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THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1871. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, AUSTIN, AUGUST 23d, 1871. To A. Siemering & Co. You are hereby notified that I have this day appointed your paper, 'The Daily Express,' as the Official Journal of the twenty-third Judicial District.

REPUBLICAN STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Hon. J. G. TRACY, Chairman, Houston. Hon. J. P. NEWCOMB, Secretary, Austin. Dist. Names. Dist. Names. 1. C. W. Webb, 19. Richard Allen, 2. A. T. Munroe, 20. F. Franks, 3. W. C. Phillips, 21. J. G. Bell, 4. Judge Wheeler, 22. T. H. Baker, 5. W. H. Rawson, 23. A. Siemering, 6. C. T. Garland, 24. C. G. Richard, 7. R. Peterson, 25. A. J. Fountain, 8. U. H. Slaughter, 26. A. Zoeller, 9. J. H. Morrison, 27. W. R. Moore, 10. Robt. H. Taylor, 28. W. A. Saylor, 11. J. B. Seward, 29. Mat. Gaines, 12. J. R. Seward, 30. J. P. Butler, 13. S. S. Jones, 31. P. W. Hall, 14. Cruise Carson, 32. Foster, 15. Gen. S. J. Brown, 33. N. Patton, 16. W. W. Davis, 34. A. Downing, Jr. 17. G. T. Ruby, 35. A. Hanson.

BLANK DEEDS, For Sale at this Office.

A Few Republican Ideas

Our strenuous efforts, directed to calling attention to those who have been placed in office, to their duty as Republicans, have had, in many instances, good effects. Many of the would-be marplots, who were agitating themselves over the possibilities and probabilities of the entire fate of the party hanging upon themselves, have suddenly discovered that they are only mice in the formation of the grand party, that numbers its supporters by millions, and that their haughty, descriptive tendency and self importance have decreased decidedly in size, and the lamb-like nature of their sayings and doings, speaks well for the effects of the lamb's shears we burst in their midst. While the storm we raised, has to a certain extent, had a purifying effect upon the political atmosphere the end is not yet, for we intend to spare neither friend or foe from our criticisms, until the party here is back again to its standpoint of strength, earnestness and vigor. We accept in excess from officials for lack of duty performed towards the party that entrusted them with positions, and the only atonement they can make for their apathy and negligence, is by their redoubling their exertions for the remainder of their terms. Many of them have gone off on personal ambition, and forgotten that the party interests are above all such, and that attempts to push forward special favorites, who have nothing but weakness and inconsistent Republicanism, to recommend them, is not only dangerous, but diametrically opposed to integral Republicanism. Many have gone so completely beyond the pale of party influence, and shown such an eager thirst for only their selfish personal ambitions, that the tenure of their offices is short, and the days of their occupation of these offices, numbered. Such men are always like drift wood. They gather upon the surface of the most progressive stream, yet never continue in a straight course. They are drawn hither and thither, from city to city, and from whirlpool to whirlpool; they go sideways, endways, and very often, butt-end foremost, only to bring up finally, on some low bank or sand bar, where they waste themselves, unheeded for and without notice, from even the most ordinary of mortals. Truly it is said, the Republican party is a party of principles, and one of its strongest principles is, that action, and not mere generosity and talk, speaks loudest of republican earnestness and strength. Words and theories are very well when accompanied by action, but mere rehash of theory without a single action to back it up, is rather a sign of a weakened Republican, and those who in good faith and earnestness have put their shoulders to the wheel that is urging the party forward, look with but small favor upon that sort. 'Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty' has become axiomatic American axiom, but is no more assured to us than the principle that 'Eternal activity and watchfulness is the price of Party success.' While the Democracy of the North, with its subtle doctrines of repudiation, and its corruptive influence of money rials is plotting our overthrow; while Southern treason and advocacy of original State rights doctrines take heart from that growing corruptive strength North, it is no time for Republicans to indulge in noonday naps. We have no right to underestimate the strength of an enemy, no right to magnify our own, but should rather be found ever on the alert, seeking even in the hour of assured majorities, how to swell and increase those majorities, and make our success the more pleasing to ourselves, the more grievous to our enemies. To do this is to essentially follow Republican principles. To do anything else, places the sleepers and dreamers by

themselves, and too late they will wake from their naps, and find that our great republican army has passed on, and they are left by the roadside as stragglers, to come up at a late hour, when the victory has been won, and the laurels placed upon the brows of those who have led, and planned, and worked earnestly for a Nation's perpetuity and salvation.

The Republican Party Invincible.

Time and again, during the history of the last ten years, have the hopes of the democratic party been raised to the highest pitch of exaltation; facts and figures often proved conclusively, to the ecstatic unreasoned North and South, that at last the great crisis had arrived, and a long and uninterrupted era of democratic ascendancy was about to dawn upon the country; the tone of their press under the reiterated assurances of the impossibility of defeat, would gradually change from egotistical loyalty to ill disguised hostility and treason; and the cut-throat element of the party could not be sufficiently restrained to await the approaching hour of triumph; yet each and every time the ship has been dashed to the ground and the promised era been transferred to the dim uncertain future. As the great presidential election of 1870 looms up in the distance, the oft defeated army of the democracy is again galvanised into spasmodic resuscitation of life, again the same delusive phantom flits before them, and again we hear the muttered threatnings of deferred vengeance of the rank and file; but the same inevitable defeat awaits them. We will endeavor to explain why it is that the ultimate success of the 'democracy' is impossible. There is, throughout the entire Union, and in every State thereof, a rapidly increasing class of hard fisted, clear headed men, who are unflinchingly hostile to the democratic party. This class of men give their unqualified adhesion, to the Republican party because they know that in order to perpetuate a demoralizing, cruel and unjustifiable system of slavery, that was in direct opposition to justice and decency, and debasing alike to tyrant and slave, the democratic party endeavored by open warfare in the South, and insidious treachery in the North, that wall high so-called, to securing the downfall of the great American Republic, and establish in its place an uncertain number of weak, diminutive despots; that in order to accomplish the perpetuation of the African slavery and the destruction of the National government, they (the democracy) sanctioned by ill concealed approval the knife and the pistol of the assassin. They know too, that in many States of the South, since the close of the war, organized bands of disguised ruffians have assassinated, scourged and intimidated peaceful and unoffending citizens, and that the victims of these outrages have invariably been Republicans; they know that these disgraceful deeds have almost always been sanctioned and applauded by the Southern democracy, and that their Northern political brethren oppose any attempt of the Executive to punish the perpetrators; they know too that the prosperity and development of the country would be retarded by the success of the democratic party, and their own common sense teaches them that to support a party with such a record in the past, and such a tendency in the future, is not in accordance with the duty of an American citizen. They desire that the laws may be enforced and they know that the democracy sympathize with the criminal, and not with the State; they desire that their children may grow up intelligent men and women, and they see that the Republican party favors universal education; they desire that the manner of conducting elections may be arranged to defeat fraud, and they see that the democratic party opposes such precautionary measures. The Republican party is not only increasing in numbers, but they are fully alive to the importance of the issue at stake, and therefore, a Democratic victory is exceedingly improbable. But for the sake of argument, let us suppose that a Democratic President and Congress were elected; in that case, if the party leaders and newspapers are to be believed, the amendments to the constitution are to be declared null and void, and a system of proslavery politics, reducing the colored race to virtual slavery; the pernicious doctrines of States rights is again to be revived; the questions of the Confederate debt, Confederate damages and pensions will be successfully advocated, and the inevitable Democratic corruption and lawlessness are to prevail. In short, the country is to be placed, as near as circumstances will permit, in the position it occupied before the war. As soon as this question is again presented to the American people, it will be settled finally, by an appeal to arms. Those who doubt this, know but little of the spirit of the American people, who are determined that every citizen, regardless of color or station in life, shall be protected in life, property and political independence, although the constitution be torn to tatters. Now, is the Democratic party prepared to meet this question, and take up the gauntlet they once threw down so defiantly? If it is not, then every speech that is uttered, every paper that is published, and every threat that is made, is nothing more or less than meaningless gasconade, and unworthy of the gallant but misguided men, who for four long years displayed qualities that comport badly with this insignificant trooping of played out political tricksters. A pious old Pittsburger gets close to the footlights when 'The Black Crook' is on, because his hearing is bad.

The San Antonio Herald and Horace Greeley.

We learn by private letters and by telegram that Mr. Horace Greeley has accepted the invitation of the City Council of San Antonio to become their guest. The precise period is not yet designated. To the guests of the city of course every deference will be shown and every courtesy and hospitality will be extended. Doubtless the many will be forward in rendering their homage at the feet of the conqueror. Although a civilian, he is not the less a conqueror and a despoiler. If a Southern man will look around his home circle, and witness the premature age of his wife, the laborious manual duties to which she and her daughters have been subjected, we opine he may be chary in bending the pregnant hinges of the knee to the impersonation of power and success. -San Antonio Herald. The above is from the same sheet that in one issue compared Generals Sherman and Sheridan, alike to the Goths and Huns, Alaric and Attila and yet on the arrival of the first named was obsequious and fawning to a degree that was sicken to those who knew with what infamously abuse every officer of the U. S. Army was assailed by that Herald. That they will flop over in just the same way upon Mr. Greeley's arrival we have no doubt, and with an equally earnest desire to prove all great men, democrats, to that by which they editorialized certain expressions of Gen. Sherman, we have no doubt that they will find in some of the expressions, dropped by the 'Philosopher of the Tribune' something, that to them will prove a laud democrat. To be sure the records of the 'Tribune' from 1841, show differently. True they show that he was among the pioneers of the anti-slavery movement, but with its usual disregard for the facts as sustained by either historians or biographers, the San Antonio Herald, that brilliant light of Ku Kluxery and of demonism, that impulsive organ that danced and howled for joy when a dastardly assassin struck down the chief of a nation, will forego its love of buxom beauty and mendacity, recognize Mr. Greeley as thoroughly democratic, while the assembled wisdom crowds of ringleaders and desperados, to whom the 'Herald' is a beacon light will throw up their hats and shout for joy. Unfortunately (for the Herald) the people in this immediate section are thoroughly loyal and are by the power of a protecting government allowed to take the Tribune without being hunted by a band of midnight assassins as in old times, so that the Herald's flop over and its praise, that it is profuse in lavishing upon all great republicans when they are present, will go for what it is worth; viz the vagaries of an unstable, illy supported, bankrupt irresponsible organ of prejudices and persecutions.

The Gainesville Gazette, a Democratic journal, says of the local police force: The State Police appointed for Cooke county are very efficient and energetic officers; using every effort to bring offenders to justice, and we are glad to be able to say that they have, so far, given satisfaction to the people. If the tax payers have to pay a little extra for officers, it is some consolation to know that these officers are gentlemen and have the good of the country at heart.

Smirkings! Mount Washington on foot last year, and he got as ravenous as a raven among the ravines, so he sat down in one corner of the gorgeous gorge and gorged himself.

Wife, do you know that I have got the pneumonia? New moon, indeed! Such extravagance! You're the spendthriftiest man I ever did see to go and lay out money for such trash, when I do need a bönnet so much.

A FARMER near Fort Worth, Ind., sells all his wheat and feeds his family on bread that he buys at half price at a bakery, after it becomes stale. His family visit round among the neighbors considerable, and he is the most regular man about attending prayer-meetings there is in Indiana. Some folks will bite at this.

We'll bet our store-keeper hat that the individual referred to is a Democrat, of the 'biling sort.'

STATEMENT.

Income and Expenditures of the City of San Antonio, during the month of April, 1871, according to the reports of the City Officers, approved by the City Council. Dr. Cr. To amount on hand April 1st, 1871: \$ 570.53 INCOME: To Real Estate Taxes: 2,375.00 To R. R. Coupon: 109.74 Licenses: 282.50 Quarries rent: 36.60 Fines in Recorder's Court: 187.00 To Bailiff's fees: 30.00 Principle on lands: 150.00 Ditches, taxes: 540.20 Market Rent: 1,034.31 School Fund account 1,500.00 Bennett & Thornton 2,000.00 EXPENDITURES: By School account: \$ 2,906.50 Police: 1,941.65 Contingent expense account: 30.25 Offices account: 9.35 Pauper: 191.70 Printing and binding acct.: 214.36 Street account: 483.00 Profit and Loss account: 587.05 Ditches account: 100.00 Officers: 550.00 Fire company account: 85.00 Bridges account: 1,800.30 R. R. Coupon account: 17.40 Markets account: 17.65 Commission acct.: 5.29 Amount on hand May 1, 1871: 105.95 Amount: \$8,708.31 \$8,708.31 San Antonio, Texas, May 20, 1871. G. W. BARTHOLOMEW, Jr., City Clerk.

OATS AND CORN. Several thousand bushels, at market rates, for sale by W. H. HICKS, Apply at Norton & Deutz's Store, 25-5-71-d-tf.

CROCKERY. P. C. TAYLOR. Has just received direct from the manufacturer in England and selected by himself, expressly for this market a fine assortment of Ironstone China at low rates. (25-5-71-d-w3t)



HENRY TRENCHARD, WOOL FACTOR, & C., San Antonio de Bexar, WESTERN TEXAS.

Buys for cash or receives consignments for outside markets and furnishes reliable and prompt information when required, to Mexican Merchants. (24-5-71-d-w3t)

THE BRIDAL CHAMBER, ESSAYS FOR YOUNG MEN, OR Great Social Evils and Abuses, Which interfere with MARRIAGE, with sure means of relief for the Erasing and Unfortunate, diseased and debilitated.

FOR SALE. Positively without Reserve, June 14th, 1871, between 10 and 12 A. M.

Two lots near the Episcopal school house, each measuring 40 by 70 yards. The lots are well improved, one 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. (25-5-71-d-w3t) JOSEPH BURKE.

SAVE YOUR MONEY!! E. Safford, 53 Commerce Street,

Announces that he is now prepared to clean clothing of all descriptions. Everything from the finest of silks to the heaviest of winter goods.

READ CAREFULLY. Ague and Fever. 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. Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps. Is good for all kidney and bladder complaints. Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps. Is used all over the world by physicians in their practice. Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps. Is good for Gout. Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps. 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.

DR. J. W. BRIGHT.

Schnapps' is a remedy in chronic catarrhal complaints, etc. I take great pleasure in bearing highly creditable testimony to its efficacy as a remedial agent in the diseases for which you recommend it.

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

29 Fine Street, New York, Nov. 21, 1867. Adolpho 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 spirits. 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 liquors.

UDOLPHO WOLFE'S EST., 10-3-71d3m) 22 BEAVER ST. New York.

GOLDEN ANVIL, 18 COMMERCE ST.

NORTON & DEUTZ, IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

HARDWARE CUTLERY,

Agricultural Implements,

LEATHER AND FINDINGS, Window Glass,

PAINTS AND OILS

ROPE AND TWINE, ARMS, POWDER, AMMUNITION, LAMPS.

SORGHO MILLS, Evaporators,

Threshers & Horse Powers,

CHURCH AND FARM BELLS, Manufactured by Blymer, Norton & Co.,

For Sale by Norton & Deutz, Agents.

STRAUB'S QUEEN OF THE SOUTH

Flour and Corn Mills,

For sale by Norton & Deutz, Agents.

COLEMAN'S MILLS,

For sale by NORTON & DEUTZ, Agents.

JAMES LEFFEL'S CELEBRATED WATER WHEELS,

Norton & Deutz, Agents.

WILDER'S FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFES

For sale by NORTON & DEUTZ, Agents.

NOW RECEIVING The well and favorably known

Gullet's Steel Brush COTTON GIN.

DR. J. W. BRIGHT'S BROOK'S REVOLVING Cotton Press,

For sale by NORTON & DEUTZ, Agents.

SEWING MACHINES.

We are prepared to convince the public generally, that the

HOWE SEWING MACHINE

Will sew as well as any other First Class Machine,

That it is SIMPLER In its construction and STRONGER Consequently the most DESIRABLE Family Sewing Machine.

Sold by NORTON & DEUTZ, Agents.

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Local Intelligence.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

Arrives.	COLUMBUS.	Departs.
Monday, 8 A. M.	Monday 4 P. M.	Tuesday
Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Thursday	Thursday	Friday
Friday	Friday	Saturday
Saturday	Saturday	Sunday

Arrives.	VICTORIA.	Departs.
Monday 6 A. M.	Tuesday 6 P. M.	Tuesday
Tuesday	Thursday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Saturday	Thursday
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Arrives.	WACO, via Austin.	Departs.
Monday 5 A. M.	Monday 7 A. M.	Tuesday
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Wednesday	Saturday	Thursday
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Arrives.	EL PASO.	Departs.
Monday 6 P. M.	Monday 8 A. M.	Tuesday
Tuesday	Friday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Monday	Thursday
Thursday	Wednesday	Friday
Friday	Monday	Saturday
Saturday	Monday	Sunday

Arrives.	EAGLE PASS.	Departs.
Monday 12 P. M.	Monday 6 A. M.	Tuesday
Tuesday	Friday	Wednesday
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Arrives.	CORPUS CHRISTI.	Departs.
Monday 6 P. M.	Monday 6 A. M.	Tuesday
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Arrives.	LARKING.	Departs.
Monday 6 P. M.	Monday 6 A. M.	Tuesday
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We have repeatedly issued our warnings, but in vain, to gentlemen who visit our office clad in white linen, not to seat themselves on our exchanges.

A violator of our warnings, yesterday, created a sensation, by going down street with the following two lines clearly imprinted on his nomenclature:

"Then cannot say I did it—Never shake thy gory locks at us."

He had been sitting on a criticism of Macbeth, from the Washington paper.

A MEXICAN carteta passed through town yesterday, laden with freight, and perched upon its top sat one of the inevitable burdy-gurdyists, who, about this time of year, begin to make their appearance in our city. Quilp has been buying himself ever since, in getting all the arms in our office, in a range of the street, and as there are two six shooters, two old muskets, a Winchester rifle, a bottle of whiskey and several old copies of the San Antonio Herald; it will not be healthy for that "turner of a crank, to whose force mellifluous, inside answers," to come in our neighborhood.

Our city is favored with a regular installation of high winds, every night. They serve to create additional dryness of the earth, air and vegetation, while the dust is whirled hither and thither, to settle in fuchas upon everything that affords a crevice for its entrance.

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, one and all, to pay taxes, to the Assessor's office, next to the Mayor's office.

Dr. PETERSON, who is a careful compiler of scientific statistics, assures us that the air is impregnated with electricity to an extent never before known in this section of Texas.

Careful watching of the electroscope gives him undeniable evidence of this fact.

SEWING-MACHINE SALES 1870.—The Singer Co. sold in 1870 over one fourth of all the machines sold in the United States according to the sworn returns of the several Secretaries to the receivers in New York.

It is the best in use "The Singer." It sells the best on the market—"The Singer." It does the best work with less expense—"The Singer." It is the simplest in construction—"The Singer." All the first families buy "The Singer." It is the only machine a lady can take when home and work successfully—"The Singer." What machine uses one spool of thread on the under side while the Grover and Baker uses three—"The Singer." Reed & Mather sole agents.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.—A meeting will be held at Union League Hall, Thursday evening, 30th inst., at eight o'clock sharp, to organize and elect officers and attend to such other business as may come before the meeting. All honorably discharged soldiers, and others are cordially invited.

PERSONAL.—We had the pleasure yesterday of meeting Col. W. H. Hicks. The Colonel's distinguished services during the late war, together with his high standing in the 4th cavalry regiment known to the community. While the service has lost a valuable officer, we congratulate our business community on the accession of one who possesses business qualifications, such as are not often met with. We feel confident that he will receive from our business men that encouragement and support which he eminently deserves.

SEVERAL Englishmen of wealth, have been sojourning in our city for a few days, prospecting, and looking out for a chance to invest in a water power, sufficiently large for an extensive manufactory. Like all other strangers, they were perfectly astonished at the non-utilizing of millions of power at our very doors, while cotton and wool are exported, and we pay enormous freights and expenses to import fabrics from those staples, after they are made up.

A PLEASANT and interesting picture was presented to our people yesterday, in the arrival of twenty-one, stout and healthy looking emigrants, who are the first of one hundred and sixty families that are coming this way from Germany. They were neatly attired, healthy looking Germans. The men were ruddy faced, broad-shouldered and of stalwart frame. The women were looking buxom dames, whose show of strength was only equalled by their health hints that made them pictures of women in their truest sense. The children were stout lads and lassies of equally favorable appearance, and the value to the country of every one of them put down at least figures, would be one thousand dollars. We did not learn their destination, but we presume they go in direction of Fredericksburg. We wish we could see one hundred such stout, healthy looking immigrants come in every day. However, the Columbus road will bring lots of them.

OFFICE OF THE WESTERN TEXAS LIFE FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 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 5th, 1871. Ballots may be deposited from 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.

16-5-71dt/jans.

F. GUILBEAU,
 NORTH-EAST CORNER
 OF
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 AND
 LAREDO STREETS
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 AND
 IMPORTER,
 OF
 FRENCH WINES
 AND
 LIQUORS
 BEST QUALITIES OF
 FRENCH COGNAC.
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 H. GRENET,
 REED & MATHER,
 69 COMMERCE STREET. 69
 Have now on hand, and will be constantly receiving the largest assortment of
 FURNITURE,
 AND
 House Furnishing Goods,
 Ever offered in San Antonio, Consisting in part of
 Fine Walnut Bedroom Suits,
 Walnut Bureaus and Bedsteads,
 Walnut Side-Boards,
 What-nots, Desks,
 Easy Chairs, Sofas,
 Parlor Furnitures
 COTTAGE SUITS
 Of Walnut and imitation Chesnut, packed in one box, ready for shipment.
 ALSO,
 AT WHOLESALE,
 A complete assortment of
 CHEAP FURNITURE,
 Knocked down and packed for shipment, and will be sold lower than ever offered in this market, being direct from the largest MANUFACTORIES in the United States, and BOUGHT FOR CASH.
 Particular attention paid to all kinds of Repairing and Upholstering.
 17-12-70d/wf.

American, French, California, Blackberry and Cherry Brandy; Cognac, Gin, Absynth, Curacao, Brandy, Bourbon and Gin Cocktails.
 Kummel, Shiedau Schnapps, Vermouth, Anisette, Syrup, Brandy Peaches and Cherries, Bremer Ale.
 By WAGNER & RUMMEL.

HORSE FOR SALE.
 A large American horse, bay color, is good under the saddle or in harness, may be purchased on application at the residence of Mr. John Earl, in the upper part of Alamo city, near Captain Procosto. 19-5-71dt/f.

H. GRENET,
 Calls the attention
 OF THE
 CITY & COUNTRY MERCHANTS
 TO HIS
 Large and well assorted Stock
 OF
 STAPLE GROCERIES
 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."
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 ALSO, on hand,
 200,000 Pounds
 of Refined English Iron, Cast and Spring Steel. All of which were imported direct from the best English Manufactories.
 H. GRENET'S.
 The highest price paid for
 HIDES AND COTTON.
 20-12-70dt/f.
 NEW STATIONERY.
 Just received and on hand, a select stock of
 STAPLE STATIONERY
 Of First Quality only,
 Such as
 Letter Paper,
 Fool's Cap,
 Legal Cap,
 Flat Letter,
 Flat Cap,
 Folio Post Reel,
 Double Flat cap ruled,
 Blank Books,
 Memorandums, &c. &c
 Also,
 Wrapping Paper,
 Paper Bags,
 Playing Cards,
 Barcelona Mexican Cards
 Ink of all Colors,
 Copying Ink, Mucilage,
 Genuine Gillott Pens,
 Commercial and other Pens, Pencils, Pen holders, paper weights, and a great many other articles in the line of Stationery.
 For sale at the CHEAPEST rates by
 F. SIMON.
 At his old stand near the "Express" Office.
 15-1-71d/wf.

Consumption,
 Its Cure and its Preventive,
 By J. H. Schenck, M. D.

Many a human being has passed away, for whose death there was no other reason than the neglect of known and indisputably proven means of cure. Those near and dear to family and friend, are sleeping the dreamless slumber into which, had they timely adopted

Dr. Joseph H. Schenck's simple Treatment,
 and availed themselves of his wonderful efficacious medicines, they would not have fallen.

Dr. Schenck has in his own case proved that wherever sufficient vitality remains, that vitality, by his medicines and his directions for their use, is quickened into healthful vigor.

In this statement there is nothing presumptuous. To the faith of the invalid is made no representation that is not a thousand times substantiated by living and visible works. The theory of the cure by Dr. Schenck's medicines is as simple as it is unfeeling. Its philosophy requires no argument. It is self-assuring, self-convincing.

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To despair of cure after such evidence of its possibility in the worst cases, and moral certainty in all others, is sinful. Dr. Schenck's personal statement to the Faculty of his own cure was in these modest words: "Many years ago I was in the last stages of consumption; confined to my bed, and at one time my physicians thought that I could not live a week; then, like a drowning man catching at straws, I heard of and obtained the preparations which I now offer to the public, and they made a perfect cure of me. It seemed to me that I could feel them penetrate my whole system. They soon opened the matter in my lungs, and I would spit up more than a pint of offensive yellow matter every morning for a long time.

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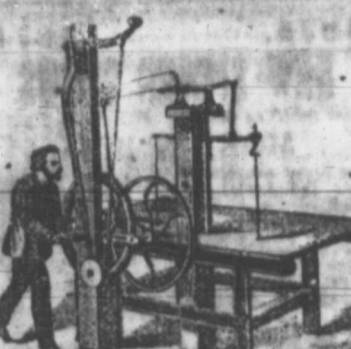
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