Cavalry; cos. C, 10th Infantry.

Fort McKavett, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Lieutenant Colonel W. R. Shafter, 24th Inf.; cos. F and M, 9th Cav.; headquarters cos. D and E, 24th Inf.; cos. C and H, 26th Inf.

Fort Pike, La., Com'dg Officer, Captain P. H. Remington, 19th Inf; company F, 19th Inf.

Fort Quitman, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Major A. F. Morrow, 9th Cavalry; cos. D and I, 9th Cavalry; company H, 24th Inf.; company B, 26th Infantry.

Fort Richardson, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Colonel James Oakes, 6th Cavalry; headquarters cos. A, C, D, E, G, H, I, K, L and M, 6th Cavalry; cos. C and R, 11th Inf.

Fort Stockton, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Major James F. Wade, 9th Cavalry; headquarters cos. A and D, 9th Cavalry; company G, 24th Inf; company K, 26th Infantry.

Jackson Barracks, La., Com'dg Officer, Lieutenant Colonel James B. Aytes, 3d Artillery; headquarters cos. G, D and E, 19th Infantry.

Jefferson, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Captain H. L. Chipman, 11th Infantry; cos. D and I, 11th Infantry.

Rosenwald Barracks, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Lieutenant Colonel A. M. McCook, 10th Infantry; company L, 4th Cavalry; cos. B, E and F, 10th Infantry.

San Antonio, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Captain Robert H. Hall, 10th Infantry; company M, 4th Cavalry; company F, 10th Infantry.

San Antonio Arsenal, Texas, Com'dg Officer, Captain Robert H. Hall, 10th Infantry, in charge; no troops.

Shreveport, La., Com'dg Officer, Captain Wm J. Lyster, 19th Infantry; company B, 19th Infantry.

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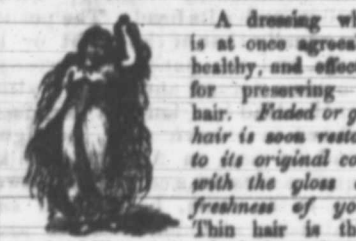
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SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of San Antonio, That all persons owning property within the city of San Antonio, liable to be taxed and all taxable residents, be required to render their property and persons for assessment; and that the City Assessor shall complete such assessment on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1871.

Sec. 2. That in all cases of failure to render property for assessment, as above provided, the Assessor shall proceed to assess the same, and for such failure shall add thereto ten per cent of the taxes so assessed.

Sec. 3. That each and every person rendering property for assessment shall take and subscribe the following oath before the Assessor, who is hereby authorized to administer the oath, and which shall be attached to each assessment list: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the assessed statements contain accurate, full and complete lists of all property, money and credits within the city of San Antonio, which I am required to list, acting for myself or for any one whom I may represent, and of all, subject on account of which, I am in any capacity, chargeable for taxes, and that in my opinion, the valuations of property listed are not below the fair cash value thereof so help me God."

Sec. 4. This Ordinance shall take effect as in force from and after its publication. Approved, San Antonio, March 25, A. D. 1871. WM. C. A. THELEPAPE, Mayor, City of San Antonio.

Attest: G. W. BARTHOLOMEW, City Clerk, 65-3-71dtd.

An Ordinance Amending an ordinance regulating the Markets of the City of San Antonio, approved December 19, 1870.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of San Antonio, That no person who has once rented a stall in one of the Market Houses of this City, and has given upon quitting such stall, shall be permitted again to rent the stall so given up or quit, until after the expiration of twelve months from the time of so quitting or giving up the same.

Sec. 2. That losses of stall may be delivered to their customers, at any time, and sold by them; provided the same shall have been first exposed in the Market House for the inspection of the Market Master and any person violating the provisions hereof, by failing or refusing to subject such articles to the inspection of the Market Master, before the delivery of the same, shall be fined not less than Five dollars nor more than fifty dollars and costs, and in default of payment shall be committed to the City Prison and condemned to labor on the public works of the City as provided by ordinance.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication. Approved, San Antonio, March 23, A. D. 1871. WM. C. A. THELEPAPE, Mayor City of San Antonio.

Attest: G. W. BARTHOLOMEW, Jr., City Clerk, 25-3-71dtd.

ONIONS, FLOUR, Salt, Nails, Wire Brooms, Astral Oil, just received by LOUIS HUTH, Market Street, 14-7-71

# The Daily Express

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A. SIEMERING & CO., Publishers.  
STANLEY WELCH, Editor.

FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1871.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
Austin, August 24, 1870.

To A. Siemering & Co.,  
You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed your paper, "The San Antonio Express," the Official Journal of the twenty-third Judicial District.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at the City of Austin, this 23d day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and the Independence of Texas, the thirty-fifth.

EDMUND J. DAVIS, Governor.  
By the Governor,  
JAMES F. NEWCOMB.

### NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS.

The undersigned having been selected a member of the Republican State Executive Committee for the 23rd Judicial District, comprising the counties of Bexar, Comal and Wilson, hereby give notice that he will act as such member for said District, and calls upon the county Executive committees of Bexar, Comal and Wilson, to at once report to him the candidates for their respective counties, and the names and post office addresses of the members of the County Committee. More by Circular.

A. SIEMERING,  
San Antonio, March 10th, 1871.

### NOTICE

#### To the Republicans of the 26th Judicial District.

The undersigned having been selected a member of the Republican State Executive Committee, for the 26th Judicial District, comprising the counties of Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie and Blanco; herewith respectfully calls upon the county executive committees of the above named counties, to report to him the condition of their respective counties as soon as possible, giving their full names and post office address, and also communicate with the undersigned freely, in order to complete a thorough organization of this District.

RD. ZOELLER,  
Austin, March 16th, 1871.

The terrible condition to which we are reduced in this State as regards mail facilities is being more and more sensibly felt as our communities increase, and the losses and delays begin to foot up proportions alarming to both merchants and journalists. Scarcely a mail arrives that is complete; now a handful of letters is brought in by the lumbering coaches, and then anon eight to twenty bags are brought, and the papers and letters nearly a month old distributed to anxious citizens. The loss of this office alone in the last year, would foot up to over a thousand dollars, in fact an average of one hundred dollars per month would be a fair allowance for pecuniary losses and the delays incident to the arrival of our exchanges.

From time to time a glimmering of hope has been infused into our community by broad spread announcements of mail agents appointed, but mortal eyes in this section have never looked upon them, and if there are such peculiar growths in this State as mail agents, they are nourished and guarded so carefully by their owners (mail contractors) that they never see the light, or darkness we should say, of the peoples' eyes, losses, and delays.

As long as the State of Texas pays her tribute to the coffers of the nation, just so long her wrongs that proceed from the inefficiency of government employees should be righted.

We ask, we beg, the post master general to do something to remedy the ills that seem to have concentrated upon our State through the corruption, inefficiency, and don't-care-a-damn-activeness of mail agents.

### The District Court.

After a recess of three days of last week, on account of the ill health of Judge Noonan, the Court resumed the criminal docket on Monday last. *Morris Bradley*, whose case had been once to the Supreme Court, plead guilty to an aggravated assault and battery and was fined \$100.

*George Borroughs*, a soldier and an insignificant, weak-minded looking specimen of the grama horse, was discovered by two policemen, some time since, firing shots from a "pepper-box" at another soldier, who, with a comrade, was bearing a hasty retreat from before this formidable weapon, and begging not to be shot. *Bory* was indicted for an assault with intent to murder, but the jury, it is supposed, argued in this wise: This man is a soldier and he ought to be on the frontier killing Indians; if we send him to the penitentiary Uncle Sam loses a soldier, and a very good number of redskins will continue their miserable, devilish existences. They will no doubt hear that this *Bory* is out of the army, and the next dash they make may be in the very heart of our city. Let us give him back his "pepper-box" and let him go. *Bory*'s want to put him in the county jail, but that will cost us money. It was a drunken soldier's quarrel, let Uncle Sam take care of his own. And so *Bory* slouched out into the army again—unless he is court-martialed and punished as he deserves.

But the next jury empanelled to try *Cary McFerson*, for an aggravated assault upon a woman, were not to be outdone in any exhibition of chivalry, high-toned sentimentality. With them "Things had come to a pretty pass" if a woman couldn't wallop a—dame or a lass!

What rights has a woman which a man

is bound to respect? Therefore, although there was evidence by three unimpeachable witnesses, that *Cary* had, with sublime courage and unflinching recklessness and daring, "hit out straight" three times, overturning two feminine "pins" at each stroke, with so evident a purpose of doing damage, that had death ensued he would have been entitled to a premium neck-tie of the best Manila hemp, this mock jury of twelve tender-hearted, high-bred, conscience-stricken husbands and fathers, without any evidence at all for the defense, on their oaths did say, that *Cary* had done a very proper thing!

But there is one fact, and only one, which we may have overlooked. This brute may be, after all, a genuine Mother *Cary's* chicken, and we all know that there exists among the ignorant and superstitious, a belief that to cage or destroy one of these nice *petrels* is a sure fore-runner of disaster. If the verdict of this jury is to be accounted for in this way, let us pity these poor benighted twelve, erect a sea-men's hotel, and import a missionary who is no land-lubber.

When *F. Lopez, Esq.*, was arraigned for an attempt to murder another Mexican Don, and succeeding in breaking his jaw, leaving him for dead, the State's Attorney took pity on the mother *Cary's* chicken men, and exhausted his challenges upon them at once. The result was *Señor Don Lopez* was invited to take up his quarters in the penitentiary during the next two years.

On yesterday *John Williams* was tried for horse stealing, found guilty, and awarded five years imprisonment in the penitentiary. *Jesus Rodriguez* was found guilty of aggravated assault and fined \$100.

SAN ANTONIO, MARCH 30, 1871.

Editor of the San Antonio Express:  
Dear Sir—I find in the Herald of the 29th of March, a letter written by Mr. A. S. Barrojo, dated El Paso, March 27, 1871, and addressed to myself and W. B. Moore, Austin. You will permit me to make use of your valuable paper for the purpose of notifying Mr. A. S. Barrojo, or any other gentleman, who should desire information relative to official matters, that the proper course to obtain such information, is to apply in person or by letter, at the U. S. Collector's office, and that no attention whatever will be paid to newspaper correspondence.

Yours truly,  
F. BRAUNRACH,  
U. S. Collector.

### The South has one Governor Equal to the Occasion.

The article below taken from the "New National Era" Fred Douglass' able paper, is one of the strongest and clearest expositions of facts in the case of Texas, and the able handling of internal disorders by the Governor, that we have yet read even from any of our State Journals.

Republicans will peruse the article with eminent satisfaction bearing in mind the approval of those who see wherein able statesmanship and excellent measures have done much to curb the fell spirit of desperadoism which remained within our State borders, a legacy left by the civil war whose horrors reached only a portion of the State. We invite from all good citizens a careful perusal of this article.

Governor Davis, of Texas, is proving himself equal to the emergency that presents themselves in restoring that State to a condition of civil government. It was generally predicted that the removal of the military government in Texas would be the signal for new outbreaks and a more terrible state of things than had ever existed under the administration of Gen. Reynolds; that the loyal men would find it impossible to live in the State, and that the Federal Government would be called upon at an early day to take charge of affairs and set aside the civil authority; but the history of that State under the administration of Governor Davis is proving a pleasant disappointment to the whole country.

At the first meeting of the Legislature, the Governor secured the enactment of the militia and State police laws, and under these acts he has organized an executive power, more potent than Federal bayonets.

Under the militia law, the entire male population of the State capable of bearing arms were enrolled and divided into classes—the "State guard" and reserve militia; the "State guard" to be armed and uniformed, and subject to the orders of the Governor to aid in putting down rebellion and enforcing the law.

Under the police law the Governor organized a body of fearless men, whose commissions were so extensive with the limits of the State, and whose duty it became to arrest desperadoes and execute the law where the local officers failed.

We have before us the recent report of the adjutant general and chief of police of Texas, and to illustrate what has been done in that State under the new State government, we make the following extracts therefrom. The report says:

"Upon appointment, every policeman received general instructions to aid, by every means in his power, in the arrest of all criminals in his district. As the names and names of different criminals became known at the office, special instructions were issued in such cases to the police in the district in which the criminal was supposed to be, to search for and arrest him upon sight. The sheriffs of the different counties were called upon by circular from this office to furnish a list, setting forth the names of criminals evading justice, nature of crime, when and where committed, and where the criminal was supposed to be at the time of rendering the report. These reports, as consolidated and filed in this office, show the names of 2,750 criminals evading arrest in 105 counties; 59 counties not heard from."

Of the above, the report says, 708 are indictments for murder, and 413 assaults with intent to kill.

Of these criminals, says the report, evading arrest on the 1st of July, 1870, and persons who have committed crimes since that date, nine hundred and seventy-eight have been arrested by the State police and turned over to the civil authorities for trial.

The courts, under the management of judges appointed by the Governor, have

not been idle, and the criminal in Texas is finding his road a thorny one. The vigilance of the police, and their fearless hunt after offenders, has caused hundreds of bad men to run out of Texas, and not a few who have shown resistance to the officers of the law have paid the penalty with their lives.

The militia is only partly organized, but has been called into service in two notable instances by the Governor. A few weeks since some of the "most respectable citizens" of Hill county, in that State, took it into their heads to resist the State police and prevent the arrest of murderers. A most atrocious murder of a colored man had been committed. The State police got on the track of the murderer; they came to the house of one of those "most respectable citizens," where it was believed the murderer was hiding; the "most respectable citizen" refused to allow his house to be searched because two of the police were colored. The house was searched, but the murderer had escaped. The police went on in pursuit, and were suddenly surrounded by a band of "most respectable citizens" and compelled to surrender; they were dragged before a justice of the peace and bound over to appear for their offense—searching for murderers. The police resorted to the Governor, and in a remarkable short time, before the "most respectable citizens" of Hill county had time to get over their rejoicing at defeating the State police, Hill county was declared under martial law, and the adjutant general of the State, with a strong militia and police had possession of the county, and the persons of the men who had participated in the arrest of the police. These offenders were placed under heavy bond to answer to the courts for their offense, and compelled to pay a fine sufficient to reimburse the State for its expense. This lesson has made Hill county as quiet as a lamb.

Since the disturbance in Hill county, a very serious affair has occurred in Walker county. Some parties were being examined before Judge Burnett, the best judge, on a charge of murdering an old freedman. Upon the announcement of the judge refusing the parties' bail, and remanding them to prison, the prisoners (who had been furnished free arms by their friends, through the contrivance of the sheriff) and these friends began firing upon the judge and other officers, among them a captain of the State police, who was shot down. In the commotion the prisoners escaped, except one. In this affair many of the "most respected citizens" took tumble parts. The Governor has declared Walker county under martial law, and a military commission instituted to try all parties engaged in this outrage. The main actors have fled the State.

Governor Davis is denounced as a tyrant by the Democratic press. Would that we had a similar tyrant in every Southern State. He has procured additional legislation, making stronger his militia and police acts, and desires it to be understood that Texas can take care of itself. Despite the violence cited above in relation to the "most respected citizens" took tumble parts. The Governor has declared Walker county under martial law, and a military commission instituted to try all parties engaged in this outrage. The main actors have fled the State.

While Governor Davis and the Republican party to Texas are putting forth their best efforts to restore that State and make permanent the Republican party, it is in the duty of the Federal Government and the Administration here, to render them all moral aid possible in the appointment of federal officials, and also in securing to the Texas frontier complete protection against the murdering and stealing bands of hostile Indians. For, besides the herculean task of quieting interior disorder, and quelling the spirit of murder and rebellion, the Texas State government has also undertaken the defense of its frontier at great expense and trouble. The Federal Government should be prompt to relieve Texas of this frontier work, for her rulers have enough to attend to, to enforce civil government.

### A Wall from Texas.

A slight eruption reaches us from Texas. A gentleman named Walker is the erupter, and he uses the name of the Democratic State Central Committee as his shield and reference. This breaking out is of the usual sort that has been made familiar to us by Messrs. Brice, Braughn, & Co., as the organs of the Democratic State Central Committee in Louisiana, on similar occasions, to wit: when an election was under discussion. It is of the harrowing order of architecture, being dressed up in such inflammatory shapes and periods as to have the effect of curdling the young blood and fretting with sudden erection the natural hair. Texas is in a serious way if this relation is correct, but unfortunately the people seem to be hard to satisfy as to the irritant that Mr. Walker declaims about. The State seems to be prosperous beyond all precedent, and the people are apparently wedded to the misery and ruin which the Democratic State Central Committee makes such a bother about. In fact, they signify a distressing listlessness on the subject, and one irrelevant settler remarked audibly in Houston that he had heard that "tale of woe for thirty years, and it always made its appearance when the Democrats were out of office." Mr. Walker declares that nothing but the Democratic party can save the country, and if the job was not turned over to them pretty soon, even their ability to preserve the people, the laws and the constitution would be of such a sham upon the human capacity, as to be of doubtful result. This is the eruption that reaches us from Texas, and it only wants one element to subject it to the charge of being a positive plagiarism from last year's manifest, issued by Messrs. Brice, Braughn & Co., to the people of Louisiana. It makes no mention of the zoological fowl called the vampire. This bird was probably eviscerated from the production in order to prevent a breach of copyright. Texas is safe as yet.—N. O. Republican.

### Texas out in the Cold.

Texas is without a representative to-day in either branch of Congress; she has only one person at present who is recognized—Senator Flanagan—to represent her interests, and he has returned to the State on private business.

Senator Hamilton is here, but, for some unexplained reason, was not admitted on the 4th instant. His credentials, in proper form, were before the Senate, but on a mere *ex parte* newspaper statement, a cloud was cast upon his title to a seat, and his credentials referred to a committee. There is no one opposing his claim; he has no contestant.

General Reynolds, who was reported to have been elected Senator has been here, and was ordered back to duty. Under the act of July, 1869, he could not accept the position as Senator without vacating by that act his commission as an officer in the army. That he has not accepted is abundantly evident in the fact that he obeys an order issued from the War department, and returns to his post in Texas. Moreover, when he left here he had no credentials, but promised they would be forwarded to the Vice President. Subsequently what purports to be credentials were received, but without the signature of the Governor. These papers, utterly worthless for any legal purpose whatever, have been referred to the Committee on Elections—and Senator Hamilton is deprived of his seat, and Texas of a representative in the Senate of the United States.

The State is quite as unfortunate in the lower house of Congress. The terms of her last Representatives expired with the Forty-first Congress. There is no law at present under which representatives can be again elected before November, 1872. It is probable, however, that the Legislature now in session will provide for an election the present year.—Washington Chronicle, March 6th.

### The Fashion of Funerals in New York.

Correspondence Chicago Times.

The present innovation is to lay the body upon a couch, dressed in its accustomed clothing, with a pillow under its head. The position is usually that of the right or left side, and the hands are arranged in some natural and easy position. If the dead is a lady, a handsome shawl is thrown over the figure, and if a man, an Afghan or silken quilt serves for a covering. Flowers are in the room, but not in such obtrusive abundance as to make the odor of these beautiful things haunt you forever afterward. The funeral is announced, and the friends and acquaintances are invited through the public prints, to be present and take leave of the departed. No hearse and no coffin affront the sight and chill the blood with those traditional sentiments which afflicted our childish years. As many days afterward as the condition of the remains will permit, a few of the nearest and dearest are invited to assist in the sad ceremony of burial. Loving hands lift and lower the casket, and tender ones strew the earth softly above it with flowers, and perhaps some favored wrappings of the dead are added, to lie between the dust which usually falls so heavily and harshly upon that other dust which is so dear. No strange eyes witness this last sacred attention to the departed, and no memory of a thoughtless jar or heavy tread comes back to embitter the remembrance of the sorrowful event.

### New Advertisements.

Agents Wanted—\$75 to \$200 a month. Address: C. BOWEN & CO., 436 Spruce street, Philadelphia, Pa.—(31-37)td-wt.

### Educational Notice.

Prof. W. A. Logan intends visiting Europe and Frederickburg early in April to teach his improved lightning method of calculation; which is a decided advantage to business men and those who wish to excel in the art of reckoning; also persons desiring his Abstract Rules of Arithmetic, (an easy and ready method of elphering) can purchase them during his presence only. (31-37)td-wt.

### An Ordinance.

Providing for and regulating the cleaning of the Streets, Alleys, Side walks, Avenues, public and private grounds and high-ways of the City of San Antonio.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of San Antonio, That it shall be the duty of all persons occupying premises on Commerce and Market streets, and on all cross streets between them, from the Main Plaza to the San Antonio river; on Alamo street from McAllister's corner to the Alamo Plaza; on Soledad, Asaguas and Flores streets from Pecos street to the Plaza; on Pecos street from the Alamo Plaza to the San Pedro Creek; on Presidio and Dolores streets to the San Pedro creek; on the Main, Military and Alamo Plazas, every morning, Sundays excepted, before the hour of 8 o'clock, A. M., from April 1st to October 1st and before 9 o'clock, A. M., from October 1st to April 1st, to have cleanly swept all side-walks and banquets adjoining the premises so occupied by them, and it shall also be their duty to have all yards, enclosures, sinks, stables and pens belonging to the premises kept thoroughly cleaned and free from weeds and filth, and the sweepings from the yards and kitchens shall, during said hour, be deposited in tubs, barrels, or boxes on the outer edge of the side-walks, in front of the premises to be carried off in the

conveyance cart and the owners and keepers of stables and pens for animals, whether for public or private use, shall before the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., thoroughly cleanse the same, and at their own expense carry away all dirt and filth three times a week, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, from April 1st to October 1st, and twice a week on Wednesday and Saturday, from October 1st to April 1st. Nothing in this section shall be so construed as to prevent a person from disposing of any manure for the purpose of enriching the soil.

Sec. 2. That within the following prescribed limits of the City of San Antonio all streets, alleys, side-walks, lanes, avenues, public and private grounds and high-ways, not provided for in section one of this ordinance, shall be thoroughly cleaned and swept as hereinafter provided. To wit: Beginning with Arsenal street at the San Antonio River, thence running west including both sides of the street to East Street, thence north with said street and including both sides of the same to Salinas street, thence east with Salinas street including both sides of the same to Flores street, thence north with said street including both sides of the same to Romana street, thence east with said street including both sides of the same to the San Antonio River, thence with said river to Marlin street, thence easterly with Marlin and Third streets including both sides of said streets to the Alamo Ditch, thence up said ditch to Madre Ditch, thence with said ditch to Mill street, thence with said street to the San Antonio River, thence with the river to the place of beginning.

It shall be the duty of all persons occupying premises within the above stated limits, to cleanse them in the same manner as prescribed in section one of this ordinance, except that it shall be done only twice a week, that part lying west of the San Antonio River on Tuesday and Friday of each week and that part lying east of the San Antonio river on Wednesday and Saturday of each week.

Sec. 3. That the side-walks adjoining all unoccupied premises or vacant lots within the limits described in sections one and two, shall be swept as therein specified, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and the premises and lots shall also be kept clean under his direction, and there shall be assessed, as a special tax against said property, to be collected as other taxes are collected, a sufficient sum to pay for the said sweeping and closing, and the sum so to be assessed shall be ascertained and fixed by the Mayor, assisted by the Street Commissioner and City Collector, and the City Assessor shall be notified thereof and place the same on the assessment rolls of the City for collection.

Sec. 4. All occupants of property in the settled portions of the City, but without the foregoing prescribed limits, shall observe all the provisions prescribed in the first section of this ordinance, but they shall only be required to do so on Saturday morning of each week.

Sec. 5. It shall not be lawful for any person to deposit or throw in the streets, avenues, public highways or public or private grounds of the city, any dead animals, meat or flesh of any kind, bones, vegetables, suds, washings or slops from the laundries or kitchens, ashes, offal, droppings of animals or filth of any kind or in any way obstruct the drainage of the gutters or streets.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of the police to notice every violation of this Ordinance and report the same to the Recorder.

Sec. 7. It shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to duly inspect all the streets, public highways and public and private grounds of the city, and to see that the provisions of this Ordinance are strictly observed, and to report to the Recorder all infractions thereof, and he shall do and perform such other duties as may be required of him by the Mayor under the provisions of this Ordinance.

Sec. 8. It shall be the duty of the Mayor or to prescribe all additional necessary rules and regulations, for the thorough cleaning of all the precincts of the City, and shall by and with the advice and consent of the City Council employ by contract or otherwise, as may be most economical and beneficial to the City and the public, street sweepers and scavengers, who shall under the direction of the Mayor, thoroughly sweep and clean all streets, alleys, lanes, avenues, public grounds and high-ways, and all unoccupied and vacant premises and lots, requiring to be kept clean under this ordinance.

Sec. 9. Should any animal die on the premises of any occupied property within the city, it shall be the duty of the occupant of the premises to have the carcass immediately removed to the excavation of the soft rock quarries at the powder house hill, and there be interred four feet deep in the bed of said excavation, and should any animal die upon any unoccupied premises within the city limits, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to have the carcass removed by the street scavenger and interred as aforesaid, and the cost thereof shall be paid by the owner of the animal if he or she can be found, and their failing to do so when called upon by the Street Commissioner shall be deemed an offense.

Sec. 10. Any person failing to comply with or violating either or any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof, before the Recorder, be fined in a sum not less than one dollar, nor more than ten dollars, and costs, and in default of payment be committed to the city prison, and condemned to labor on the public works of the City as provided by ordinance.

Sec. 11. All ordinances and parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, and all ordinances heretofore enacted upon the subject of cleaning the streets of the city are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication.

Approved, San Antonio, March 23, A. D. 1871.

WM. C. A. THIELEPAPE,  
Mayor City of San Antonio,  
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NOTICE.

All legal advertising in the San Antonio Express must from this date be paid in advance...

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FRESH GARDEN SEEDS. If you want want fresh garden seeds call at Leroux and Crogrove...

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The undersigned will dispose of, by private sale, his household furniture, glass, china, &c.

Genuine delicious apple butter at Merritt's.

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An immense mail arrived Wednesday and papers dating back to the 5th of March came by it.

CORN is getting very scarce, and the market is run almost entirely upon the supply from Mexico.

PLUMS and peaches this year will be numbered by the thousand bushels. The trees promise to actually bend beneath the weight of fine healthy fruit...

Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo New York, and get a pamphlet on Catarrh free...

PROFESSOR WHITE, Spiritualist and Free thinker, paid as a visit and announces a lecture for this, Friday evening...

We invite attention to the letter of Ph. Brackbach, U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue, to be found elsewhere...

The State Journal announces a plan on foot to organize a boating club, and the editor, Mr. Wheelock, says "boating has hitherto been confined exclusively to the northern States..."

FROM NORTON'S magical seance of Wednesday night was but dimly attended, but those who went were fully repaid in the freaks and wonders displayed...

He cooked himself in a borrowed hat, breaking genuine eggs into it. Broke up watches and rings and restored them on fire again.

audience, the Professor invariably finding these articles in the borrowed hat of some wandering fellow...

YESTERDAY ushered itself in with a drizzling rain, making everything damp and disagreeable to the touch...

STRAWBERRIES have been very successfully grown this year by parties in and around San Antonio.

We learn there is a prospect of the post-office being moved to Soledad street, near the Masonic Hall.

A HOOSIER critic compares Nilsson to the "Venice di Medici," and declares that her "dilect and divine warblings" fell upon his "beatified heart" like the "spushing music of melodious waterfalls upon a bed of smashed roses."

In the election campaign now going on in Burlington, Vt., one candidate charges another aspirant with buying soap bones at the market...

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NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS. The tax-payers of San Antonio are hereby notified that the Assessor will be at the different wards of said city, on the days and places below mentioned...

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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Table with columns for Arrives, COLUMBUS, and Departs. Lists mail schedules for various days of the week.

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- List of sheriffs for various Texas counties including Anderson, Angelina, Atascosa, etc.

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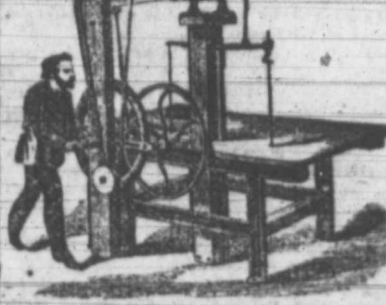
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