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Poetic Satire.

A MAN of undoubted talent, pleasant flow of language and keen perception is travelling around the country delivering with fine tone and gesture a poetic satire, which is a general onslaught upon the press, pulpit and politics of the day. While as a literary production the satire deserves credit and commendation, we cannot but class it as one of those stones extended a people who are clamorous for bread. It is an effusion of the influence of which tends to make unpracticables of those whose theories give bias to their actions, rather than practice. It is without aim or purpose, and knowing as we do the ability of its author to treat upon more important subjects, we make haste to assure him that a lecture upon immigration, education, or some show of respect devoted to the resources of our fine State, would be in much better taste, have a general good effect, and would incite amongst the people an eager interest in matters that are to their ultimate practical advantage.

The efforts making by certain democratic journals to show that the Southern and Northern democracy are divided on the national issues likely to enter into the next contest are mischievous and unwarrantable. There is no essential disagreement between them—none whatever to prevent their harmonious union against the common enemy. If there are differences of opinion in regard to accepting the constitutional amendments as irreversible finalities, they are of a wholly immaterial character to the work immediately in hand, and involve no necessity for disturbing the fraternal relations that now exist. All are agreed in this: that the amendments were never ratified by the States, according to the intent and meaning of the constitution, and that the process by which they have become incorporated in that instrument was an arrogant and unjustifiable assault upon the liberties of the people. There is no controversy here.—Dem. Ex.

If the democratic party would place itself fairly and squarely upon its democratic platform, so that the people could understand what its policy actually would be in case of its ascendancy, in regard to the great political questions, it would be extremely gratifying to Republicans; but before the next Presidential election the "White Man's Party" will be obliged to commit itself to the mischievous and destructive policy advocated in the above extract. At the present time, however, the leading Democratic journals are advocating a policy that is as odious to the Southern Democracy as the ideas of the more advanced Radicals, and they are energetically opposing the re-opening of questions which all men of enlarged common sense views regard as settled forever.

The New York Herald, for instance, kindly admonishes the secession leaders in the South, either to abandon their old Confederate abominations and become reliable American citizens, or if that be a last hope, to remain modestly in the back ground during political excitement.

When the people of the United States are satisfied that the Democratic party are in earnest with their long-mouthed threatenings to raise the defiant State rights doctrine, they will settle the question permanently, by placing men in power who will deal with these incorrigibles in the manner they deserve.

But what shall we say of the honesty of a class of people, who having appealed to the highest tribunal known to man, the decision of the sword, and after a complete discomfiture, await an opportunity to destroy the national government, which has committed only one mistake, that of entertaining too exalted an impression as to the political honesty of the great leaders of the Confederacy.

It is somewhat singular, however, we may remark, *en passant*, that after having been cursed (according to the most respectable democratic papers) for several years with a "tyrannical usurper" for a Governor, a "corrupt set of carpet baggers" for a Legislature, and the country has been infested with "radical Ku Klux State Police," that we should be able to have a fair at all, but when we are told by the same luminaries, that the present State Fair will excel any thing of the kind ever before seen in Texas, we are still more bewildered, and did not politeness forbid, we would be obliged to entertain doubts as to the correctness of their information.

The truth is, that under the fostering hand of a Republican administration, our

union with human depravity in general, and the meanness of the "McKinney Enquirer," in particular, that any attempt to punish either of these public enemies should be deprecated by the apologists of murder. But what a gushing tenderness they have for "our people!"

A Word to the People.

Year after year, and decade after decade, have passed, filled with the anxious hopes, the struggles and sacrifices of the people of San Antonio, to obtain a railroad, that should connect them with the outer world, and allow the arterial blood of progress to enter our community, and stir it to the action of other sections and other States, whose advancement has been almost marvellous.

Until the present moment, no offer as definite and as plain in its character, as that of the managers of the Columbus route, has ever been before our people. Doubts and uncertainties have always hinged upon all other offers heretofore, too often ending in grievous disappointments. A surety is presented as in the offer of Col. Pierce, of having a road in fine working condition, in two years. He, offering a forfeit of one hundred thousand dollars for failure to complete said road. For this road the people are called upon to donate five hundred thousand dollars in thirty years bonds, which is simply a taxing of the county fifty thousand dollars per annum, for the space of twenty years. Looking at all the advantages that accrue to us in the possession of an outlet for the cattle, farming and field products of our county, and an inlet for articles of wear and consumption, and the immense saving in freights, (over \$500,000 annually) there is no man, rich or poor, who should fail in this hour to lend cheerful aid and support to the proposition of donation, which will come before the people for their votes.

The poor man will find his flour, coffee, sugar, his wearing apparel, and the thousand necessities for his comfort, cheapened one-third; while his richer neighbor, in the increased value to his lands, and increase of business, if he is a merchant, will find full return for all he may now lead to this railroad enterprise.

The expression of the popular will of this county, by ballot, will make or mar our railroad interests. For advantages of a route saving us a million dollars annually, we are asked to invest fifty thousand dollars annually, for twenty years. At the end of that time San Antonio will have quadrupled her population, extended her municipal area, and become the distributing centre of West Texas, and so increased her taxable wealth, that she will be a fit competitor of any of the more eastern cities of Houston or Galveston.

This same line it is now proposed to run to our city, stops not at our doors. It will run to the Mexican border, perhaps across it, tapping all the wealth of that country's trade and traffic, and making San Antonio the point where it all concentrates. Sanguine as we are of the beneficial results of the Columbus road, we are satisfied that we have compassed but one half the advantages that will really accrue to us, in our giving it earnest aid and support.

We want every man in the county, of voting age, to ask himself whether we want railroads or not. Having settled in his mind that they will benefit the country, let him compare the advantages and the surety of possessing this route, with all others that offer themselves to notice. Let him well and fairly draw his conclusions, and when the day of balloting comes, go up boldly to the polls and give a free, enlightened expression of his desires. We know that every thinking, sensible man will vote Aye, with a vim, for securing us beyond peradventure, connection with a thriving, busy world outside of us, by rail.

The Visit of Horace Greeley.

The acceptance by Horace Greeley of the invitation extended him by the Committee of Arrangements, to deliver the opening address at the State Fair at Houston, and the subsequent resolution of the House authorizing the Governor to extend an invitation to the distinguished guest, to visit the Capital, should inspire the Republican party of Texas with feelings of pride and congratulation, and give the unconstrained occasion for some rather "disjointed thinking."

If any responsible person in Texas, ten years ago had predicted that at the present date, the political and social state of the country would justify a Republican Governor in inviting the philosopher of the Tribune to pay us a friendly visit, his party would have been called into question, and a speedy exoneration from the Lone Star State become eminently advisable; but the soothing hand of old Father Time works wonders, and we are called upon to remark the verity of the ancient adage: "Times change and we change with them."

"The mountain would not come to Mahomet, therefore Mahomet went up to the mountain." It is somewhat singular, however, we may remark, *en passant*, that after having been cursed (according to the most respectable democratic papers) for several years with a "tyrannical usurper" for a Governor, a "corrupt set of carpet baggers" for a Legislature, and the country has been infested with "radical Ku Klux State Police," that we should be able to have a fair at all, but when we are told by the same luminaries, that the present State Fair will excel any thing of the kind ever before seen in Texas, we are still more bewildered, and did not politeness forbid, we would be obliged to entertain doubts as to the correctness of their information.

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State, "like a young giant refreshed with new wine," is holding her own, nobly, in the great onward rush of the States in progress and civilization, and has not only regained what she lost by reason of the paralyzation and stagnation caused by four years of intestine strife, but has gone far beyond her former position; and through the medium of her State Fair, she shows to the world her trophies of peace and prosperity.

Horace Greeley is almost too well known to all reading men, to justify any extended sketch of his eventful life, and we will confine ourselves to a few bare outlines. He was born in the State of New Hampshire, in the year 1811, and his aspiring mind and fondness for study, led him early in life, to adopt the art of printing as his profession. In 1841 he started the New York Tribune, and to his untiring industry, fearless zeal, and great scholastic attainments is its immense influence wherever the English language is understood, principally to be attributed. It has always been the honest but dreaded foe to every institution or clique, that attempts to infringe upon the inalienable rights of man. While his views as to the perpetual maintenance of the fundamental principles of republicanism, and his hostility to the heresies of secession, are as immovable as the granite hills of his native State, he has ever regarded our Southern people with sentiments of fraternal kindness; this is evidenced not only by the broad and liberal views promulgated through the Tribune, but by his bold and generous action in signing Jeff. Davis' bail bond; and his present visit to our State is prompted by the same generous sentiments, never losing sight, however, of the great fundamental principle, that "the Union must and shall be preserved."

His success as a lecturer, has been as great as that which he has attained in his editorial capacity. Our Republicans exchange regard his visit as a compliment to our State, as it is; and even the Democratic press has as yet, failed to exhibit that malevolent vindictiveness they have heretofore displayed, on similar occasions.

Should the invitation of the Governor to visit the city of Austin, be accepted, it is not improbable that we may have an opportunity of tendering the hospitalities of our city to a man who is entitled to the respect and gratitude of the entire country.

Recorder versus Clerk.

As some of Judge Gamble's friends are trying to place the matter of his collecting fees, in the light of justice and duty, we will go back to first principles, and take the law in the case, which fully substantiates the charge we have made against him, of playing grab, against the interests and welfare of his democratic clerk.

Section 135 of the city charter defines the duties of the city clerk; from which we extract the following: "He shall also be clerk of the recorder's court, and shall have custody of all books and papers belonging to said court. He shall make out all process *in writ*, and enter upon a docket all complaints for violation or infractions of city ordinances before the recorder and his judgment or sentence therein. He shall have power and authority to administer *all oaths and affirmations*, and as clerk of said court shall be entitled to such fees as are allowed the district court clerk for like services."

Now, how far does Gamble allow him to perform the duties. All process, citations, subpoenas, etc., are issued by Judge Gamble, and he pockets the fees for the same. Under the charter they should be the prerogatives of the clerk.

Does he stop in his play of grab there? By no means; As he is, as a judge, entitled to administer oaths, he tells the clerk he will divide the fees for oaths administered, and generously (I allow him one half for what is really and truly the clerk's prerogative, for on Gamble's theory, Judge Noonan would have the right to use his power of administering oaths, and compel Mr. Simpson, our district clerk, to divide with him.

By such means as the above, Gamble receives over and above his salary of \$1,000 a year, monthly sums ranging from \$175 to \$275 per month, while the clerk, leader of the young democracy of our city, receives from twenty-five to thirty dollars a month, does all the work, and then comes out in a card, and deliberately lies, in his attempt to save Gamble's reputation.

We use the word *lies* with the full intent and purposes of a Horace Greeley, and though it sounds harsh as a word, it's what we mean.

To prove it, the reader has only to glance at his statement in Sunday's issue, where he declares "he receives all the fees allowed him by the charter," and then compare it with our own statement as above, taken from his own lips, in presence of credible witnesses.

This matter of showing up the little game of grab, is by no means pleasant to us, as we are forced to a severity of truth that cuts the feelings of those who have friendship for both of the parties to the game, the recorder and his clerk. We don't blame Bartholomew for trying to shield Gamble, for on Gamble's fiat, he holds his position, but we do blame him for sacrificing his consistency and his love for truth and candor, by placing in public columns, a statement without any material support beyond bare and conflicting assertions.

A lady inquired of an Episcopalian friend, why she was detained so long at church on a particular morning, adding, "I suppose, however, you stayed for the 'Te-Dious Laudanum.'"

Men are to be employed to fan the hope this summer on the palace stock cars. Much competition at the railroad office for berth.

With June 1st, the time for the Assessment of city property expires; after that time a fine of 10 per cent additional tax has to be paid by delinquents. So you had better come forward, and add all the tax payers, to the Assessor's office, next to the Mayor's office.

A white boy and a young negro what he had such a short space for; "I speak so it won't poke itself into other people's business."


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Two lots near the Episcopal school house, each measuring 30 by 70 yards. The lots are well improved, fine peach and shade trees upon them. A good well of water, and a neat rock house upon one lot containing seven rooms, and a substantial dwelling with four rooms upon the other. (24-5-71d3-wt)

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Announces that he is now prepared to clean clothing of all descriptions. Everything from the finest of silks to the roughest of winter goods, Silk Velvets, Ribbons, Gloves, Ulsters, Coats, &c., &c. REFERENCES: Messrs. Adams, Wickes & Co., O. W. Brackenger, W. A. Bennett, Jno. T. Brackenger, H. Green, Col. Thos. H. Hunt. 12-3-71d4f.

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The only preventative known for Chills and Fever is the use of Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
Is good for Dyspepsia.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
Is a preventative of Chills and Fever.

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Is good for all kidney and bladder complaints.

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Is used all over the world by physicians in their practice.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
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Is good for all Urinary complaints.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
Is recommended by all the Medical Faculty.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
Is good for Colic and pain in the stomach.

Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps.
Is imitated and counterfeited, and purchasers will have to use caution in purchasing.

I beg leave to call the attention of the reader to testimonials in favor of the Schnapps:

I feel bound to say that I regard your Schnapps as being in every respect pre-eminently pure, and deserving of medical patronage. At all events it is the purest possible article of Holland gin, heretofore unobtainable, and as such may be safely prescribed by physicians.
DAVID L. MOIT, M. D., Pharmaceutical Chemist, New York.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 1. I feel that we have now an article of gin suitable for such cases as that recently is adapted to.
DR. J. W. BRIDGES.

"Schnapps" is a remedy in chronic catarrhal complaints, etc.

I take great pleasure in bearing highly creditable testimony to its efficacy as an immediate agent in the diseases for which you recommend it. Having a natural tendency to the venereal system, with a high degree of irritability, I regard it as one of the most important remedies in chronic catarrhal affections, particularly those of the gonorrhoeal apparatus. With much respect, your obedient servant.

CHAS. A. LEAS, M. D., New York.

26 Pine Street, New York, Nov. 25, 1867. —Udolpo Wolfe, Esq., Present: Dear Sir: I have made a chemical examination of a sample of your "Schiedam Schnapps" with the intent of determining if any foreign or injurious substance had been added to the simple distilled spirit.

The examination has resulted in the conclusion that the sample contained no poisonous or harmful admixture. I have been unable to discover any trace of the deleterious substances which are sometimes employed in the adulteration of liquor. I would not hesitate to use myself, nor to recommend to others, for medicinal purposes, the "Schiedam Schnapps" as an excellent and unobjectionable variety of gin. Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) CHAS. A. SERLY, Chemist.

Chemical and Technical Laboratory, 15 Exchange Place, New York, Nov. 25, 1867. —Udolpo Wolfe, Esq., Present: Dear Sir: The undersigned have carefully and thoroughly analyzed a sample of your "Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps," selected by ourselves, and have found the same free from all organic or inorganic substances, more or less injurious to health. From the result of our examination we consider the article one of superior quality, healthful as a beverage, and effective in its medicinal qualities. Respectfully yours,

(Signed) ALEX. TRIPPEL, Chemist.
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OFFICE OF THE WESTERN TEXAS LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF SAN ANTONIO.

San Antonio, Texas, May 16th, 1871.
Notice to Stockholders.

The annual election for nine Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Company's office, on Monday, June 10th, 1871. Ballots may be deposited on 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Stockholders being out of the city, or otherwise, not able to attend in person, can vote by a duly authorized proxy.
E. A. FLORIAN, Secretary.
16-5-71d3-wt.

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Fine Walnut Bed-room Suits.
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Of Walnut and imitation Chestnut, packed in one box, ready for shipment.

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HOSIERY AND GLOVES.
Our Stock of White Goods, Hosiery and Gloves is complete. Our notion department has been replenished with all the novelties of the season, embracing everything requisite to the Toilet of the most fashionable lady.

CLOTHING: CLOTHING!!
Our stock of Clothing and Furnishing Goods cannot be surpassed by any House in the State, as great care has been given in the selection of this stock, our aim being to buy Good Goods and sell Cheap.

HATS, HATS, HATS,
Our line of Gents and Boys Hats are of the latest style and best quality. Gentlemen are requested to call and examine the fine stock of Straw Hats we are now offering at very low figures.

BOOTS & SHOES,
Our large stock of Boots and Shoes have been purchased direct from the manufacturer, and for style, durability and cheapness, we defy all competition.
We think it no trouble to show goods, and respectfully invite you to examine carefully our large stock before purchasing elsewhere.
14-4-71d4wtf. MOKE & BRO.

Local Intelligence.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

Table with columns for Arrives, Departure, and specific mail routes like COLUMBUS, VICTORIA, WACO, EL PASO, SAN ANTONIO, and LARKDO.

CANDIDATES. Congressman, 4th District.

Whereas, The Hon. EDWARD DEGENER, our late Representative to Congress, has died...

Proceedings of the City Council.

Adjourned meeting. SAN ANTONIO, May 23d, 1871. Present, his honor, Mayor Thielepape. Councilmen—Messrs. Groes, Penteuider, Duerler, Bell, Norton and Callaghan.

The Household Tonic.

The remedy of Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters as a specific for treating the unfeeling body and cheering the desponding mind has passed into a proverb...

TEN DAYS from New York is the extraordinary rapidity with which the mails come through.

How THE THING IS DONE.—The people who invest in what is styled "narrative," would do well to investigate as to its identity.

THAT enterprising firm of Messrs. T. H. Peterson & Bro., of Philadelphia, have again favored us with complimentary numbers of their excellent publications...

FREIGHTERS are still arriving, heavy laden. We really wonder where the immense quantities of goods that daily arrive, are stored.

MERRITT is filling his store from top to bottom with the finest assortment of groceries ever brought to this town.

ERST on Main street sets a fine table and has the choicest viands the market affords.

Wool growers are having a good thing of it this year. They are receiving extraordinary high prices for the staple, ranging according to grade from 23 to 33 cents a pound.

FRESH figs are the latest luxury.

CHICKEN cholera still claims its victims.

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TESTIMONIALS.

General Meeting OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE San Antonio Meat Extract Company.

According to the rules and regulations of the above company, the second regular meeting of the stockholders of the San Antonio Meat Extract Company will be held on June 15th, 1871, in the Casino Hall.

H. GRENET,

Calls the attention OF THE CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS TO HIS Large and well assorted Stock OF STAPLE GROCERIES CROCKERY AND LIQUORS.

The finest ever found in this market, Which he offers at his usual LOW PRICES.

JUST RECEIVED, AT LOW FREIGHTS, SUGARS—Prime and Choice WHISKEY—Olive Branch, COAL OIL—"Devoes," RICE—Carolina. LARD—Choice Leaf.

ALSO, on hand, 200,000 Pounds of Refined English Iron, Cast and Spring Steel.

ALL OF WHICH WERE IMPORTED DIRECT FROM THE BEST ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS.

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Such as Letter Paper, Fool's Cap, Legal Cap, Flat Letter, Flat Cap, Folio Post Ruled, Double Flat cap ruled, Blank Books, Memorandums, &c., &c.

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 Dealer in all kinds of
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 Consisting of
 Bedsteads,
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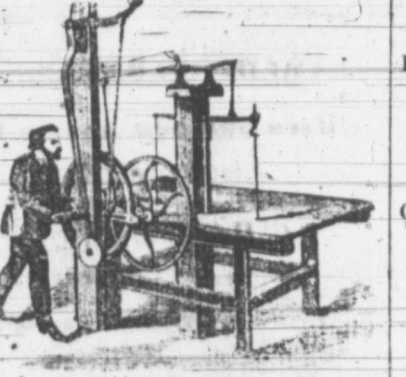
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