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Sec. 1. That in the same manner there shall be appointed one commissioner from each States, who shall assume the place and perform the duties of such commissioner or commissioners as may be unable to attend the meetings of the Commission shall hold its meetings in the city of Philadelphia, and that a majority of its members shall have full power to make a needful rules for its government.

VERSAILLES, June 19.—Thiers replying to the appeals of Father Mather and Gen. Rossell for mercy, says the law most take

BRUSARIS, June 19.—The rigt in Jubile has been suppressed by bayonet. The leaders of the outburst arosaid to be mem-

HAVANA, June 19.—The insurgent General, Warmoth, has offered to surrender, but was refused, because he failed to bring the required number of followers. He will probably be shot.

8T. Louis, June 19.—The Chief of Police having squelched keno, notifies fare to stop within a certain time.

NEW YORK, June 19.-Dr James Connote ly, white affecting with mania point, killed his two daughters and himself. He leaves a wife. He had formerly been an inmate of the inchriste asylum,

Toronto, June 19.—Railrond accident

on the Grand Trunk; fourteen injured, in-cluding Mr. Daly of Richmond, seriously. ALBANY, June 19.—Three white men and ALBANY, June 19.—Three white men and six negroes, gambling and drinking, finally fought. The oegroes armed with knives and razors, stabbed Jas. Donnelly, white, ten times in the abdomen and shudders. He can not revover. Another white man has a cut sikteen inches long across the abdomen, while a third has innumerable flesh wounds. The police authorities are after the blacks.

" Does our talk disturb you?" said one of a company of talkative ladies to an old

gentleman sitting in a railroad station the other afternoon.
"No, ma'am," was the naive reply?" I have been married nigh ou to forty years.

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LAWS UNITED STATES.

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

· (RESOLUTION-No. 54.1

RESOLUTION—No. 54.]

A Resolution authorizing the Nomination and Appeintment to the retired List of the Navy of certain Volunteer Officers on the active List of the Navy, who are disabled in Cornequence of Wounds received during the late War.

Resolved by the Sesate and House of Representatives of the United States of dimerica in Congress assembled. That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to nominate, and, by and—with the advice and consent of the Sessate, to appoint, upon the retired list of the navy, with the rank of lieutenant, Henry C.

Keene, new a volunteer lieutenant on the with the rank of Hentenant, Henry C. Keene, new a volunteer lieutenant on the active list of the navy; and to so nominate and appoint upon the retired list of the navy, with the rank of master, Edward E. Bradbury, now a mate on the active list of the navy.

Approved, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. CV.—An Act to provide for celebrating the one hundredth Anniversary of American Independence, by holding an international Exhibition of Arts, Manufactures, and Products of the Soil and Mine, in the City of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

WHEREAS the Declaration of Independence of the United States of America was

where the United States of America was prepared, signed, and promulgated in the year seventeen hundred and seven \$--six in the city of Philadelphia; and whereas it behooves the people of the United States to celebrate, by appropriate ceremonies, the centennial anniversary of this memorable and decisive event, which constituted the fourth day of July, anno Domini seventeen hundred and seventy-six, the birthday of the nation; and whereas it is deem day of the nation; and whereas it is deemed fitting that the completion of the first century of our national existence shall be century of our national existence shall be commenorated by an exhibition of the natural resources of the sountry and their development, and of its progress in those arts which benefit mankind, in comparison with those of older nations; and whereas no place is so appropriate for such an exhibition as the city in which occurred the event it is designed to commemorate; and whereas, as the exhibition should be a na-

whereas, as the exhibition should be a national celebration, in which the people of the whole country should participate, it should have the sanction of the Congress of the United States: Therefore.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representates of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That an exhibition of American and Sorigin arts, products, and manufactures shall be held, under the anspices of the the government of the United States, in the city of Philadelphia, in the vear eighteen hundred

Philadelphia, in the year eighteen hundred and sayenty-six.
Sec. 2. That a commission to consist of not more than one delegate from each State, and from each Territory of the United States, whose functions shall continue until the close of the whilston. United States, whose functions shall con-tinue until the close of the exhibition, shall be constituted whose duty it shall be to prepare and superintend the execu-tion of a plan for holding, the exhibition, and, after conference with the authorities of the city of Philadelphia, to fix upon a suitable site within the corporate limits of the said city, where the exhibition shall be hald.

be hold.

Sec. 3. That said commissioners shall be appointed within one year from the passage of this act by the President of the United States, on the nomination of the governors of the United States and Terri-

Sec. 6. That the commission shall report to Congress at the first session after its appointment a suitable date for opening and for closing the exhibition; a schedule of apprapriate ceremonies for opening or dedicating the same; a plan or plans of the buildings; and complete plan for the reception and classification of articles intended for exhibition; the requisite custom-house regulations for the introduction into this country of the articles from foreign counties intended for exhibition; and such other matters as in their judgment may be important.

Sec. 7. That no compensation for services shall be paid to the commissioners or other officers provided by this act from the treasury of the United States shall not be lighbe for any expenses attending such exhibition, or by teason of the same.

Sec. 8. That whenever the President shall be informed by the governor of the

Sec. 8. That whenever the President shall be informed by the governor of the State of Pennsylvania that provision has been made for the erection of suitable buildings for the purpose, and for the exclusive control by the commission herein provided for of the purposed exhibition; the President shall, through the Department of State, make proclamation of the same, setting forth the time at which the exhibition will open and the place of exhibition will open and the place which it will be held; and he shall of nunicate to the diplomatic tives of all nations copies of the .me, to-gether with such regulations as may be adopted by the commissions, for publication in their respective countries.

Approved, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. &XII .- An Act relating to internal

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That of America in Congress assembled. That from and after the passage of this act no tax shall be imposed, upon any undistributable sum added to the contingent fund of any fire, marine, inland, life, health, accident, or like insurance company, nor upon any uncarned promium or premiums received for risks assumed by such companies, nor shall any tax be hereafter collected which may have been assessed, or which shall have become liable to be assessed, upon such sums, or premiums prior to the passage of this set. to the passage of this not.

Approved, March 3, 1871. TRESOLUTION-No. 4.1

RESOLUTION—No. 4.7

A Resolution to authorize the Restoration of Benjamin S. Richards to the active List of the Navy.

Resolved by the benate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the President of the United States be, and he is, authorized, by and with the advise and consent of the Senate, to appoint Ensign Benjamin S. Richards a master of the active list of the navy, to date from the twenty-sixth day of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, with the play of that grade from that date.

Approved, January 16, 1871.

Approved, January 10, 1871.

CHAP, CXLL—An Act to provide for a Building suited to the Use of the Post-Office, the Pension and Revenue Officers, and the Judicial Officers of the United States, in the City of Trenton, New Jersey.

Be it emoted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be constructed a suitable building, fire proof, at Trenton, New Jersey, for the accommodation of the post-office, United States circuit and district courts, pension and internal-revenue offices; and for this purpose there is hereby appropriated, ont of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, one hundred thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall cause proper plans and estimates to be made, so that no expenditure shall be made or authorized for the Treasury, who shall cause proper plans and estimates to be made, so that no expenditure shall be made or authorized for the full completion of said building beyond the amount herein appropriated: Provided; That no money hereby appropriated shall be used or applied for the purpose nutril a valid title to the land for the site of such building shall be vested in the United States, and until the State shall also duly release and relinquish to the United States that right to tax or in any way assess said site, or the property of the United States that may be thereon, during the time that the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof.

owner thereof. Approved, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. CXLII.—An Act granting the right of Way to the Green Bay and Lake Pepin Railway Company for its Rond across the Onelda Reservation, in the State of Wis-

Oneida Reservation, in the State of Winconsis.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the Green Bay and Lake Pepin Railway Company be, sud is hereby, anthorized to build and maintain its railway across the Oneida reservation, in the State of Wisconsin, and to take sufficient land, not more than a strip one hundred feet in width, for the purposes of said railway, in accordance with and subject to the conditions of an agreement made by the chiefs and headmen of the Oneida tribe of Indiaus, on the twenty-third day of May, eighteen hundred and seventy, approved by and on the with the Secretary of the Interior.

Approved, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. CXLIII.—An Act for the Recevery of Damages for the Load of the Sleep-ot-War Oneida.

He it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, after consultation with the Attorney-General, to take such measures, and institute and pursue to final judgment or decree such proceedings at law, or otherwise, as may be needful to obtain full damages and indemnification for the destriction and loss of the sleep-of-war Oneida, in the bay of Yeddo, Japan, in January, cighteen hundred and seventy, and to simpley such legal counsel in the United States, or shroad, as he may find requisite to accomplish the purposes of this set.

Approved, March 3, 1871.

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In testimony whereof, I have hereunte signed
my name and caused the Great Seal
of the State to be affixed, at the city
of Austin, this 281, day of August, in
the year of our land one thutsand eight hundred and seventy, and the Independence of
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By the divergence.

JAMES P. Night COMB.

#### NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS.

The undersigned having been selected a member of the Republican State Executive Committee for the 23rd Judicial District, commissing 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 condition of their respective counties, and the tion of thuir respective counties, and the names and Post office address of the memb-ers of the County committees. More by Circular. A. SIEMERING. San Antonio, March 19th, 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 With Judicial District, comprising the counties of Kandali, Kerr, Gilbespie and Manco; herewith respectfully calls upon the county executive committees of the above named counties, to report to bim the condition of their respective committees 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.

AD. ZOELLER. Austin, March 10th, 1871.

#### BLANK DEEDS, For Nate at this Off

#### Political Imbecility.

There are several proverbs conveying the idea that in the ordinary and extraordinary affairs of life success can only be attained by pursuing a straightforward, unequivocal course. Who has not heard it quoted in common parlance that "no man, can serve two masters," or who has failed to observe the contempt which is universally awarded to men who have no pelities, and are enceringly referred to as being "on the fence?" and have we not in our own day witnessed the ignominious defeat that politicians sastained who were neither cold nor warm, and whose trumpet, no matter how loadly blown, gave forth "an

uncertain mound.

The contempt with which individuals of undefined political views are regarded, was amusingly shown up by the irrepressible Butler, who received, during the hottest days of the Ku-Klux persecutions in North Carolina, a letter from "a Union man" in that State, expressing surprise at Mr. Butler's statement that med were actually in dauger in his locality, and cited his own safety as unanswerable evidence against the arguments of the Senator from Massachusetta. Renjamin replied to the writer by calling attention to the fact that in every community there could be found individuals of such dovelike temperaments that by common consent they were placed in the entegory of old women and children, and that under no circumstances could they be looked upon as sufficiently dangerto insurthe resentment of anyone; that he had no doubt that his correspondout belonged to that class, and that be would be perfectly safe and unmolested during any and all political disturbances; that they might be termed "the blessed innocents."

We need not go to North Carolina to find these two legged human rabbits; we meet them every day on the street, shake hands with them and pleasantly discuss the pros peet of rain or some other topic of the day. They are most pleasant men to converse with for a little while, but they have no political they are non-committal on the quantion of the hour; they deprecate the bitterness of political parties, and administer rebukes to men who are fighting the great fight with a certain lamb-like resent.

ment that is poculiarly drell. Now, there is a certain element at the bouth that may, if it only will, be the salvation of the country. We refer to the ex-Confederate soldiers. They cartainly caunot be suspected of pursuing an uncer-tain course. Their bravery and endurasce on the battle-field commanded the ad-

miration, not only of their engines, but of | dorse the connectaken by the iden, Edward the entire world, and it was by their manseed that the rebellion was prolonged, guinst all expectation for four long years in spite of the ineapacity and corruption of their superiors. Generally speaking they are man of families, and are attached at least to the metion in which they list and we call upon them to consider we unusequences to themselves, to the children and to the country generally be fore they again culist under the banner of Jefferson Davis. This animated monument of republican clemency requires that the ex-Confederate soldier shall become as contemptible as the ex-President himself. He requires the men, once reduced to poverty and ruin by following the counsels of this travelling mountebank, shall violate their oaths and array themselves in hostility to the government which they have voluntarily sworn to support, and that they shall degenerate into a kind of political bushwhackers, actuated by no higher motive than blindly to oppose every measure that is conducive to the best in terests of the people, without a country, without a fing, and without the sympathy of good men anywhere, and whose only hope of success rests in bringing about a repetition of the miseries from which we have just emerged. This is the feast to which Mr. Davis invites his former adherenta.

On the other hand, the Republican party addresses these same men in tones of reconciliation and brotherly love: "Since you have been fairly beaten, accept the result In good faith and join us in advancing the honor and prosperity of the nation. The results of the overthrow of the Course

1. The final defeat of the great question nvolved-the doctrine of States' rights. 2. The right of every American citizen

to have a voice in the administration of public affairs.

3. The securing to all human beings in the United States of America the uninterrupted enjoyment of the natural rights of man.

This is the situation we are called upon to accept, not in word only but in act and deed, and to which we are prompted not only by motives of public policy and in-dividual interest, bur also in vindication of our self-respect as honorable men;

#### The Railroad.

We hear, on every hand, the assertion that the the proposition of Mr. Pierce is extravagant and outrageous; that it is un attempt to take advantage of the necessities of our citizens. Now, let us suppose. for the sake of argument, that it is really the case; does this justify opposition to the donation f We think not. Our necessity as a community may be compared with that of an individual who sees an opportunity of making a speculation by which he oun make 1,000 per centum, but has not the money to invest; he is obliged to borrow, and is glad to find a capitalist who will advance him the money at a higher rate of interest than is usually paid, and so far from abusing the londer as a Shylock or a speculator, he would be apt to consider it as a business transaction, and even be under obligation to him.

Now, the question before the people is, under the existing state of affairs, Is this donation a profitable investment for Bexar countyf

The answer is inevitable; the investment is not only exceedingly profitable but delay in accepting the proposition will be and to our existence as a city. But we deny that the demand for the douation is iniquitous or extravagant. In the first place, business men engaged in transacting businem do nothing for accommodation. in order to build this road from Columbus to this place, including the items of station-housek, locomotives, cars, &c., it will cost not less than \$3,000,000. It is true that this three millions will not be expend ad at once, but the company will be obliged to expend at least \$2,000,000 before the road is completed. The expenditure of this \$2,000,000 for the first two years, returns no interest whatever to the company, New calculate the interest at 8 per cent, and we have a dead loss of \$320,000, and to repay this we are called spon to denate not \$500, 000 in money but county bonds, which, if thrown upon the market, will not bring more than fifty cents on the dollar, and we de not begin to pay interest for three years

The risk of the road not paying expenses is borne by the company, and this is not as incensiderable as some expect. they expect to make money, but they may enaily loose money by it. On the other hand, what do we rink In this matter ! We can fold our arms while the read is being built, and when it is finished, we can examine and see if the road fulfills the requirements of the contract, and then pay \$500,000 in our own paper, payable at some day in the future, when at least one-third of the present population have passed away.

### Public Meeting.

In obedience to a call of the Republican Executive Committee of Comal county, Texas, a largely attended Republican mass-mosting was held at the court house of New Braunfels on the 19th inst., for the purpose of sleeting delegates to the Re-14th day of August at the city of New

On motion of several citizens Mr. Geo. Weber was sleeted President of the meeting, and Mr. G. F. Groce Secretary.

After having elected a committee, the same, after due deliberation, recommended the following resolution for adoption.

Degener Itapresentative of the Fourth Congressional District of Texas in the last

session of Congress.

2. Resolved, that the delegates and alternates, to be decembed in the present meets ing for Comet County, shall be and are useful. din the present meats ahall be and are hereby instructed to use all their influence in favor of Mr. E. Degener, and to vote for his nomination, as long as he is a candidate before the Convention.

3. Resolved, that the newspapers of this District be requested to publish the above

After these resolutions having been unanimonsly adopted, the following gentlemen were elected delegates and alternates for Comal County.

F. Mouren and W. Seele, delegates, and L. Kessler and Geo. Weber alternates. Wherenpon, on motion, the meeting ad-

journed sine die, GEO. WEBER, Presiding officer. G. F. GROOS, Secretary.

New Braunfels, June 19th 1871.

**HOERNE, JUNE 18, 1871.** A meeting of the Republicans of Ken dall county was held at the court-house, in the town of Boerne, on the eighteenth day of June, 1871.

Hon. Ad. Zoeller called the meeting to order, and stated the object thereof; whereupon Charles Cole was elected chairman, and Henry Their secretary.

The chairman applointed Charles Brann, F. Wendler and C. H. Clauss a committee to draft resolutions.

The following resolutions were offered by said committee, and unanimously adopted by the meeting ;

Be it resolved. By the Republicana of Kendall county, in mass-meeting assem

1. That we indorse the political principles of the Republican party of Texas, and hold it to be the party best adapted to maintain the supremacy of the laws of the

2. That in Governor E. J. Davis we recogoize a presiding magistrate of firm integrity and pase patriotism, who has proved faithful to the high trust reposed in him by the people of Texas; and that we especially commend his untiring real in the approximent of law and order, on well as his vigilance displayed in endeavoring to shield the people from improvident and hasty legislation.

3. That while we favor a judicious for tering of internal improvements, we view with alarm the exerbitant subsidies already granted to private parties for that purpose, as being excessive, and adding an mone burden of taxation to that alroady imposed; that we call upon our Representatives to oppose all extravagant legislation of a like character that may be new pending, or that may bereafter arise, as tending to rain the finances of the State.

4. That we heartily indorse the course of our Representative from Kendall, the Hon. A. Zoeller, and tender him our thanks for the faithful and honest discharge of his duties as a legislator, and particularly for his efforts in behalf of frontier protection, and an economical administration of the

5. That we appoint as a delegate to the Congressional Convention of the Fourth District Hon, A. Zoeller, and authorize him to give our vote for a candidate for Congress from the Fourth district.

6. That we recognize in the Hon. Edward Degener a faithful and able representative, d have full confidence in his ability, re-

nat and organized by electing Mr. F. B. solmert as President and Mr. Rudelph Cleeberg as Secretary, the following retions were unanimously adopte

Resolved, that we, the Republicans of De Witt County in convention assembled, do heartily approve the administration of Governor E. J. Davis, and we do herewith express our thanks to him for his worthy administration and his true interests to the welfare of the people of Texas according to true republicanism.

Regolved, that this assembly name Mosers, F. B. Gohm: rt and Gustav Holtz. apfel as delegates to the congressional Republican Convention for the Fourth District for the nomination of a candidate for Congress and that we send our said delegates to said convention, where they may cast their votes for such a man as they mey regard compatible for said office. In case that one of the delegates should become sick, they shall have the power to appoint biletitutes according to their discretion.

Resolved, that we do hereby express our professive for the Hou. Edward Degener as our standard bearer in the coming congressional contest and therefore express our wish that he may be renominated for

said position.
Resolved, that these resolutions be published in the State Journal, the San Antonio Express, Freie Presse fuer Texas and in the Goliad Guard.

F. B. GOHMERT, President. RUDOLPH KLEEBERG, Secretary.

A teacher of vocal music asked an old lady it her grandson had a ear for music f "Wa'al said the old weman, "I really don't know. Won't you take the candle and

After having elected a committee, the same, after due deliberation, recommended Europe with some paintings, was asked if they were indecapes. She said: "No, over one-halt of them are waterscapes."

ATTENTION. Call for a Republican Congress-

District. The Republican Executive Committee at the Fourth Congressional District withy make a call for a Congressional Cusention to be held at the city of New fraunfels on the 14th day, being the secon Monday, of August next.

Atascosa—One delegate with alternate.

Bandera and Kerr—One delegate with

alternate.
Bue Live Oak and McMullen-On dele-

ste with alternate.

Bastrop - Four delegates with alter-

Bell-Two delegates with alternat

Brown, Comanche and Hamilton-One delegate with alternate.

Bexar—Four delegates with alterates. Blanco and Hays—Two delegates, with alternates.
Burnet-One delegate with alternate

Calhoun - One delegate with alterate. Caldwell - Two delegates with ter-Coryell-One delegate with altern Comal-Two delegates with alterites Colorado - Six delegates with ster-

Cameron - Two delegates with

DeWitt-Two delegates with alternes El Paso - Three delegates with mer

Fayette - Four delegates with apr Goliad-One delegate with alternate Gonzales-Three delegates with acr-

Guadalupe-Three delegates with all

Gillespie-One delegate with alterne Hidalgo, Star, Zapata and Webb — delegate with alternate.

Jackson—One delegate with altern Kendall—One delegate with altern

Karnes - One delegate with altern Lavaca - Three delegates with al

ho, Mason and Kimball — Oue degate with alternate.

Maverick, Zavala and Demmitt - Colegate with alternate. Medina-One delegate with alternate Nucces and Duval-One delegate w alternate.

Presidio and Pecos-One delegate w ternate.

Refugie and Sau Patricio—One delegation alternate.
San Saba, McCulloch, Menard and Teer-one delegate with alternate.
Travis — Four delegates with alternate.

Williamson-Two delegates with alt

Uvalde, Frio and Kinny - One delega

Uvalde, Frio and Kinny — One delegates with alternate Yietoria—Two delegates with alternate The county Executive Committees will be daly announced and are requested feeling and fairness be exercised in order that the utmost goo For sale by Norton & Demtz, Agenta, feeling and fairness be exercised in order that the Congressional Convention may be the unanimous and honest expression of the wishes of the Republican party of the district.

COLEMAN'S MILLS,

the district.

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#### Registration Notice.

nod have full confidence in his ability, republicanism and good will to seconsfully represent us in the United States Congress.

7. That these resolutions is published in the San intensity and Freis Press.

Hereupon the meeting adjourned sinclies.

Yournews, June 20tis, 1871.

At the Republican Convention of De Witt County, need at Yorklown on the 17th inst and organized by electing Mr. F. B. risions of said act," the undersigned, registrar in and for the county of Bexar, will commence the registration of the voters of Bexar county on Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1871, and continue the same for ten consecutive days from said date, Sundays excepted, at my office in the pity of San Antonio. Said registration will be made preparatory to the election ordered by the County Court of said Bexar county, on the 31st day of May, 1871, to take the opinion of the electors of said county, on the preposition that said county shall aid in the construction or extension of the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway from Harrisburg and San Antonie Railway from Columbus or Eagle Lake, in the county of Colorado, to the city of San Antonio, by making a denation to said Railway, upon the terms and conditions as set forth in said order.

Registration will be made each day from 8 e'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., with a recess from 12 e'clock m. to 1 o'clock p. m. STANLEY WELCH, Registrar Bexar County.

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Local Intelligence. charged with the murder of his friend and travelling communion Mr. Smith at the Wards house a faw days ago.

Dr. Lindaay is a native of Va., about six feet high, of dark complexion, and has Arrival and Departure of Mails a long black beard which gives him rather a striking appearance, and is of rather slight build; the deceased was from Illi-Arriven. GOLUMBUS. Departs. nois and we understand was much heavier man than the doctor. Sunday, 8 A. Mr Monday, " Wednesday " Thursday " Friday " Monday 4 P. M. Dr. Lindsay's account of the quarrel Tuesday "Wednesday " previous, and the circumstances attending Thursday he killing differs matterially from the Friday Saturday statements of the witnesses who gave their testimony at the inquest. Saturday VICTORIA. Monday 6 A. M. Tuesday 6 P. M. We refrain from giving any version or Thursday Saturday Thursday Sat arday ppinion as to the merits of the case. The survivor of this unfortunate affair is a WACO, via Austin.
A. M. Monday 7 A. M.
Thursday "
Saturday " stranger and we ask, in his behalf, a sus-Monday b A. M. pension of public opinion, so that on his aturday trial which may possible | occur shorsly, EL PASO. Sunday 6 P. M. he may receive from the jury, who may Monday SA. M. try him, simple and exact justice. Friday Tuesday from Conche. Wed'ny to Con'h Tuesday 12 P. M. Monday 6 A. M. Friday AT a regular meeting of Sedwick Post No. 4, Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Texas, at San Antonio, Texas, Saturday, June 17th, 1871, the fellowing CORPUS CHRISTI.
Wednesday 6 P. M. Thursday 6 A. M. turday, June 17th, 1871, the following LAREDO. Monday 6 A. M. esolutions were unanimously adopted:
Resolved, That the thanks of this Post Thursday 6 P. M. Monday 6 A. M.
Mails leaving at, or prior to 6 a. M., are
closed at 9 P. M. on the evening pravious;
ether mails close 30 minutes prior to the
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is the standard. be tendered to the Hon. W. W. Gamble of San Antonie, Texas, in acknowledgement of his beautiful present, of a Bible, to this Post; and that the Adjutant be directed to present the gentleman with a copy of this CANDIDATES. resolution. Resolved, That the thanks of this post WE are authorized to announce LEWIS be tendered to the Loyal Union League of Of BROWN as a candidate for Congress trom the 4th District of Texas, subject to the action of the Republican nominating kind generosity, evinced in allowing this couvention of that district. post the use of their hall while in the We are authorized to announce DAVID R. DIFFENDERFFER, of El Paso, as a candidate for congress, subject to the nomination of the Republican Convention of the Fourth Congressional District. cause of organization ; and that the Adjutant be directed to present the society wish a copy of this resolution HENRY MILLER, Adjutant. FORTY-FIVE dellar Bed-room sets at Bood Caution! Ve hereby warn everybody not to pay money due us to one R. F. Gosch, who a short time acted as our agent, but ang te remit meney's collected, we here-renounce any and all connections with Immense success for Grover & Baker. Best Family Machine, Grover & Baker. Best Plain Sewing. Grover & Baker. Best Ornamental work, Grover & Baker. A. SIEMERING & CO. Best shirt made-by machine, Grever & (3-6-71d& wif THE OFFICE OF REGISTRAR IS ON Best Piano Cover by machine, Grover & THE MILITARY PLAZA, AT THE SURREFF Best Worsted Quilt by machine, Grove & Baker. Best Lady's Dress by machine, Grever & It is UNIVERSALLY admitted that FIFTHEN varieties of Bureaus at Reed & Best Infant's Dress by machine, Grover WE CALL upon our citizens to give due & Baker 18-6-71-d1w. weight to the fact that to-day is the last day A Massachusetts boy told his mether, on returning home the other day, that George Washington's widow had been in his nelseed begging money to help to repair his tomb. of registration and that those who have not registered by 5 o'clock this evening cannot vote on the railroad question, 1150 citihalf of the vote of the county. Office open as usual from 8 to 5 excepting one LOUIS ZORK, COMMERCE STREET. Go to Reed & Mather's for cheap bed-San Antonio, Texas. THE latest outrage in a shall way, is WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER the charge of fifty cents for a single bath in the river, at an establishment on Main IN street. The man that runs that establish ment has a high appreciation of personal STAPLE AND FANCY cleanliness. - DRY GOODS. REED & MATHER, avents for Singer Sewing Machine. CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHORE &c., &c. Tern citizens living in Alamo city are reduced to a condition bordering on silent despair; they cease to believe that that F. GUILBEAU. bridge ever will be completed. If they purchase wood on the Military Plaza, or TREALER LANG make use of hacks for any purpose consected with the household, they are obligtake what is ec NORTH-EAST CORNE trip into the country. We make a suggestion to the parties responsible for this reprehensible delay, that we return to first principles and have a ford established some short distance above that last iron nonument of their imbecility, on Pasco street, and we will then not be morse off than we were thirty years ago. We make PRESIDIO no charge for the advice, but think that the inhabitants of Alamocity will be under obligations to them if they will follow it, If patience ever ceases to be a yirthey we believe the present instance to be a case exactly in point. LAREDO STREETS. CHEAP Walnut sets at Reed & Mather's. WE OFTEN hear it said that a man is as brunk as a beast; this is rough on the beast. Yesterday two policemen were to be GROCER, across the military plaza, who was kick-ing shricking, founding at the mouth and was as disgusting a spectacle as we ever

seen dragging a speciment of humanity, whose linuou was slightly disarranged,

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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 negle to f known and indisputably proven means of our. I howe near and dear to family and friend are eleming the drammless alumber into which had they calmly adopted.

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tions for their use, is quickened into health-ful vigor.

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citates of the manady is assailed. Two thirds of the cases of consumption originate in dyspepsia and a functionally disordered liver. With this condition the brenchial tubes "sympathize" with the stomach. They respond to the morbific action of the liver. Here then comes the culminating result, and the setting in, with all its discussion aymptoms of tressing symptoms of

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The second thing is, the patients must stay in a warm room outil they get wall; it is almost impossible to prevent taking eath when the lings are diseased, but it must be prevented or a core taked but it must be prevented or a core taked be effected. From air and ridge out, especially in this stetion of the country in the fall and winter season, are all arrang. Physicians who seconneed that course lose their patients, if their lungs are badly diseased, and yet, because they are in the house they must not ait down quiet; they must have must not ait down quiet; they must have attempth will bear, to get up a good circulation of blood. The patient must keep in good spicits—be determined to get well. This has a good to determined to get well. This has a gear deat to do with the appetite, and is the great point to ghis.

To despair of cure after such evidence of its possibility is the worst cases, and moral certainty in all others, it sichtly. Dr. Schmonk 1 personal statem aut to be Faculty of his own cure was in these modest morals.

Many years ago I was in these modest works; Many years ago I was in the ight 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 as straws, I heard of and obtained the preparations which I now offer to the public and they make a perfect cure of me the preparations which I how offer to the public, and they made a perfect cure of me. It seemed to me that I could feel them pensitive my whole system. They seen ripused the matter is my lenge, and I would spit up more than a plat of offensive yellow matter every moning for a long time.

As soon as that began to subside my cough, fever, pain and my leavests all because my and my specific because.

gen to leave me, and my appetite became a great that it was with difficulty that I could accept from cating too much. I ston genned me atrength, and have grown in flesh over space.

"I was weighed shortly after my recove-err," added the Doctor, "then booking like a more shelston; my weight was only sine-ty-sayan pounds; my presen weight is two hundred and twanty fire (23b) pounds, and-for years I have anjoyed uninterrupted, hundth." Dr. Schenck has disconstanted his profestional visits to New York and Poston. He of his son, Dr. J. 11. Schmick, Jr. jatell con-

monal visits to New York and Toston. He on his sun, Dr. I. II. Schweck, Jr. Intiligency times to see patients at their office, No. 15. North Sixth etreet, Philadelphia, every Enterday from 9 a. m. to 3 P. m. Those who wish a thorough examination with the Bisspirometer will be charged & The Respirometer declares the east out quition of the lungs, and patients can readily learn whether they are curable or not.

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County of Bexar.

Be it remembered that at a regular seasion of the Hon. Police Court, held in and for the county of Bexar, on the lat day of June, A. D. 1871, the following proceedings were had, to wit:

The petition of more than fifty (132) fresholders of the county of Bexar, having been presented to the Police Court of said county, asking for an election to take the opinion of the electors of said county on the proposition that said county on the proposition that said county shall-aid in the construction or extension of the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Autonio Railway from the town of Columbus on Eagle Lake, in Colorado county, to the city of San Antonio, in Bexar county, by making a donation to the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway Company of the sum of Five hundred thousand dollars in the bonds of said Bexar county, in the manner bonds of said Bekar county, in the manner and upon the conditions set forth in said petition, and which conditions are hereinaf-

petition, and which conditions are hereinaf-ter more fully set forth.

And the court having duly considered the said petition, and being satisfied of the right of the petitioners to ask for and have an order for such election, by virtue of the act of the Legislature, entitled "An act to an-thorize counties, cities and towns to aid in the construction of Railreads and other works of Internal Improvements," approv-ed April 19th, 1-71.

works of Internal Improvements," approved April 12th, 1871.

It is therefore, hereby ordered by the Court that an election be held in accordance with said Act, at the Court-house of the county of Bexar, to commence on the fifth day of July, 1871, and continue for four consecutive days, to with the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th days of July, 1871, to take the opinion of the electors of said county of Bexar, upon the proposition above mentioned, which is as follows, to wit:

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veston, Harrisburg and San Antonie Ruil-way from the town of Columbus or Eagle Lake in the county of Colorado, to the Lake in the county of Colorado, to the city of San Antonio, in the county of Bexar, by making a donotion to the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway Company of the sum of five bondred thousand dollars in the bonds of said county of Bexar; each bond to be for the sum of one thousand dollars, payable thirty years after its delivery, and bearing interest at the rate of eight per centum per annoin, payable annually upon interest component to be attached to each of said bonds; upon condition movertheless. that the said Gaicondition nevertheless, that the said Gal-veston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Rail-way Company fully complete and equip their said Railway to the city of San Antheir said Railway to the city of San Antonio within two years from the time when the qualified voters of said Bexar county shall have voted affirmatively on the said proposition; and that the bonds aforesaid shall be delivered to the said Railway Company when the said Railway shall be fully completed and equipped to the city of San Antonio and not before, and that he said bonds shall bear interest only from the date of their delivery. And and that the said bonds shall bear interest only from the date of their delivery. And further provided, that the said Kailway Company shall execute and deliver to the said county of Bexar, within sixty days after said election, their bond in the sum of one hundred thousand dellars, conditioned for the faithful completion and equipment of said Kailway within the time and to the place aforesaid.

The vote on the proposition aforesaid shall be by ballot "for the proposition" or "against the proposition," as prescribed by the act aforesaid.

It is further ordered that J. W. Van Siyck, C.

the act aforesaid. It is further ordered that J. W. Van Siyck, C nurhaed and H. Presindl are hereby appoint managers to conduct said election in accord ge with said Act, and to make a return there to this Court, on Wednesday, the 12th day of the 12th day

July 1871.

15 is further ordered that this order shall be published for three weeks previous to said election, in the "San Antouio Express," a newspaper published in the city of San Antouio, is made county of Hexar; and it is also ordered that a special meeting of this Court be held on Monday, the 17th day of July 1871, that being the first Monday after the return thay of said election, for the purpose of ascertaining and recording the result of the election herein and hereby ordered.

hereby ordered.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original order, as entered upon the minutes of the Police Court of Benar county, at its May term, A. D. 1871.

Witness, Mortiner Sloeum, Clerk of the District Court of said county and [L. s.] Seal of said Court, at office in San Autonio, this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1871.

Cl'k Dist. Court, Benar County.

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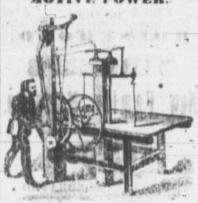
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