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OFFICIAL LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES. Passed at the Third Session of the Forty-First Congress.

WHEREAS divers evil-disposed persons have, at sundry times, within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States, begun or set on foot, or provided, or prepared the means for military expeditions or enterprises to be carried on thence against the territories or powers with whom the United States are at peace, or by being or assuming to be members of such bodies, by levying or collecting money for the purpose of the same, or for the alleged purpose of using the same in carrying on military enterprises against such territories or dominions, by enlisting and organizing armed forces to be used against such powers, and by fitting out, equipping, and arming vessels to transport such organized armed forces to be employed in hostilities against such powers;

And whereas it is alleged, and there is reason to apprehend, that such evil-disposed persons have also, at sundry times, within the territory and jurisdiction of the United States, violated the laws thereof by accepting and executing commissions to serve by land or by sea against powers with whom the United States are at peace, by enlisting themselves or other persons to carry on war against such powers, by fitting out and arming vessels with intent that the same shall be employed to cruise or commit hostilities against such powers, or by delivering commissions within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States for such vessels to the intent that they might be employed as aforesaid;

And whereas such acts are in violation of the laws of the United States in such cases made and provided, and are done in disregard of the duties and obligations which all persons residing or being within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States owe thereto, and are condemned by all right-minded and law-abiding citizens:

Now, therefore, I, ULYSSES S. GRANT, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and proclaim that all persons hereafter found within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States committing any of the afore-recited violations of law, or any similar violations of the sovereignty of the United States for which punishment is provided by law, will be vigorously proceeded therefor, and, upon conviction and sentence to punishment, will not be entitled to expect or receive the clemency of the executive to save them from the consequences of their guilt; and I enjoin upon every officer of this government, civil, military or naval, to use all efforts in his power to arrest, for trial and punishment, every such offender against the laws providing for the performance of our sacred obligations to friendly powers.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this twelfth day of October, in the year [SEAL] of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and of the Independence of the United States of America the ninety-fifth.

By the President: HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

No. 15. By the President of the United States of America: PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it behooves a people sensible of their dependence on the Almighty, publicly and collectively to acknowledge their gratitude for his favors and mercies, and humbly to beseech for their continuance:

And whereas the people of the United States, during the year now about to end, have special cause to be thankful for general prosperity, abundant harvests, exemption from pestilence, foreign war, and civil strife:

Now, therefore, be it known that ULYSSES S. GRANT, President of the United States, concurring in any similar recommendations from chief magistrates of States, do hereby recommend to all citizens to meet in their respective places of worship on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of November next, there to give thanks for the bounty of God during the year about to close, and to supplicate for its continuance hereafter.

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It is suggested in the Capital "that the senate exchange the correspondents of the Tribune for the chief man, that great agriculturist, Horace Greeley. And we do so in the interest of the tax payers of the country. Greeley would cost the government very little for a boat. He wouldn't give a continental for the care of Delmonico and Walker's rolls-into one. His reports need consist of but two columns, provided he had them twice a day. For breakfast a peck of nice bran and a pair of substantial Potomac water; for dinner a couple of pails of the fluid and a peck and a half of delicious bran. On Sundays this might be supplemented by a gorgeous 'mash' of turnips, but on these occasions the Potomac might be economized and a toothpick substituted."

Red-handed Mike, the pugilist, was taught boxing by a minister.

Gen. Mil. Sheridan's cards read in this way now: "P. H. Sheridan, Lieutenant General de l'Armee des Etats-Unis d'Amérique."

"Grandma," said a shrewd child, "do you want some candy?" "Yes, dear, I should like some." "Then if you'll buy some, I'll give you half," said Polly.

A gentleman, addressing a passionate love letter to a lady in the same town, added this curious postscript: "Please to send a speedy answer, as I have somebody else in my eye."

Hope Ye Alway. Young hearts! hope ever! There's no time for repining while work is undone— There's no harvesting time save when shineth the sun.

O repine ye, then, never! True heart! sink never! Though darkly the clouds overshadow thy sky, Yet the sun will beam forth, when th' shadows roll by.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1871.

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Hon. J. P. NEWCOMB, Secretary, Austin.

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| 4. | Judge Wheeler, | 22. | T. H. Baker, |
| 5. | W. H. Rawson, | 23. | A. Siemering, |
| 6. | C. T. Garland, | 24. | C. G. Richard, |
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| 13. | — | 31. | P. W. Hall, |
| 14. | S. S. Jones, | 32. | — Foster, |
| 15. | Crissie Carson, | 33. | N. Patton, |
| 16. | Gen. S. L. Brown, | 34. | A. Downing, Jr., |
| 17. | W. W. Davis, | 35. | A. Hanson. |

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

AUSTIN, August 24th, 1870.

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

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at the City of Austin, this 24th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and the Independence of Texas, the thirty-fifth.

EDMUND J. DAVIS, Governor.

By the Governor:
JAMES P. NEWCOMB.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS.

The undersigned having been selected a member of the Republican State Executive Committee for the 23rd Judicial District, comprising the counties of Bexar, Comal and Wilson, hereby give notice that he will act as such member for said District, and calls upon the county Executive committees of Bexar, Comal and Wilson, to at once report to him the condition of their respective counties, and the names and Post office address of the members of the County committees. More by Circular. A. SIEMERING.
San Antonio, March 10th, 1871.

NOTICE To the Republicans of the 26th Judicial District.

The undersigned having been selected a member of the Republican State Executive Committee, for the 26th Judicial District, comprising the counties of Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie and Blanco, hereby respectfully calls upon the county executive committees of the above named counties, to report to him the condition of their respective counties as soon as possible, giving their full names and post office address, and also communicate with the undersigned freely, in order to complete a thorough organization of this District.
AD. ZOELLER.
Austin, March 16th, 1871.

BLANK DEEDS, For Sale at this Office.

The Political Outlook.

Some of our Democratic friends are becoming unnecessarily alarmed over what they are pleased to term a "hopeless breach in Republican ranks," so much so that they have even announced the ultimatum of their receiving the lease of power for the next four years, dating from 1873. We would not for the world have these gentlemen deceive themselves, and we accordingly call their attention to the fact that in all the annals of politics in this country the same fuss, squabbling and apparent divisions have taken place in the proceedings, previous to a Presidential nomination.

It is only by journalistic attention that the public opinion can be roused down and rubbed into shape to settle definitely upon one man. The West is jealous of the East, the East of the West. The North holds the numerical strength over the South, so that the different sections all have their causes exposed, and a general difference of opinion is noticeable, which will, however, find a quick and soothing remedy in the calling of a nominating convention.

In our mind, there has never been a doubt that President Grant will be the next nominee of the National Republican party, and still less doubt about his successful re-election.

If historic precedents avail aught, he surely deserves it, for since the time of the only President no man has ever been honored with that position who has more faithfully carried out the principles of the welfare of the people. It has been his aim to secure for every person in the land, protection and security. It has been his aim to place the finances of the country in a flourishing and creditable state. It has been his aim to avoid foreign imbroglies and yet maintain to the letter the dignity and honor of the American nation; and in all these efforts he has been successful even beyond the most sanguine expectations of the party he represents, and the party that elected him in power.

It is not, then, natural to suppose that when comes to actual nomination of a candidate for the Presidency, one who has made his word, has gained deserved popularity and the love of the people, will stand the precedence over all others? The Republican party, with General Grant for its nominee, can sweep the whole country with a majority similar to that by which Mr. Lincoln was elected for a second term. The party will vote upon him, regardless of sectional jealousies, regardless of aught save the proud record he has made as a man of fine administrative ability,

trick, and a close adherent to party principles.

We hope our friends of the Democracy will not deceive themselves. Long since the avowal has been made that unless they will carry every Southern State, they could not carry the next election. In the discrepancy between the Democratic North and South, with no able leader, no popular champion unite upon, a Democratic victory is an impossibility. The Democracy South, represented by Toombs, Stevens and Jeff Davis, desire war upon the amendments and the reiteration of the old States Rights doctrines.

The Democracy North, seeing the errors of ten years, are robbing themselves in the old clothes of Republicans, and hope thereby to steal into position in disguise. Both wings should feel the hopelessness of their cause, and know that from their very weakness springs the latitude which Republicans take, in differing the one from the other. It is their magisterial weakness that incites Republicans to carelessness.

DEPARTURES.

It has been frequently said that there is a tendency in all invasions to spread, like disease in an epidemic, and the number and variety of the "new departures," might at this stage of the National History, warrant us in that belief.

First we have the "new departure" of the Democracy. The departure from the principles of relentless opposition to Republicanism, started by Ohio Democrats. Then we have the new departure of the Democrats south. The departure from "acceptance of the situation" and a call again to prepare for battle. Toombs says he thinks it "time now to begin again." Jeff Davis urges a little further delay. Stephens says: "It will come," and Father Ryan, a priest of considerable influence and of fiery eloquence, bade an assembled multitude in Mobile to cherish the memories of the Confederacy, and hope for an ultimate consummation of Southern Independence.

All these things look very much like a species of insanity, political insanity, and all appearances look as though they were watching, inasmuch as the "Philosopher" of the Tribune, Horace Greeley, after breathing the Southern air, and being marched around by a host of ex-Confederates and Democratic big guns, goes home to change the tone of his paper from that of war on Ku Klux to war on what he is pleased to term "carpet baggers."

Now on the occasion of a speech of Hon. Schuyler Colfax, the Tribune was lavish in its praise of his defence of the "carpet baggers."

If we mistake not "The Philosopher" announced himself as a carpet bagger. This peculiar shortness of memory in the Tribune editor, finds but one former parallel and that is, the secession of the Republican side of the question, and the opposition to secession in 1861, when the year previous he had announced:

"If the Declaration of Independence justified the secession from the British Empire of three millions of colonists in 1776, we do not see why it would not justify the secession of five millions of Southern from the Federal Union."

We are afraid Horace, in his "New Departure" is likely to come to grief, even as the Democrats promise to do in their new departures North and South, the one from errors, the other to them.

In an able review of the "New Departure" the New York Republican says:

Mr. Greeley invokes the dead to bury the dead. He tells us he is weary of fighting dead issues. He says that when slavery died these troubles ought to have been ended by universal amnesty and universal suffrage. These are not new expressions of Mr. Greeley's sentiments, but they are indicative of something at hand, when taken in connection with the long-monthly variations of those who claim to represent him in New York. Mr. Greeley says that "though he never should decline any nomination which had been given to him, he should certainly seek no office." He says with the people, and of the people, etc. This means, of course, simply, when coming from an old and cunning political manager, that he opens for an engagement Nobody doubts this a moment. Mr. Greeley has aspirations. He has a right to them. Considered as a veteran Republican, as identified with the party so long as the exponent of its views and a counsellor of its actions in the Tribune, as a leader in the cause of freedom he is certainly entitled to have aspirations even as high as the Presidency. Abstractly, as the reward of merit, recognition of service, a presidential nomination and election could not be more fitly bestowed than upon Horace Greeley. Practically, and in the light of good policy for the Republican party or the nation, the election of Mr. Greeley to the Presidency would be a blunder and a misfortune.

If he could be relied upon as a "King Log," the compliment of such an election might be given him; but he would not be a "King Log," he would be a mischievous man in power; he would be unable to the last degree. His aim would be to "conciliate the South" at all hazards; his whims, his "isms," his theories, his prejudices, his idiosyncrasies, his antipathies, would crop out wildly. He would have a succession, studying Cabinet; he would have a non-occupier policy; he would lecture the Senate, and quarrel about the appropriation bills of Congress. We are disposed to no hypercriticism of Mr. Greeley's foibles; but, in the light of his past, we must judge what his future would be, if intrusted with high powers.

We are indebted to that enterprising firm of Messrs. T. B. Paxonson & Co. and the courtesy of JULIUS BEARDS for a copy of the fifth series of the Breitmenn Ballads, entitled "Hans Beilmann in Europe." All of the lean people ought to read Hans Beilmann, that is all those who have faith in the old saying of laugh and grow fat.

The "Breitmenn Ballads" have become wonderfully popular with the masses; and each new series is looked for with a longing that it will speak their words. Mr. Julius Beards has a few more copies of the "Ballads" on hand.

AMERICA LETTER.

Troops to go to the Frontier—Internal Revenue Matters—Peaches and Cream—Reasons in Favor of Giving \$500,000 to the Columbus Road.

AUSTIN, June 24, 1871.

It is rumored that the military post at this point is to be broken up and the troops ordered to the frontier. This will be pleasant news to the gallant officers and men; who must chafe under the spiritless life of a garrison. To be a soldier in time of peace requires a great deal of courage and endurance, but the Texas frontier offers a life of adventure and danger, a field where the soldier may acquire experience more valuable than that taught in military schools, for the bold Comanches and Kiowas are no mean opponents, skilled as they are in rifle craft and woodcraft. Exposure to sun and wind, the hardships of camp life, the pursuit of wild game, give a training that goes far to make the true soldier.

At Jefferson there are two companies of regular troops that ought to be on the frontier. They are of no use at Jefferson; on the contrary, the copperhead proclivities of the officers in command is an injury to the cause of law and order. When copperheadism is sanctioned and has the moral support of the army, it assumes a devilish attitude. As the Indians have no political proclivities, the two companies now at Jefferson would do better on the frontier.

Mr. Cobb, Supervisor of Internal Revenue, is here attending to the duties of his office. It is rumored that Major Moore—or, as he calls himself, Colonel Moore—will be suspended from his duties as Assessor of Internal Revenue. The Colonel has always treated his office as a sinecure, the entire labor being performed by a clerk, Moore being away a great deal of his time, and, in fact, knowing nothing of the condition of his department. When not in Washington, advising with the President upon national affairs, Colonel Moore is in Texas, telling his League friends what a great man he is when in Washington, putting out naughty fellows like Bridgehead, and generally managing the affairs of the nation.

Peaches and cream are the order of the day. Dr. Stiles, who has a farm about two miles from the city, dishes up this delicious article to visitors, the product of his farm. The doctor has also a fine crop of Lawton blackberries.

From peaches we naturally pass to the discussion of railroads. And now, Mr. Editor, since you have shown unwillingness to have anything said against your pet railroad scheme, perhaps you will not object to my giving some reasons in favor of the donation. The main, great reason is, San Antonio must have a railroad, no matter where it comes from, and San Antonio is able and willing to pay for a railroad, provided it is not all moonshine. The real estate within the corporate limits is worth, at the lowest estimate, \$4,000,000. Any kind of a railroad will increase the value to \$8,000,000, and as the donation is not payable until the railroad is finished, the property owners would be the gainers to a large amount. If we throw aside the consideration of which is the first and most important road to be built, then by all means give your promise to pay \$500,000 to the Columbus road, if you are satisfied it is the only and the shortest way to get a railroad. If \$500,000 can be given to this road, then, certainly, aid will not be refused to other enterprises. And in discussing this question, we must close our eyes to pavement streets, bleak public squares and scanty school-houses, and express no longings after fine city halls and commodious public buildings—they will come on the back of the iron horse. And lastly, the best reason of all. While the railroad will enrich the corner-lot man, three millions of dollars; hard money, must be paid out to build the road, and this money will go to the laborer, the farmer and the merchant. And when the road is built it will employ an army of laborers, and it will cheapen living and increase the value of every product of the country, because it will furnish a market. Bread and meat may be no cheaper, but alico, shoes, hats, tobacco, sugar, etc., will.

Even if the Columbus road should, after awhile, when the Indianola road carries all our heavy freight, and the International takes all our passengers and a large share of our cattle going northward, become less important than it now appears to over excited eyes—yet it will be a good thing for San Antonio, as it will help to feed her commerce and increase her wealth, and give her access to the trade of the Southern States, destined to grow in importance every year.

Now, Mr. Editor, you ought not to have objection to my showing the people the other side of the picture, as it appears to a "looker-on in Venice."

Davidson has just discovered that one of his ribs is broken.

HEADQUARTERS 5th REG'T R. M.,
TURNER'S HALL, ALAMO PLAZA,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, June 26, 1871.

General Order No. 10. In pursuance to the following order:

HEADQUARTERS, STATE OF TEXAS,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
AUSTIN, TEXAS, June 13, 1871.

General orders No. 10:
Pursuant to existing orders from these headquarters, the 4th day of July, 1871, will be properly observed by the Militia and State Guard forces of the State of Texas.

Regimental commanders will be held strictly accountable that their regiments are paraded according to law, and regimental courts martial will be promptly assembled for the trial of all delinquents absent from the parade without proper authority.

By order of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief:
JAMES DAVIDSON,
Adjutant General State of Texas.

1. The organized companies of the 5th Regiment R. M. will turn out on the Alamo plaza, in front of the headquarters of said regiment, at 8 o'clock A. M. on the 4th day of July, 1871, for muster.

2. All members of the Reserve Militia not organized into companies, will be required to appear on parade at the same place, and same day, for the purpose of organization and muster.

By order of H. Karber, Colonel 5th Reg't Reserve Militia.
C. FELDTMAN, Adjutant.

In Leavenworth, Indiana, a youth named Tucker undertook to play burglar and secure a young man who was a bank clerk and suspected of larceny. In this he succeeded; but as he was chucking over his exploit he was surprised by the appearance of his victim, reinforced by a strong party of his friends, who beat him nearly blind before he had an opportunity to explain.

Canada is to have postal cards.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Under the powers vested in me by a deed of trust, executed and delivered on the eighth day of September, 1869, by F. C. Hansen, B. Koepke, Edward Steves and Fritz Kummel, for and in behalf of Fire Company No. 2, a body corporate and politic, legally organized in the city of San Antonio, in Bexar county, Texas, which deed of trust was given to secure the payment to W. A. Meuser of three thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-four cents, with twelve per cent interest thereon from the date of said deed; and the said Fire Company No. 2 having made default in the payment of two thousand dollars, which is the amount remaining due under said deed of trust to Mary Meuser, wife and executrix of the said W. A. Meuser deceased; I, the undersigned trustee, selected by mutual consent of the parties to said deed, will sell at public outcry, to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court-house door of the county of Bexar, in the city of San Antonio, on Tuesday, the first day of August, 1871, at ten o'clock A. M., a COMPLETE STEAM TIRE ENGINE, Rea & Phillips makers, with all the apparatus, hose and fixtures thereto belonging; it being the same fire engine which has been heretofore, and now is, in the use and possession of said Fire Company No. 2, and the same which was conveyed by the deed of trust aforesaid.
J. H. KAMPFMAN, Trustee.
San Antonio, Texas, June 24, 1871.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals for Bexar county will sit on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, June 29th, 30th and 31st, and Saturday and Monday, July 1st and 2d, 1871, for the purpose of hearing appeals of persons that have not been able to register during the days set for registration, to vote on the proposition donating \$500,000 towards the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio railroad company, on the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th day of July, 1871. It is hereby further ordered by Section 56 of the election law, that no person shall give, sell or barter any spirituous or intoxicating liquor to any person, on the days of said election, and any person found guilty of violating the provisions of this Section, shall be fined in sum not less than one hundred dollars, nor more than three hundred dollars, which shall go to the school fund.
San Antonio, June 24th, 1871.
WM. G. A. THELLEPPPE,
Chairman of the Board of Appeals,
25-6-71d4t.

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Caution!

We hereby warn everybody not to pay any money due to one R. F. Gosch, who for a short time acted as our agent, but failing to remit money collected, we hereby rescind any and all connections with him.

CANDIDATES.

We are authorized to announce LEWIS G. BROWN as a candidate for Congress from the 4th District of Texas, subject to the action of the Republican nominating convention of that district.

We are authorized to announce DAVID R. DIFFENDERFER, of El Paso, as a candidate for Congress, subject to the nomination of the Republican Convention of the Fourth Congressional District.

See advertisement of Dr. Butta's Dispensary, headed "Book for the millions" MARRIAGE GUIDE—in another column.

FLY TRAPS! FLY TRAPS!—Just received and for sale at LEROUX & COSGROVE'S, 21-6-7146L.

CATTLE are fairly rolling in fat. The grass is excellent.

"ONE more bounteous rain" is the prayer of the farmers and planters of the west now.

NOTHING in shape of a mail for two days from the States. A post office moving somewhere.

THE Board of Appeals meet to-day, to revise the Registration list. All those who failed to register during appropriate days can do so by now appearing before the Board of Appeals.

GUSTAVE PERSCI is accorded the thanks of the entire office for his remembrance of it in his present of some of that pleasant summer beverage—apple cider. With ice it forms a splendid drink.

New faces in the post-office again. The change of employees is now made about once a month. Just as the employees begin to show efficiency and a rapidity of movement suitable to the wants of our active business community, they are removed.

PREDESTINERS of the male sex breathe freer and have ceased to cast those furtive glances around, that during the session of the district court betrayed their desire to avoid the Sheriff or his deputies and the jury-duty they were likely to be called upon to serve. The Court has adjourned for the hot season, much to the relief of everybody.

WOULD not a first class music store in this city pay? We imagine that there are about twelve hundred pianos in town—the newest music for all of them would make a good business for some smart young man, and besides, a good trade would spring up in musical instruments of all kinds. Why will they try it?

LARKIN CARPER, U. W. MOSER and FAYETTE WALKER, have been chosen as the Executive Committee to make arrangements for the coming Fourth of July barbecue and celebration. It is expected that from six to eight hundred of the people will be on the grounds.

AND now comes Mr. JOHN SCHOTT and lays before us another bunch of magnificent white grapes, which have much the similarity of the Florence grapes presented us by Mr. Rose. This grape from a cutting from the Rhine, and is called the Riesling grape. Judging from the specimens we have seen, Texas is destined to become eminently a grape country. Mr. Schott has our thanks for his kind favor.

It is rumored that the agents of the Morgas road are in town. If they have nothing more satisfactory to offer our people than the indefinite promises, such as are published in a letter from Henry McCulloch in the "Victoria Advocate," they will make a poor show of gaining strength in this town.

We are pretty well assured however, that their efforts are not intended to secure a completion of their road, but to prevent our donating ought to the Columbus road. Our people should keep their ears and eyes open—"Croaky" may be around.

There is a visible decrease in the number of persons on the sick list. The pleasant South-west breeze have the effect of clearing the atmosphere of some of the noxious fever breeding gases that the heat of the weather and the rankness of vegetation induce.

We invite earnest attention to the orders elsewhere emanating from General Davidson and from the Colonel of the 5th Regiment in regard to Militia muster July fourth. All persons subject to duty in the Militia and State Guard are interested.

IT STRIKES us rather forcibly, that a monument of ignorance or scientific construction, is bequeathed to our city in the mason work and plans of stone work of the new iron bridge at Paseo street. The culvert destined to carry off surplus water in times of rain and heavy floods is placed head to the current, and a heavy rise would suffice to bring a force upon it which would detract materially from the rest of the strength of the structure. Why was it not extended so as to pour its waters with the current? Some one in charge is either most culpably careless, or else most consummately ignorant.

THE "Herald" of the 27th inst., bedazzles the owlish gaze of its admirers by brilliant flashes of wit, that, considering the limited stock on hand, must be painfully exhaustive.

We call upon the odoriferous journalistic clover leaf, composed of Logan, Dashiell and Thompson (with a p) to arouse their instincts and try and comprehend the fact that editing a Republican newspaper and holding the office of Notary Public, are not felonies, and if the strain is not too excessive, we would ask them to ponder over another fact, and that is that robbery, embezzlement and seduction, are felonies. As it has actually happened that one member of the firm has learned by bitter experience that libel is punishable by fine or imprisonment, may we not reasonably expect that the peculiar branch of industry of the other members may at some future day receive official recognition from some Court having jurisdiction.

We are unwilling to entertain any protracted controversy with the editors of the "Herald" individually or collectively, but it might be erroneously supposed that our feelings toward them could arise to the dignity of resentment, a consummation which, upon considering the reputation of the parties in question, is of course, entirely impossible.

But how low must be the rate of intelligence among the rank and file of the Democracy, when they find themselves fitly represented by the paper in question?

INFANTS.—Much suffering to these tender little buds of the human family must be allayed by using Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup. See advertisement in another column.

Captain N. Dominguez, a patriotic Spaniard, has drawn some public attention to himself by frying the ears and tongue of a patriotic Cuban. He had 'em for breakfast.

Over a thousand Michiganders propose to move to Nebraska.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remainder in the Postoffice at San Antonio, June 27th, 1871, received prior to May 30th, 1871. Published by Official Authority.

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| Allison, Mrs M G | Harris, Dr |
| Atkinson, Mrs Jane Jose | Miss F |
| Ackerman Frank | Jackson, Eliza |
| Berndt, Wilhelm | Jackson, Gilbert |
| Borner, William | Klebe, F |
| Barela, Victoria | Leslie, Jack |
| Bidal, Refugia | Low, Mrs |
| Brent, Phyllis | McGee, Mary |
| Chatham, J G | McMurtrey Peter 2 |
| Coggan, J G | Mengdehl, H |
| Cora, Sophia | Maleta, Alejandro |
| Courad, John E 3 | Nordhausen, Charles |
| Davis, Lucinda | Ozuna, Victoriana |
| Decalb, J | Rice, Miss Mary |
| Greenle, Mason | Stelle, L V |
| Gonzalez, Nacario | Stables, M C |
| Gresham, Wm M | Stiller, Wm |
| Gilson, Tom | Swaine, M Mack |
| Garrison, R C | Miss, Smith |
| Goril, Josephine | Somers Miss Annus |
| Geraldine John | Schulz, Frank 2 |
| Gordan, A F | Sanchez, D |
| Gembler, Andreas | Travis Robert |
| Garcia, Juan Antonio | Tolin, J E |
| Herrin, Wm N 2 | Toregano, J |
| Hernandez, Ramon | Tyre, George |
| Horning, O | Tigger, F W |
| Horne, Henry | Terry, Capt DS |
| Harris, Lizzie | Velton, M |
| Haywood, Lettie | Washington, Miss Emma |
| Hampton, James | Wood, H |
| Harris, H M | Weilbacher, Christina |
| Horn Antoine | Young J H |
| Homer, Mrs Eddie | |
| Hufner, Daniel | |

Letters held for Postage.

- John S. Avant Uvalde P. O., Texas.
Don Vicente Galan Piedras Negras, Mexico.
J. Quinon Lyon, Rhona, France.
Alice Bryant Galveston, Texas.
Cisero Southson New Braunfels, Comal Co., Texas.
William Baylor La Grange, Texas.
Don Maria Jesus Garza, on Austin Texas.
N. B.—The Austin mail will heretofore leave at 6 o'clock, a. m., and close the evening before at 9 o'clock, p. m. until 5 p. m. Sundays, from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m. Bell's time is the standard.
A full assortment of Internal Revenue stamps on hand.
Nickles received in payment for stamps Glass boxes for rent.
Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please ask for advertised letters.
S. P. GAMBIA, P. M.

LOST.

June 29th, a massive gold button, the finder will receive an ample reward by leaving the same at the Express office. 22-6-7146L.

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Consumption, Its Cure and its Preventiv

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 friends are sleeping the dreamless slumber into which, had they calmly 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 whenever 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.

The S-waved Tonic and Mandrake Pills are the first two weapons with which the citadel of the malady is assailed. Two thirds of the cases of consumption originate in dyspepsia and a functionally disordered liver. With this condition the bronchial tubes "sympathize" with the stomach. They respond to the morbid action of the liver. Here then comes the culminating result, and the setting in with all its distressing symptoms of

Consumption. The Mandrake Pills are composed of one of Nature's noblest gifts—the Podophillum Peltatum. They possess all the blood-searching, alterative properties of calomel, but unlike calomel, they

"Leave no Sting Behind." The work of cure is now beginning. The vitiated and mucous deposits in the bowels and the alimentary canal are ejected. The liver, like a clock, is wound tight. It crosses from its torpidity. The stomach acts responsively, and the patient begins to feel that he is getting, at last,

A Supply of Good Blood. The S-waved Tonic, in conjunction with the Pills, permeates and assimilates with the food. Obfuscation is now progressing without its previous tortures. Digestion becomes painless, and the cure is seen to be at hand. There is no more flatulence, no exacerbation of the stomach. An appetite sets in.

Now comes the greatest Blood Purifier ever yet given by an indulgent father to suffering man. Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup comes in to perform its functions and to hasten and complete the cure. It enters at once upon its work. Nature cannot be cheated. It collects and ripses the impured and diseased portions of the lungs. In the form of gathering, it prepares them for expectoration, and in a very short time the malady is vanquished, the rotten tissue that it occupied is regenerated and made new, and the patient, in all the dignity of regained vigor, steps forth to enjoy the manhood or womanhood that was,

Given up as Lost. The second thing is, the patients must stay in a warm room until they get well; it is almost impossible to prevent taking cold when the lungs are diseased, but it must be prevented or a cure cannot be effected. Fresh air and riding out, especially in the season of the country in the fall and winter months, are all wrong. Physicians who recommend that course lose their patients, if their lungs are badly diseased, and yet, because they are in the house they must not sit down quiet; they must walk about the room as much and as fast as the strength will bear, to get up a good circulation of blood. The patient must keep in good spirits—he determined to get well. This has a great deal to do with the appetite, and is the great point to gain.

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 ripened the matter in my lungs, and I would spit up more than a pint of offensive yellow matter every morning for a long time. As soon as that began to subside my cough, fever, pain and night sweats all began to leave me, and my appetite became so great that it was with difficulty that I could keep from eating too much. I soon gained my strength, and have grown in flesh ever since."

"I was weighed shortly after my recovery," added the Doctor, "then looking like a mere skeleton; my weight was only thirty-seven pounds; my present weight is two hundred and twenty five (225) pounds, and for years I have enjoyed uninterrupted health."

Dr. Schenck has discontinued his professional visits to New York and Boston. He or his son, Dr. J. H. Schenck, Jr., still continue to see patients at their office, No 15 North-Sixth street, Philadelphia, every Saturday from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. Those who wish a thorough examination with the Respirometer will be charged \$5. The Respirometer declares the exact condition of the lungs, and patients can readily learn whether they are curable or not.

The directions for taking the medicines are adapted to the intelligence even of a child. Follow these directions, and kind Nature will do the rest. Excepting that in some cases the Mandrake Pills are to be taken in increased doses the other medicines are given in accordance with the directions that accompany them. First treats appetite. Of returning the appetite, hunger is the most welcome symptom. When it comes, so it will come, let the despairing at once be of good cheer. Good blood at once follows, the cough lessens, the night sweat is abated. In a short time both of these morbid symptoms are gone forever.

Dr. Schenck's medicines are constantly kept in stock of thousands of families. As a laxative or purgative, the Mandrake Pills are a standard preparation; while the Pulmonic Syrup, as a curer of coughs and colds, may be regarded as a prophylactic against consumption in any of its forms.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and S-waved Tonic, \$1.50 a bottle, or \$7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills, 25 cents a box. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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STATE OF TEXAS, 5510 231
 County of Bexar,
 It is remembered that at a regular session of the Hon. Police Court, held in and for the county of Bexar, on the 1st day of A. D. 1871, the following proceedings had, to-wit:
 The petition of more than fifty (52) freeholders 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 shall aid in the construction or extension of the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway from the town of Columbus or 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 and upon the conditions set forth in said petition, and which conditions are hereinafter 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 authorize counties, cities and towns to aid in the construction of Railroads and other 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-wit: 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:
 That the County of Bexar shall aid in the construction or extension of the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway from the town of Columbus or Eagle Lake in the county of Colorado, to the city of San Antonio, in the county of Bexar, 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 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 annum, payable annually, upon interest coupons to be attached to each of said bonds; upon condition nevertheless, that the said Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway Company fully complete and equip their said Railway to the city of San Antonio within two years from the time when the said bonds are delivered to the city of San Antonio and not before, and that the said bonds shall bear interest only from the date of their delivery; and further provided, that the said Railway 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 dollars, conditioned for the faithful completion and equipment of said Railway 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 Slyke, C. Wurzbach and H. Freeman are hereby appointed managers to conduct said election in accordance with said Act, and to make a return thereof to this Court, on Wednesday, the 12th day of July, 1871.
 It is further ordered that this order shall be published for three weeks previous to said election, in the "San Antonio Express," a newspaper published in the city of San Antonio, in said county of Bexar; 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 day of said election, for the purpose of ascertaining and recording the result of the election herein and hereby ordered.
 Testify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original order, as entered upon the minutes of the Police Court of Bexar county, at its May term, A. D. 1871.
 Witness, Mortimer Slocum, Clerk of the District Court, of said county and [L. K.] Seal of said Court, at office in San Antonio, this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1871.
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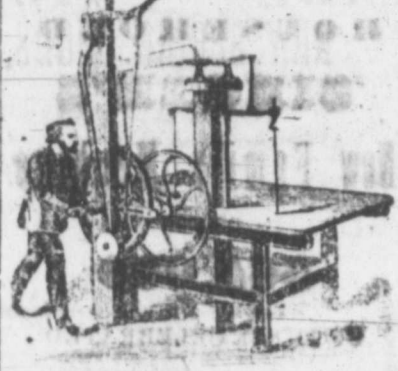
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