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Have a complete assortment of
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Always on hand.
Special attention will be paid to all private orders. (10-19-71d1dec31

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THE
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A UNIVERSAL NEWSPAPER.
Read the Following:
A popular weekly paper for the times, embracing the leading features of those journals destroyed by the terrible conflagration, and combining just such a corps of writers as will give the public all the news of the week, in a condensed compilation of the leading journals of the nation, and the world.
A TRUTHFUL RECORD.
The PHŒNIX will be the most truthful and reliable recorder of incidents and facts concerning the great fire, ever published.
ACCOUNTS OF THE FIRE.
It will contain only such accounts as are vouched for by reliable witnesses, and will correct the erroneous and fabricated statements of sensational writers.
CHICAGO AND THE NEWS.
It will, for a time, be devoted especially to the past, present and future of Chicago, besides being the most complete weekly newspaper in the world.
FIRESIDE COMPANION AND NEWSPAPER.
Its columns are devoted to News, Commerce, Science, Literature, Art, Drama, Music, Humor, Fashion, Poetry, Fashion, Society news, and enough of Romance to make it a most desirable fireside companion, as well as the most reliable and complete newspaper for the businessman in the counting room.
BEAUTIFUL ILLUSTRATIONS.
It will be illustrated with engravings taken from Photographs of the Chicago Ruins, instead of sketches "By Our Special Artist" who was not "on the spot," and thus give glimpses of PERFECT VIEWS, not obtainable elsewhere, and the first number will contain the only correct map of the buried city.
HAPPY HOURS.
That beautiful literary journal, "HAPPY HOURS," whose publisher was the first to issue a paper to meet the public demand, after the awful fire, has been merged into the literary department of the PHŒNIX, which will embrace the contributions of more than sixty of the most popular writers of the day.
A SPECIAL FEATURE.
The PHŒNIX will contain, as an especial feature, a more complete record of incidents and results of the late terrible fire, than can be found in any book, paper or other publication in the country. So numerous and innocuous have been the accounts put forth, that something reliable and reasonable is sought at this time, and The PHŒNIX will fill the bill.
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The first number will be issued on Saturday, Nov. 11th, and will be the paper wanted by everybody, as a record worth preserving over and away; and for its accurate illustrations.
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A well selected assortment of BRIAR-WOOD and Meerschaum pipes for Christmas presents.
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STRAYED or stolen, from the subscriber, on the night of the 17th December, at the Segnin crossing of the Mertinez, two bay American horses, 9 or 10 years old, shod all round; one a bright bay, unbranded, the other a light brown bay, branded 52 on shoulder, has white in face and two white feet. Will give the above reward for their delivery at Mapes & Story's Stable, in San Antonio.
(1-7-71w3) JAMES W. CHILDERS.

MIRAM HAYES IN STRATFORD.

Once I journeyed while the mavis
O'er the English meadows sang;
It was bounteous summer weather—
All the roads with music rang.

Hiram Hayes was my companion—
Straight from Boston he had come—
Purse as long as John J. Astor's,
Head as hollow as a drum.

Toward the leafy lanes of Warwick
Merrily the stage coach flew—
How I clapped my hands and shouted,
"Soon in Stratford we'll be due!"

"What of that?" asked weary Hiram,
"Shakespeare's county! glorious Will!
We shall see the spire of Avon
When we mount my powder hill!"

"There his bones may; there his grave is;
There his fancies grew so blithe;
There he planted his mighty pinions,
Built his fame up for all time."

"Drive on fast! I'd shan't stop there!"
Muttered Mr. Hiram Hayes
"Shakespeare never would be thought of
If he hadn't writ them plays!"

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Deferred Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22. — Col. John L. Haynes will receive the Collectorship at Brownsville.

A change will be made in the postoffice at Navasota and Galveston.

A most cordial reception was given Gov. Davis by the President, Senate and House.

At the request of Gen. Clark, Texas will secure increased mail facilities, and 200,000 due Texas for Frontier Defense, will be secured.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—Carter issued an address to the people stating that he will on Monday, at 11:30 A. M., through Sergeants-at-Arms, proceed to remove from the Hall of the House of Representatives at Mechanics' Institute, and the approaches thereto, the Metropolitan police and armed men, and place said House, with its organization, as it stood at adjournment on January 4th. He requests the people to close their places of business and keep off the streets in the vicinity. Warmoth having ignored the Speakership of Carter, this programme indicates a conflict. The Carterites are said to have 2000 men.

11 A. M.—The people are assembling on Canal street about Dryades. Nearly all the police have withdrawn from their beats, and armed as on duty, have concentrated about Mechanics' Institute. Several lines are thrown across Dryades street. Several companies of infantry are also on duty.

Later—Carter has just made a speech to several thousand persons at the Clay statue in which he stated that he had received a communication from Gen. Emory, that the United States troops were in readiness to prevent a conflict. He counselled forbearance and requested his friends and the people to maintain their organizations for future action. No conflict will occur today. The stores along Canal street from Rampart to Camp are generally closed.

After announcing the contents of Emory's dispatch, Carter said, thus the United States troops and Gen. Emory are used to perpetuate the infamies which would drive any Northern or Western State into revolution, and which will be unearthed when the Investigating Committee arrives.

The cry "Let's fight; we're going in anyhow," was raised by the crowd. Carter replied that the men who let their passions overcome their reason would ruin any cause, and I forbid those acting under my commission to take any step which would bring them in conflict with the veteran troops of the United States. He then ordered his men to rest on Custom House Street.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—A copy of the following was sent to Carter and Warmoth this morning.

HEADQUARTERS DEPT. OF THE GULF, NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21, 1872.

The following dispatch has just been received from Washington, and I consider it proper to present a copy to the contending parties.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
W. H. EMORY,
Bvt. Maj. Gen. Commanding.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22, 1872.
Col. W. H. Emory, Commanding Department of the Gulf, New Orleans:

The President desires that you hold your troops in readiness to suppress a conflict of armed bodies of men, should such occur, and to guard public property from pillage and destruction. Keep this Department informed of your action.

By order of the Secretary of War.
(Signed) E. D. TOWNSEND,
Adjutant General.

The Warmothites have now decided that it requires 54 members of the House and 19 of the Senate to constitute a quorum, thereby annulling their action repealing the obnoxious laws.

When Carter concluded his speech, the crowd, slowly dispersed.

Canal street this afternoon is unusually quiet. The action of the President in preventing a conflict seems to give general satisfaction to the citizens in view of the early coming of the Congressional Committee, which promises a peaceful solution of the political troubles.

WASHINGTON, Jan 22.—Private dispatches from New Orleans are quite threatening.

The Senate is considering the petition.

The Louisiana Committee will reconsider their action of Friday, and will depart for New Orleans on Wednesday.

Gov. Warmoth leaves for troops, call upon ...

Texas News.

Bishop Marvin is to preach in Corpus Christi on next Sunday.

The trade of Corpus Christi is greatly improving. Two new stores were started last week, and several heavy firms are about to locate there.

The old shanties have been removed from the market square, in Corpus Christi, and the place greatly improved.

Corpus Christi is still working hard to construct her ship channel.

Col. Nelson Plato is Recorder of Corpus Christi.

Last week 17 large mule wagons were loaded in Corpus Christi for the interior of Mexico.

The Leap Year Ball at Corpus Christi was a fine affair.

Mexican carts and country produce abound in Corpus Christi.

A Mexican was hung by a mob at the Banquette, 25 miles from Corpus Christi for burglary.

The Jasper News-Boy says the ware houses at Beville port are full of cotton.

The Jasper News-boy nominates Col. A M Hobby, of Galveston, for Governor in 1874.

The Jasper News-Boy says the young men are about to organize a hook and ladder fire company.

Indianola greatly desires the deepening of Pass Cavallo Bar. Its estimated cost is $100,000.

Green corn is still to be seen in the Brownsville market.

A Mexican smuggler was arrested at Brownsville recently.

Large amounts of lumber are arriving in Austin.

McKinney, Collin county, is making efforts to have the Central railroad run through that town.

Brier Creek, Navarro county, is about to build a schoolhouse.

The police of Corsicana have shot and severely wounded a man who was attempting to escape.

A petition will be presented to the City Council of Houston at its next meeting, asking the construction of a bridge across Buffalo Bayou at some point between the present railroad bridge and the City Mills.

The Waco Tap road to Marlin will be completed in fifty days.

The International is busy at work between Jacksonville and Knoxville Cherokee county.

The election for Justice of the Peace at San Antonio results as follows: R B Evans 204; Lick 194; J H Coker 79; Scattering 4.

An Odd Fellows Lodge was organized at Harrisburg last Wednesday night.

Two inches of snow have fallen at Sherman.

The postoffice will be opened at Jewett on the 20th.

A mail route is badly needed from Brenham to Caldwell, with postoffices at Gay Hill, and near the Yegua bridge.

The steam mill of Mr. Adrian Testard, at Brenham, has been fired.

Brenham has started a Saving Bank.

A colored wood chopper, named Hays, was shot and killed by a colored man named Odom, on Monday, about two miles from Houston on the Montgomery road. The murderer escaped and has not yet been found.

Young Flanagan, brother to Welsh, has been appointed post master at Marshal.

Mr. Geo. Hardway, of Cherokee county, has been killed by the fall of a tree which he was cutting.

The Jewett Experiment of Jan. 13, says: The freight room in the new depot building is crammed and jammed full of freight for the up country. Two cars were unloaded on Saturday, all for Palestine. Cotton still continues to roll in. The platform is now crowded with the staple.

The Texas Vindicator, published at Paris Lamar county, has changed hands, Judge DeWitt is the new publisher. Mr. Patterson, who retires, claims to have officiated at the birth and burial of seven newspapers.

Manor is on the Central 12 miles below Austin.

The Air Line road is now running two night and two day trains on a schedule of twenty miles to the hour, thereby requiring about ten hours from Austin to Galveston. When the appointments of the trunk road are made to correspond with the Air Line, the time may be reduced to eight hours.

An Express office has been opened at Austin.

Ed. T Reed, for the Legislature, and R B Bailey, for sheriff, are announced as candidates for the November race in Bell county.

The Houston Union publishes the following details of the accident on the Central: The down freight train on the Central railroad ran ran off the trunk Wednesday noon near Gum Island station. Sixteen cars were thrown off. The Conductor, W T Hall, ... injured, ... a detention of the night passenger train, due here at 7:00, of two hours.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
The following is a list of business men in this City, who may be addressed in reference to the respective lines of business.
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L. Wolfson.
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A. Byrd Dermott, Lawyer.
T. S Dunn, Doctor.
SOAP MANUFACTORY.
Simon Mengor.
WINES AND LIQUORS.
Theo. Schleuning.
A. Rosenbach & Co.
Diesel & Brium, Importers Oil, Wine.
Rosenthal & Co.
Rhodius & Co.
H. Groos.
F. Guilbeau.
MISCELLANEOUS.
Streuit & Grant, Hats & Furnishing Goods.
San Antonio Meat Extract Company.
B. Mauermann, Gunsmith.
El Paso Mail Line, Newport & Fishlin.
A. Staacke, Wagons.
Western Texas Life, Fire and Marine Insurance Company
Agricultural, Industrial and Stock Raising Association of Western Texas.
Finch, Frost & Co., Wagons.
C. Remy, Cigars, Tobacco and Pipes.
J. H. Kampmann, Sash, Door and Window Factory.
Fred Finch, Dancing Academy.
F. Weber, Stone Cutter.
E. Hertle, Cigars.
INDIANOLA.
W. Westhoff & Co.
Gulf, Western Texas and Pacific R. R. Co.
VICTORIA.
W. Westhoff & Co.
FREDERICKSBURG
Wormund & Stecker.
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SUNDAY, JAN. 28, 1872.

Republican State Convention.

A Delegate Convention of the Republican party of Texas is hereby called to assemble in the city of Houston on the second Tuesday of June, 1872, for the purpose of nominating Presidential Electors, and for a thorough re-organization of the party.

The basis of representation is fixed the same as for members of the Legislature under the present apportionment.

Papers friendly to the objects herein expressed will please copy this call.

J. G. TRAKLY,
Ch'n Republican State Executive Committee.
J. P. NEWCOMB, Secretary.

CLERK'S OFFICE, OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES U.S., WASHINGTON, Dec. 11th, 1871.

To the Publisher of the Express,
San Antonio, Texas.

SIR—The EXPRESS has been selected for publishing such acts and resolutions passed during the second session of the Forty-Second Congress, and also such public treaties entered into and ratified by the United States as may be selected and forwarded to you by the Secretary of State; in all cases to be published without delay.

I am, sir, respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
E. McPHERSON,
Clerk of House of Representatives U. S.

GEN. C. C. AUGUR, the new Department Commander was expected here yesterday.

See American Cheviot shirts. B. & G

IT is estimated that the Texas cotton crop of last year amounts to 400,000 bales, at an aggregate value of $30,000,000.

General orders, buy your shirts. B. & G.

There are fifty-six schools, with an average attendance of 3,920 scholars, in the 12th School District of this State.

A very good showing for the energy and capacity of the School Officers.

Greatest variety of work by the Weed.

WE have received from the publisher, Geo. W. Childs, Esq., of the "Public Ledger," published at Philadelphia, the Public Ledger Almanac for 1872.

The pamphlet is very neatly ornamented and full of valuable information.

Shirts' cheapest and best. Barnett & G.

It is a remarkable fact that the colored people of Louisiana are almost unanimously with the opposition party to Gov. Warmoth, and that they attempted there to repeal the very measures which are kindred to those which the radical leaders of Texas have killed the colored people in this State are supporting. Our police, militia, school and property acts are kindred to those which the colored people of Louisiana are striving to repeal, and yet the Texas colored people are so misled that they have become the most supporters of the Brickyard in these measures.

It is also worthy of note that the colored race of Louisiana are now laboring side by side with the Democrats against these measures. From what we could learn during our late trip to New Orleans, Col. Geo. W. Carter has more influence with the colored race of that State since the death of Lieut. Gov. Dunn, than any other one man. The colored members of the Legislature almost unanimously sustain him against the Governor, and with this element, the opposition to the Radicals will be badly defeated in the next election.—Houston Tel.

Hats! Hats!! at reduced prices at B. & G.

OUR FIRESIDE FRIEND.—This is the name of a new eight-page original and illustrated story and family weekly, published by Messrs. Waters, Eberle & Co., Chicago. The paper presents a neat and pleasing appearance, and exhibits much taste in its make-up. Its contents are varied, and rich in interest and full of instruction. It contains well written continued stories of great interest, beautifully illustrated, and entertaining short stories, sketches, poems, etc., with departments especially devoted to the Farm, the Housewife and Children. One of the principal features of this number is Will. M. Carleton's great poem, "The Burning of Chicago," which the publishers have beautifully illustrated. Our Fireside Friend will find a welcome in every family circle. The publishers will send a specimen copy free to any address.

Gloves best assortment in city. B. & G.

WE were most agreeably surprised yesterday, by finding for the first time, on our table, that excellent journal—the "Louisianais."

This is the first number we have seen since its resurrection, and we are happy to see that the mind of its able editor is as vigorous as ever. We thank Mr. Gentil for his kind wishes for our State, and ask him to accept our own for his own, beautiful Louisiana.

While we do not entirely agree with the political creed of our esteemed though a Republican paper, if there be any in Louisiana, we give it credit, for its most impartiality, as well as its able efforts in behalf of the development, though, of the resources of its State. Success and prosperity to the "Sage of St. James."

Six fine shirts for eleven dollars. B. & G.

COL. GIDDINGS, the Democratic aspirant to Congressional honors, who failed to obtain a certificate for the want of a few votes, is moving actively to contest the seat of Gen. Clark, his successful rival.—"Contesting" often proves a profitable speculation now-a-days, we have noticed that Congress has voted unsuccessful contestants several thousand dollars, promptly to pay the expenses of their contest; we have seen even in State Legislatures men who were beaten by a nine-tenth's vote contest only for the purpose of getting per diem and mileage, during the time they were contesting, and we strongly opine to the opinion that Col. Giddings, who can have no earthly hope of being seated, like an eye to the main chance, rod that, notwithstanding his professions of Democracy and abhorrence of federal corruption and extravagance, he will soon return among us, cured of his first idea of imagining himself a Congressman, but with a [illegible] of Uncle Sam's greenbacks [illegible] that extravagant his core disappointed [illegible] in his Democratic regard. With this [illegible] to comment upon such useless expenditure, the recipient in this case being one of their own sweet-scented crowd, we think the matter is worthy of the attention of the people. Here we find a veritable abuse which needs prompt reform. Congress ought not to allow one dime to contestants, nine-tenths of whom have no real ground, but only go to Washington to take a grab at the public crib on this pretence.

Demagogue Schurz.

"A lie well stuck to is as good as truth," but Senator Schurz, though full of the most adhesive intentions, deserts his lies when badly cornered. Thus he says in his explanatory and vindicatory speech in the U.S. Senate Senate respecting brother-in-law Jussen, that he did not make a personal application for his appointment as revenue collector, but he owes up to the soft impeachment of having endorsed him. This he did solely because he thought the large German element of Chicago was entitled to recognition. That is to say, he did not bore the President in person, but only in writing, in behalf of brother-in-law Jussen, and even this was not because he loved Jussen as a brother-in-law, but because he reverred him as a representative of the German element! Strange coincidence, that the German element in Chicago should seek expression through brother-in-law Jussen, while the German element in St. Louis was taking all its honors through brother-in-law Schurz. The fact that Mr. Jussen, at the time of his appointment, was utterly unknown to the people of Chicago, except as an obscure lawyer who had been upon astride of a white horse at the head of a Wide Awake procession in 1860, and the additional fact that he was appointed to appease the one of the bravest and best volunteer officers of the late war—General Corse—would seem to indicate that there must have been some extraordinary pressure from without for his appointment. That he ever was selected to represent the German element of Chicago we deny; that he received the indorsement of any prominent Republicans of Chicago, or elsewhere in Illinois, we deny also. His selection was opposed from the start by the Chicago Staats Zeitung, the German Republican paper of that city, and by every leading German and American politician of that city. When Mr. Charles B. Farwell was elected to Congress by the Republicans, in 1870, his first movement, as the party patronage of his district, was to demand the removal of Jussen, and the appointment of Mr. Herman Raster, an intelligent and influential German, who now holds the office. The change was made solely on the ground that Jussen had no other recommendation than that he had married Schurz' sister, or that Schurz had married his sister, we have forgotten which; that he did not represent either socially or intellectually the German element of Chicago, and that he was not remarkable for his efficiency as a Collector. For these reasons, and none other, he was removed. Immediately after his removal he attempted to alienate the German vote from the Republican party. He called several ward meetings, at each of which he himself proved to be the large and enthusiastic audience, and finally, in sheer disgust at American institutions, he went to Europe, where we believe he still tarries.

Our City Administration.

We are always glad to find something to commend in the official conduct of our public servants. We are the more glad to find just ground for praise in the acts of our city fathers.

Not long ago our Democratic confreres were on the qui vive about a proposed change in the City Administration, that very Administration which repaired the criminal faults of their Democratic precursors, which paid off our city debt, which, while practising the most stringent economy, found the means, without burdening the city with new debt, of executing the extended repairs of building bridges, and of improving our city in many ways.

There are three reasons why our Democratic brethren are dissatisfied with their city administration.

1. The Mayor and Councilmen are Republicans.

2. The Democratic organ finds itself minus chicken-pie as far as the city printing is concerned.

3. The old Democratic ring can no longer swindle the city a la Tammany, spirit away its property, and expend the money wrung from the unfortunate tax-payer in some unaccountable and unaccounted for manner.

These are all and solitary the reasons, why our Republican city administration is not liked by a certain class.

The malcontents dare not deny, that the present city government is composed of honest and capable men, of old and respected residents, that all of its departments are ably administered, yet, when they imagined that some disagreement existed between the city and State governments, and therefore expected that the Governor would remove all or nearly all of the present incumbents, these gentry could not suppress a titter of gratified malice; for if even the new appointees could not be expected to be chosen from the ranks of their own ilk, and their hankering after public plunder as yet remain unsatisfied, it afforded them a sort of villainous contentment to see the men, who had broken up their rings, and exposed their frauds, ousted from office. Like the Anti-Granters, who would run the devil, if by so doing they would defeat Grant, so our Democratic fellow townsmen would be satisfied with the appointment of old Beelzebub, rice Thisbeppe removed.

To their sorrow, however, the enormous mountain, which hardly had any existence, except in their own diseased minds, brought forth only a pitifully small and sickly mouse. Excepting a trifling change in the Council, no alternations in the city government were made, and they again are reduced to hope for better times—like those when Throckmorton was Governor, and old Lyons Mayor.

The sound majority of our citizens, however, decidedly object to the return of a Democratic city administration—they have no wish whatever for the re-enactment of their pleasant little jokes, and they endorse the actions of our present city government, which is, with all good citizens, deservedly popular.

The Herald may sleep in peace and go on dreaming of a democratic city administration for San Antonio in 1872.

THE daily Barrel Organ treats its enthusiastic readers, in its yesterday's issue, to an elaborate essay upon "What he knows about Skunks." We think it vastly superior to Horace Greeley's writings, and are convinced that here is a subject upon which the Baron is thoroughly posted, and which at the same time proves, that he lives up faithfully to the great maxim "KNOW THYSELF." How about Dr. McBride's patent brain, dear Baron? Does it work well.

The Sherman Courier says that Texas is destined at an early day to be checkered with railroads, canals, and [illegible]. We believe that we [illegible] would dispute, somewhere in our vicinity, the [illegible] and best interests. Opposition will not delay them an hour, while generous aid will hasten construction and influence their direction.

Dr. McBride's great World Relief regulates the Liver and Kidneys, cures Dyspepsia or Palpitation of the Heart disease in twelve days.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Deferred Dispatches.

FROM AUSTIN.

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.

The reported action of the Federal Grand Jury in finding a bill against the Governor regarding the late elections lacks confirmation, though important testimony has been taken. Several prominent citizens of Washington county have been before the jury.

Nineteen indicements against Senator Fountain were returned today. Besides District Attorney Garland, Gov. Hamilton and Buck Walton are prosecuting. The U. S. Government expended four thousand dollars in securing him. He is now in charge of Marshal Purnell.

Several hundred persons have gone to the Houston celebration.

A foreigner, barkeeper at Long's restaurant, named Ignatz Rebalz, committed suicide this evening. Cause unknown.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan 23.—At the Cabinet meeting, only a routine of business was transacted.

Emory telegraphs the Secretary of War that everything is quiet in New Orleans.

Col. Leonard and a staff officer of Governor Warmoth are here.

The Louisiana Committee expect to be absent about three weeks.

SENATE—Morton, in a debate, said he declared himself opposed to universal amnesty, and described the arguments in favor of it as based upon sickly sentimentalism and spurious.

The apportionment bill, as it passed the House, provided for two hundred and eighty-three members. The amendments proposed by Senate Judiciary Committee, propose to keep the numbers as at present, with a ratio of representation at a hundred and fifty-seven thousand one hundred and nine. Divided by this ratio the States would have two hundred and twenty six, but the full number of Representatives is to be made up by the addition of seventeen representatives from those States having the largest fractions over one-half the ratio. In these seventeen States are included Tennessee, Maryland, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Louisiana and Georgia.

The President has withdrawn the the nomination of Willard Warner to be Collector of Customs at Mobile.

France.

PARIS, Jan 23—It is reported that during the crisis caused by fears of Thiers withdrawing, the agents of the Imperalists circulated among the army officers and sought to ascertain their disposition towards the Empire, and whether there was any feeling in favor of a restoration.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan 23—Bagdad, at the mouth of the Rio Grande, was pillaged by thirty or forty outlaws last night; they clam to be revolutionists, but are only robbers under Juan Portigal and Sanchez Wriste, who were refugees in Texas until a few days since, when they crossed the Rio Grande at Roane-Neta, raised men, stole horses and robbed houses, in which one of the party was killed. They intended capturing a river steamer at Bagdad with money, but failed. Their raid had no significance except showing the weakness of the authorities and the lawlessness of the country.

It is understood Gen Emory has been instructed, in case of an emergency, to protect private and public property from pillage, but not to interfere further without orders.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Jan 23—Senate.—Petitions received for Sumner's Civil Rights bill, and of the repeal of the duty on salt, pig iron and coal.

The Judiciary Committe reported the House Apportionment bill, with an Amendment. The committee urge early action.

House.—The House is considering the Mining bill.

NEW YORK, Jan 23—The police made a raid on Broadway concert saloons.

Lect is directed to inform the committee exactly how the profits of the general order business were invested.

The Rev. Mr. Hepworth has commenced the organization of an orthodox congregation of 250 families.

The Russian fleet has sailed for Pensacola.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Alderman Glade was convicted of bribery, and sentenced to pay $100 fine and the costs of suit, and also to six months imprisonment.

CHEYENNE, Jan 23—The Union Pacific road is blockaded westward to an unknown extent.

OMAHA, Jan 23—A quorum was obtained in the Legislature, which passed a resolution declaring the Gubernatorial Chair vacant, and providing for the electing at a Governor by joint session. The arrest of the Chief Clerk of the House was ordered. The Clerk was released on habeas corpus. At the close both Houses lacked a quorum, and the Governor refused to acknowledge the act ousting him.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 23—A discussion of the Chamber of Commerce shows a strong desire to give aid to the Alantic and Pacific road, in order to secure uninterrupted communication at all seasons.

Colonel Washington, the editor of the Examiner, is reported dying.

The wheat crop is estimated at 12,000,000, worth $24,000,000 on the ground.

PARIS, Jan 23—The following are the sentences on the murderers of the hostages during the Commune: Gouton to death, three others to a penal colony, Frascois for life, Lateur Farten to twenty years, Bemoin to ten years and to banishment. The others, including all the women, were acquitted.

It is believed that Grevy, President of the Assembly, will be elected Vice-President of France.

NEW YORK, Jan 23—The Herald's special, dated Matamoros, 23d [illegible] to attack San [illegible] last Saltillo [illegible]

Gen. Coryas, commanding [illegible] "Government" cavalry, was defeated by Gen. Martinez. Coryas retreated to San Luis. Two-thirds of the force were lost.

An Ordinance

Concerning the running at large of horned Cattle and Swine.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of San Antonio:

SECTION 1. On and after the 10th day of February, A. D. 1872, it shall not be lawful for cows, or horned cattle of any kind, or swine, to run at large within that portion of said city included in the following described boundaries, to wit: Beginning on the San Antonio River at the South-east corner of the property belonging to, and constitating the homestead of Thos. J. Devine, fronting on South Flores street, thence along his southerly line continuing in a straight line westward to Laredo St.; thence northward along and including Laredo street, to Center street; thence northward along and including Center street to the San Pedro Creek; thence across said creek to the southwest corner of property now occupied and owned by Hector and wife; thence eastward along said Hector's line, across North Flores street, along and including 5th street to the Upper Labor Ditch; thence along said ditch to Bat Avenue; thence along avenue and inside of the homestead property of Nat Lewis to the San Antonio River; thence up said river to a point opposite 6th street on the east side of the same; thence across said river and along and and including Sixth street, to the Alamo Ditch; thence down the Alamo Ditch to North Fourth street; thence and and including North Fourth street eastward to Pecan street; thence along and including Pecan street southward to Alameda street; thence westward in a straight line to Water street; thence along and including Water street to Mill street, and along and including Mill street to a point on the San Antonio River just below Gunther's lower mill; thence up the San Antonio River to a point opposite the place of beginning; and any owner of such animal, or any person having rightful possession or control thereof, either or both, who shall permit the same to run at large within the said limits, shall be fined for each and every offense, upon conviction therefor before the Recorder, in a sum not less than one nor more than ten dollars and costs.

SEC. 2. The Mayor shall cause to be erected, before said date, two good and suitable pounds, one on the east side of the San Antonio river, to be called the Alamo Pound, and the other on the west side thereof to be called the San Pedro Pound, at such places as he may deem most convenient, and he shall, also, by and with the consent of the City Council, appoint for each Pound a Pound-keeper.

SEC. 3 It shall be the duty of each pound keeper to take up and impound any such animal known to him to be running at large on his side of the river, within the prescribed limits; and also, to impound any such animal taken up and delivered to him for such purpose by any person over twenty-one years of age, when such person shall certify to the pound keeper, over his signature, that the same was found and taken up by him running at large within the limits prescribed by this ordinance; and for each failure or neglect so to do, he shall upon conviction therefor before the Recorder, be fined a sum not less than five dollars and costs, and any person so authorized, who shall take up and deliver to a pound keeper any such animal, shall be paid by him, on delivery, the sum of fifty cents.

SEC. 4. Each pound keeper shall, under the direction and control of the Mayor, take proper care of, and furnish at his own expense sufficient subsistance for all animals impounded by him; and all animals not redeemed within twenty-four hours after the same are impounded, he shall forthwith advertise, by posting four, or more written or printed notices, one of which shall be at the Court House door, another at his pound, another at each of the market houses, and another at one of the most public places on the side of the river where his pound is situated; and if the owner of such animal be known to him, from examination of the records of marks and brands, required by law to be recorded in the office of the District Clerk of Bexar county, to examine which it shall be his duty for the purpose of acquiring such knowledge; or if the owner thereof shall otherwise be known to him, he shall serve, or cause to be served, either by delivering to such owner in person, if he be a resident of the said city, or by leaving at his or her residence or place of business a copy of the same, which notice shall be in substance as follows:

POUND NOTICE!

Taken up in (Alamo, or San Pedro) pound on the——day of——187—, (here insert the description of the animal, giving marks and brands and name of the owner when known, or when unknown, stating "believing to be the property of)——which will, if not redeemed before sale, be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash at said pound, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the——day of ——18—

Pound Keeper.

And he shall sell such animal, unless the same be redeemed before the hour of sale, in accordance with the terms of such notices, on the third day after impounding the same, except when the sale day would fall upon Sunday, or a legal holiday, when the sale shall be made on the day following.

SEC. 5. Each pound keeper shall be entitled to a fee of one dollar for each animal impounded by him, and to fifty cents for each day, or part of a day, the same may be kept by him; and when any animal shall be sold in pursuance to the terms of this ordinance, he shall be entitled to an additional fee of one dollar, and he shall receive no other compensation; but the proceeds of the sales of all animals sold by him, after deducting his legal fees, shall be paid at the end of each month into the City Treasury. Each pound keeper shall also render to the Mayor, at the end of each month, a full statement under oath, of all animals received into his pound, giving a description of the same with the marks and brands, the names of the owner, when known, specifying those redeemed, and those sold, giving the name of the person taking up each animal, and also the dates of each of his transactions, and also an accurate account of all monies received and paid out by him as pound keeper, which statement shall be copied from a record book to be kept by him, in which he shall enter, from time to time as they occur, all matters required to be shown by such statement, and upon which he shall take the receipts of the owners for all animals by them redeemed, and of the persons to whom any animal or animals may have been sold; and for all animals sold by him he shall give descriptive bills of sale signed by him as pound keeper, and resulting the material facts.

SEC. 6. At any time before the sale of any animal, the owner thereof, or his agent, may redeem the same by paying to the pound keeper in possession, such fees as he may be entitled to under the provisions of this Ordinance.

SEC. 7. No person shall purchase, or be interested directly or indirectly, in the purchase of any animal taken up, impounded, or sold by him; and any one found guilty of violating this provision shall, upon conviction therefor before the Recorder, be fined not less than ten dollars, and if a pound keeper he shall be in addition thereto dismissed from office.

SEC. 8. If any person shall hinder or obstruct any pound keeper or other legally authorized person engaged in taking up either city pound any animal liable to be impounded; or shall break open or shall aid, assist or advise the breaking open of any city pound, he shall, upon conviction therefor, be fined not less than ten dollars.

SEC. 9. Any person who shall drive, or shall cause or advise to be driven, from without, to any place within, the limits prescribed in Section 1, of this Ordinance, any animal liable to be impounded, with the intent or design of having the same impounded shall, upon conviction therefor before the Recorder, be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars.

SEC. 10. Any pound keeper who shall knock or receive from the owner of any animal he may have impounded, or from the agent of such owner, a sum in excess of his legal fees as provided in this Ordinance, shall, upon conviction therefor, be fined not less than five dollars, and shall in addition thereto be removed from office.

SEC. 11. The owner of any animal which may be impounded and sold in accordance with the terms of this Ordinance, shall be entitled to the proceeds of such sale, after deducting all fees, costs, and fines legally chargeable to him, upon application to the Mayor, who shall upon such application issue his warrant for such excess, to the owner thereof, upon [illegible] Treasurer, for such amount.

Approved A. D. 1872.

Mayor, City of San Antonio.

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EUGENIO NAVARRO, City Clerk.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Bexar.
THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the administration the estate of J. D. Stith, deceased.—Greeting:—

N. O. Green, administrator of the estate of J. D. Stith, deceased, has filed his final account in the District Court of Bexar County, which will be acted upon at the next term of said Court beginning on the first Monday in February, A. D., 1872, at the court house thereof in the City of San Antonio, at which term all persons interested in said estate may appear and make objections thereto

Witness, Mortimer Blocum, Clerk of the District Court of Bexar county, and Seal of the said Court, at office in San Antonio, this 16th day of January, A. D. 1872.

M. BLOCUM,
18-1-72-w3t. Clk, Dist. Ct, Bexar Co.

CUSTOM HOUSE, Collector's Office,
PORT OF INDIANOLA, Dec. 5th, 1871.

To all whom it may concern:

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at Burbanks store in the city of Indianola, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the 1st day of January, 1872, the following described merchandise, which was imported into this port in the Prussian Brig Pluto, H. Henman, Master, from Southampton, England, on the 1st day of December, 1868, and consigned to Warner & Fryer, viz: 25 Railroad contractors Wagons, 1 Crub Winch.

The foregoing described merchandise is to be sold in conformity with the regulations of the Treasury Department provided for the disposition of bonded goods, remaining in Warehouse without payment of duties for the space of three years.

J. K. McCREARRY,
Collector of Customs, District of Saloria.
10-12-71d3tpw2w.

OFFICE of Chairman of Public Buildings and Grounds, Austin, Texas, January 9th, 1872.

Bids will be received at this office for the completion of the Artesian Wells in the Capitol yard, at the city of Austin, to a full supply of water, said bids to state the amount for which the bidder or bidders agree to remove the auger and shaft at present in the well, and clean it out to the depth already bored; and also for continuing the boring of the same from the depth already attained, until a full supply of water is obtained; bids to state the price per hundred feet, for the first hundred feet, and for each additional hundred feet to be bored. The well has been bored to a depth of some twelve hundred feet, more or less. There are some six or eight hundred feet of the pole or shafting attached to the auger remaining in the well.

Bids will also be received for the boring of an entirely new well alongside of the old one, such bids to state the price per hundred feet, for the first hundred feet, and for each additional hundred feet to be bored, until a full supply of water is obtained; the Board of Commissioners reserving the right to decide whether it will be most expedient to bore a new well or to clean out the old one.

Sealed tenders will be received until Thursday, the 22d day of February, A. D. 1872, and must be addressed to Hon. J. P. Newcomb, Chairman of Board of Public Buildings and Grounds, Austin, Texas, and endorsed "Tender for completion of Artesian Well." The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and the party or all bids, and the party or parties to whom any contract may be awarded will be required to enter into a good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of said contract, said bond to be approved by the Board.

J. E. OLDRIGHT,
Chairman pro tem. Board P. B. & A.
GEO. W. BONEY,
Secretary Board Public Commissioners.
16-1-72d-t-feb22.

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CIRCULAR

To Principals in Charge of Districts.

OFFICE OF SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
STATE OF TEXAS,
AUSTIN, January 12, 1872.

It is made the duty of principals to visit and examine all schools under their charge as often as possible, and to grade them when necessary. They will classify teachers, and make such recommendations to the supervisors of their districts and to this office as may be deemed necessary for the advancement of the cause of Education. They are particularly charged with the duty of organizing and opening schools in such localities as they may be needed, and in obtaining houses for school purposes, reporting their action in each case to the Board of Directors that proper leases may be made. It is desirable that houses be obtained, when possible, for merely a nominal rent, that the school fund may be saved for the payment of teachers and building houses in districts where the fund is not expended.

They will report punctually on the last day of each month, the public free schools under their supervision, stating the name of each teacher, postoffice address, class of certificate held, to what class assigned, number of pupils of each class in actual attendance, compensation of teacher, rent of house, date of opening school, lost time by teacher, if any, and any other matter of interest pertaining to the schools. The reports for each county will be made on separate sheets, (should a principal have more than one county under his charge,) and the names of teachers will be arranged alphabetically, except when two or more teachers are engaged in the same school, in which case the names of such teachers will be enclosed with brackets and the assistant teachers reported as such. Principals will, at the same time, forward copies of their reports to the supervisors of their educational districts, so that they may examine them and report to this office, should exception be taken to any portion thereof.

In order that supervisors and principals may comply with this circular, teachers will report their schools to them each month, on blanks furnished for the purpose.

As soon as possible after receiving the reports of principals and teachers, supervisors will forward a consolidated report of all schools in their districts.

The accounts of supervisors, principals and teachers will not be approved and paid until the required reports are received.

Principals will report any neglect of duty by board of directors and teachers, so that action may be taken and the necessary remedy be applied.

J. C. DeGRESS,
Supt. of Public Instruction,
State of Texas.
10-12-71d&wtf.

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EDITORIAL ITEMS.

ALEX. E. SWEET, Notary Public, Express office.

MAJ. G. B. RUSSELL and LIEUT. AUGUR of Gen. Augur's staff have arrived and are stopping at the Menger.

THE cattle ordinance gives satisfaction to all sensible persons, regardless of politics, and the same may be said of the purchase of the property at the head of the river.

GEN. AUGUR arrives to-day and relieves Gen. Reynolds. Gen. Augur is spoken of very highly as a gentleman and a soldier. Gen. Reynold, who leaves about the middle of next week, carries with him the best wishes of our citizens.

THE official list of drawn number of the South Carolina Land and Immigration Association's Gift Concerts drawn in Charleston, January 8th, 9th and 10th, 1872, has been received at this office, and can be inspected by any one interested.

GEO P. ROWELL & Co., the N. Y. Advertising Agents, have the monopoly of space and location in many hundred newspapers, and know, by their experience, just where to invest money to the best advantage.—Berkshire Courier.

FRINCE Ord, colored, is accused of taking unto himself and subsequently pawning, that familiar blue army overcoat with which Fayette Walker is wont to adorn his graceful person. Judge Klocke will investigate, and perhaps incarcerate the Prince.

HUTZLER has again charged up the employees of this office with a keg of his incomparable barley juice. It is amusing to see three or four of them standing around the keg making astronomical observations in different directions, and the radiant faces which are subsequently withdrawn from the bags. We took a mild draught ourselves, (we are tapering off preparatory to joining a temperance society), and found it good for the inner man.

A letter of the 20th inst. from Fort Griffin to Messrs. Adams & Wicken conveys the unwelcome intelligence, that the Indians have been down in force this moon. They have been seen on all the roads leading from Jacksborough, and had stolen 60 head of horses about 12 miles east of Fort Griffin. Two companies of cavalry had been sent in pursuit, but as the Indians had a start of 24 hours, their escape is very probable.

DISTANT readers of the Herald might suppose from recent numbers of that sheet that it was the Official Organ of the Army and its editorial rooms were at Head Quarters.

The facility with which it obtains copies of official documents may, however, be ascribed to the courtesy of officials who have no politics unless there is urgent necessity for it.

We hope the Herald and its copperhead friends will successfully curb their Democratic exuberance or spirits.

There is a German proverb to the effect that the donkey who felt his ears so much that he went on the ice, slipped up—and broke his leg.

RAILROADS—The popular idea that nothing would be done by Morgan in the way of completing the Indianola Road to this point is the correct one. As long as his steamers carry the freight for this section of the country, he is satisfied, and the railroad can go to H—ouston or anywhere else.

Mr. Pierce is even about of Morgan in the "masterly inactivity" line. He wrote to a gentleman in this city very recently, but he does not say railroad at all, which means a great deal.

The International seems to be the only live company we have. It combines capital and energy, and the prospect is that the road between here and Austin will be let out this year to contractors.

The State Journal speaks as follows of our new Department Commander:

Gen. Augur, who succeeds Gen. Reynolds as commander of the Department of Texas, arrived yesterday morning, and was received with military honors.

Gen. Augur is a thorough soldier, and since the civil war, has had several years experience in that most arduous and responsible field, the Indian frontier. Here he acquitted himself to the eminent satisfaction of both the whites and the Indians by a course of conduct upright, vigilant, and inflexibly just. He understands the savage characters and the wants of our extended frontier, and will be found adequate to the weighty duties of his position. We heartily welcome him to Texas.

We heartily reciprocate, and the permanent location of Department Headquarters in our city being now a fixed fact, congratulate ourselves and our citizens on welcoming that accomplished soldier and gentleman.

We noted the other day the assignment of Maj. Belger to this Department, but were unable to state, then, what the probabilities were in favor of this popular officer being stationed in San Antonio. As many of the old-time friends of the Major have asked us for information on this point, we have taken the trouble to ascertain.

Last February the Secretary of War issued an order to the effect that there should be become officer of the Quartermaster's Department at Department Head Quarters, upon whom all the duties of that branch should devolve. At the request of Gen. Ekin, whose health was then failing (which request was approved by Gen. Reynolds,) the order was suspended as far as this post was concerned, and Capt. Card was continued Depot Quartermaster. On the return of Gen. Ekin from the North with improved health, feeling that he was in a condition to attend to all the duties connected with the Quartermasters Department, he requested that the suspension of the order be removed and that he be assigned in accordance with the provisions of the order.

At the request of Capt. Card the matter was referred to the Headquarters of the military Division at Chicago, and Gen. Sheridan ordered that the papers should be sent back to Department Headquarters at this city, to await the arrival of General Augur, and it will thus be for Gen. Augur to determine whether the original order shall be carried out or not.

Maj. Belger having been ordered to the Department of Texas, by virtue of his rank as a field officer he would be entitled to the position of Depot Quartermaster, and he would thus relieve Capt. Card; supposing of course Gen. Augur required the services of a Depot Quartermaster. Should he not, however, then, both, Major Belger and Capt. Card, would be assigned to duty at Posts in the Department.

Knowing that Major Belger has many friends in our city, we have given the question of his possible assignment to duty at this Post more attention than is usually given to such matters.

Religious Services To-day.

Roman Catholic Cathedral—Sunday Mass at 5 a. m. High Mass and Sermon in Spanish at 9½ a. m. Religious instruction for the children at 3 p. m. Vespers at 4 p. m.

St. Mary's. Mass at 7 a. m. High Mass and Sermon in English at 9 a. m. Religious instruction for children at 3 p. m. Vespers at 4 p. m. Catechism for boys on Wednesday, at 11 a. m. Catechism for girls on Wednesday at 4 p. m.

Polish Chapel. During Advent, Mass at 8 a. m. High Mass and Sermon in Polish at 10 a. m.

Ursuline Chapel. Mass at 6½ a. m. High Mass and Sermon in English at 9½ a. m. Vespers at 4½ p. m.

German Church. High Mass and Sermon in German at 11 a. m. Religious instruction for children at 3 p. m., Sunday.

German Lutheran, Rev. J. Graeweiler, Pastor, Sunday—service and sermon at 10½ a. m.

Methodist, Rev. Buckner Harris.
Sunday—service and sermon at 10½ a. m.
Sunday School at 3 p. m.
Thursday—Prayer Meeting at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian, Rev. J. H. Kirby.
Sunday—Service and sermon at 11 a. m. & 7 p. m.
Sunday School at 3 p. m.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 4 p. m.

Episcopal, Rector, Rev. W. R. Richardson.
Sunday—Service and Sermon 11 a. m.
" " " 4 p. m.
Sunday School " 3 p. m.
Colored Sunday School " 4½ p. m.
Catechising at evening service the first Sunday in each month.
Vestry Meeting, Wednesday evening after the first Sunday in the month, at 7 p. m. at St. Mark's Chapel.

THE City Council of this city, at its last meeting, did that for which the future generations of this city will remember it in gratitude. It repurchased the sources from whence the supply of water for the whole of this valley comes, at a reasonable price, and upon such terms that the most captious cannot complain. Some two hundred and forty acres of land, including all of the springs of the San Antonio River, including the starting points of all the irrigating ditches of this valley, except those from the San Pedro, covering the most valuable hard-rock quarry in the vicinity of the city, and controlling the supply of water for this city, for all time, and for every purpose, has been regained by the wise action of a city council who have repeatedly shown, that the future, as well as the present, welfare of the city is to it paramount to every other interest. The whole of this property is now dedicated to the public uses of the citizens of San Antonio, and is placed beyond the power of any future 'Tammany' ring.

Some parties who remember the nice little plunder realized from the sale of the same property for a mere song, by city authorities who had neither the "fear of God nor man before their eyes," may complain of the price to be paid. They will insinuate that Mr. Brackenridge has realized a snug little profit, and that the citizens of San Antonio are to be taxed for his benefit.—This class of persons are those who had not a word of protest to offer when the property was thrown away for the gain of a few unscrupulous speculators.

Let us see what the real value of the purchase is to the citizens of San Antonio, present and future. Nothing can be more apparent than the absolute necessity that the public should have entire and untrammelled control of its water supplies. With all of the springs of the river in the hands of private individuals, not a dam can be erected, a water pipe laid, a right of way obtained, a drop of water used, without first responding in damages. Even if these rights and privileges could be obtained at reasonable rates, it would be found that those reasonable rates would exceed in cost at the end of fifty years, the present price paid for an absolute and indefeasible right to the whole property. Endless litigation has been headed off, and our city has had some bitter experience as to the cost of litigation with grasping and unprincipled individuals.

The time is coming, too, when all of the property purchased will be needed for a public park, a place of recreation and resort for the people of a populous city; and who is there among us who is not confident of the future growth and expansion of San Antonio? When the projected railroads centering here shall have been built, when the inevitable immigration shall begin to pour in, when the abundant resources of this portion of Texas shall begin to develope, and the trade which naturally centers here shall begin to be felt, who can estimate the growth, and with the growth the necessities of the Queen City of Texas? Ten years from now the dream of the wildest enthusiast is more than likely to be realized. "Old things will have passed away, and behold! all things have become new!" With a population of fifty to one hundred thousand inhabitants, can the value of the control of the San Antonio Springs be over-estimated? But if the city should postpone the purchase of them until then, what would be the price demanded and obtained? Not less than ten times the present price paid.

We regard Mr. Brackenridge as a public benefactor, for relinquishing to the City for so reasonable a price, a property of such infinite value to the future welfare of the inhabitants of this city.

The City issues its bonds for $60,000 currency, payable in fifty years, bearing interest at eight per cent. The burden of payment, which will be no burden at all fifty years hence, will fall upon a future generation, who will by many thousands more grateful for the boon conferred upon them by the present generation. There is no doubt but the city will save, and realize from rents and otherwise, annually more than sufficient to meet the interest as it becomes due.

We, therefore, again congratulate our citizens upon the purchase of property which, ten or twenty years hence would cost ten times as much, and which will be indispensible to the future public as light and air, sunshine and rain.

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Geo T McGehee, San Marcos;
D Belbaitz, New Orleans;
G Costley, Medina;
A Grovermann, jr., Baltimore;
Maj G B Russell, U S A;
J A Augur, U S A;
Mrs Walton and daughter, Miss;
J S Todd, Lynnville;
V B Foote, Galveston;
C Harris, Galveston.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE!

HAVING purchased the Stock of Mrs. Mayer I will continue to sell the same, at her old stand, until the 1st of March — at cost. J. H. FRENCH.
10-1-72-3tW.)

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THE copartnership under the firm and style of WULFF & SCHETELIG at Chihuahua, Mexico, and San Antonio expires this first day of January 1872. A. F. Wulff at San Antonio liquidating and settling all the affairs of both places.
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OFFICE OF ADJUTANT GENERAL,
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General Orders No. 1.

I. The following act of the Twelfth Legislature is published for the information and guidance of all concerned:

AN ACT TO MUSTER INTO SERVICE MINUTE MEN FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE FRONTIERS.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas. That there shall be mustered into the service of the State, twenty four companies of minute men, for the protection of the frontier from the raids of the Indians and other marauding parties. The term of service to be for twelve months from the day of general muster; each company to consist of one lieutenant, to be elected by the company, two sergeants, two corporals and fifteen men, to be stationed in each of the following counties, to wit: Montague, Cook, Wise, Jack, Parker, Palo Pinto, Erath, Comanche, Brown, San Saba, Hamilton, Lampasas, Bornet, Llano, Mason, Gillespie, Blanco, Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Medina, Uvalde, Maverick and Webb.

SEC. 2. That the minute companies, organized by virtue of this act, shall at all times hold themselves in readiness to meet and repel an Indian raid, or depredations on the frontier counties of the State.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State to see that the minute companies are provided with arms and ammunition suitable to this service.

SEC. 4. That the minute companies shall not be called into the field at any other time than in this act is provided, unless the officer in command shall receive notice that there is, or unless there is a strong probability of an Indian or other marauding raid, or unless he shall receive notice from the officer commanding in an adjoining post, that his services are required in the field.

SEC. 5. That the minute companies shall receive the sum of two dollars per diem, for the time actually taken in the field in guarding the frontier; but the time shall in no case exceed ten days in any one calendar month; and no person shall be enrolled as private of the said minute men, unless he be an inhabitant of the county, or the county adjoining.

SEC. 6. That the officer in command of a minute company shall keep up his communications with the minute companies adjoining, and that he shall be allowed to expend no more than thirty dollars per month in this service; but he shall not receive pay, unless he shall present vouchers for the amount per month, expended in this service, therein specifying the party performing service, and the nature thereof; and no money shall be paid from the Treasury of the State unless proper vouchers are had.

SEC. 7. That the pay of the minute companies organized by virtue of this act, shall come out of the balance (after paying of the ranger companies now in service) of the money now in the hands of the Governor, the proceeds of the appropriation of the bonds issued for the frontier defense by an act approved August 5, 1870, and should there be a balance remaining of the said moneys after paying off said ranger companies, and the minute men organized by virtue of this act, for twelve months service, then the remainder of the moneys, if any, shall be paid over by the Governor into the State Treasury, to be applied to the future protection of the frontier.

SEC. 8. That every minute man shall provide himself with a good and sufficient horse, such as the officer in command of company shall accept as suitable for the service, and if any minute man's horse shall be killed, prematurely disabled, or unavoidably lost in action, the same shall be paid for by the State; the amount to be assessed by the three highest officers in command not interested in the award; that the commanding officer in charge shall make a monthly report to the Governor of the State, of his command, and the nature of the service performed.

SEC. 9. That should marauding companies of Indians succeed in seizing any property of the frontier citizens, the same on identification shall be delivered up to the owners free of charges and should there be any cost incurred in taking charge thereof, the cost shall be borne by the State. But should there be no owner found for property taken, the same shall be divided among the captors, share and share alike.

Approved November 25, 1871.

Minute companies will be accepted into the service of the State, and officers commissioned, when the provisions of the foregoing act are complied with.

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

10-1-72dAtwlm.

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Angelina—	S Threadwell,	Benj F Hill,
Archer—	Unorganized.	
Atascosa—	Coleman Lyons,	L W Peacock,
Austin—	Thos Chapman.	William Green,
Bandera—	W E Westerfield,	T C Rhine,
Bastrop—	R F Campbell,	Joseph Jung,
Baylor—	Unorganized.	
Bee—	Thos J Smith,	Thos Marsden.
Bell—	James Leach,	W J Long,
Bexar—	M Steele,	H D Bonner,
Blanco—	J W Hermann,	Thos Odiorne,
Bosque—	R L Nicholson,	Sam Fossett,
Bowie—	A C Hankins,	R M Johnson,
Brazoria—	Chas Holmes,	E Kolkow,
Brazos—	C F Moore,	W B Forman,
Brown—	Irving Moore,	Grisham Eno,
Burleson—	F M Hunt,	R F Jackson,
Burnet—	H Posey,	R W Cates,
Caldwell—	James A Wiley,	J L Lewis,
Calhoun—	C W Hartup,	Joseph Cahn,
Callahan—	Unorganized.	
Cameron—	R B Foster,	Wm Scanlon,
Chambers—	John O White,	F M Wallis,
Cherokee—	Wm L Byrd,	R B Reagan,
Clay—	Unorganized.	
Collin—	J M Benge,	W N Bush,
Colorado—	Geo S Ziegler,	Chas Schmidt
Colorado—	D Grumpers,	Jno M Elkins,
Comal—	Aug Schmitz,	Charles Roser,
Comanche—	Wm Carpenter,	F M Brown,
Concho—	Unorganized.	
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Coryell—	W H Woodburn,	Eli W Franks,
Dallas—	J M Laws,	J M Brown,
Davis—	J F Wood,	J K McKenna
Dawson—	Unorganized.	
Denton—	J R McCormick,	Wm F Egan,
DeWitt—	Wm Grafton,	.....
Delta—	M L Ward,	E Blackwell,
Dimmitt—	Unorganized.	.....
Duval	"	.....
Eastland	"	.....
Edwards	"	.....
Ellis—	Chas K Gibson,	John F King,
El Paso—	Edward Stine,	Chas E Ellis,
Encinal—	Unorganized.	
Keith	Geo W Gentry,	F M Ross,
Falls—	Jas M Hart,	B F Scogin,
Fannin—	Charles Doss,	J M McKee,
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Taylor—	Unorganized.	.....
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Policy of the Administration.

In conclusion, I would sum up the policy of the Administration to be a thorough enforcement of every law, a faithful collection of every tax provided for, economy in the disbursement of the money, a prompt payment of every debt of the nation, a reduction of the taxes as rapidly as the requirements of the country will admit, the reduction of taxation and tariff to be so arranged as to afford the greatest relief to the greatest number, honest and fair dealing with all other people, to the end that war, with all its lingering consequences, may be avoided, but without surrendering any right or obligation of the nation, secured to it by the treaty of Vienna and in the whole civil service of the country, and finally in securing a pure, uncorrupted ballot, where every man entitled to vote may vote once for the person of his choice, without fear or molestation or proscription on account of his political faith, nativity or color.

U. S. GRANT.

Washington, Dec. 5, 1870.

Newspapers and Postage.

We would call the special attention of Postmasters and subscribers to the following synopsis of the newspaper laws:

1. A Postmaster is required to give notice by letter (returning a paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reason for the not taking it, and a neglect to do so makes the Postmaster responsible [illegible] ment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the Postoffice, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If a person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages or the publisher may continue to send it until the payment is made.

4. If the subscriber orders his paper to be stopped at a certain time, and the publisher continues to send it, the subscriber is bound to pay for it if he takes it from the Postoffice. The law proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses.

5. The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers or periodicals from the Postoffice, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

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Bueno Ayres—In South America, a [illegible] is worth 44 cents. The currency of Buenos Ayres is depreciated and subject to fluctuations. The current money consists of gold, dollars worth [illegible] cents, silver, worth 85 cents, copper dollars, worth [illegible] cents, and many other articles, are bought in this country. Silver brings from [illegible] premium for hard coin, according to [illegible] which [illegible] make one hard dollar. Gold, silver, copper, all are in the medium. Oil hides, tallow and all other local produce are bought in this place, of which eight make one dollar piece of ore, sixteen to the doubloon. Hides in Buenos Ayres are sold by the [illegible] at [illegible] pounds. A pounds of silver value [illegible] pounds Spanish gold doubloon. A quintal (cwt) or Spanish hundred weight, equal to 101 pounds Spanish, equivalent to 100 English pounds. An arroba (weight) is one quarter of quintal, 25 pounds Spanish.

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In our own country, a War upon corruption and venality in office has been inaugurated in our City, whereby the government of our State has been revolutionized through an initial triumph of Reform which surpasses the most sanguine anticipations. It is morally certain that the movement thus inaugurated cannot, in its great, be circumscribed by any locality or any party, but that its purifying influence is destined to be felt in every part of the Union, rebuking venality, exposing robbery, wresting power from politicians by trade, and confiding it in those worthiest and fittest to wield it. To this beneficent and vitally needed Reform, THE TRIBUNE will devote its best energies, regardless of personal interests or party predilections, assuming the choice of honest and faithful men to office as of all New Departures the most essential and auspicious.

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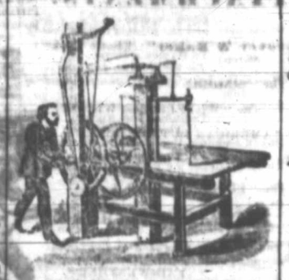

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Any one disturbing or selling any of the above brands and marks, without authority from me, will be dealt with according to law.

JNO. YANCE.

Castroville, Oct. 5, 1871. (10-13-71w3m

Notice to Builders.

PROPOSALS to be received for building a Rock Jail in the town of San Saba, until the first of April, 1872, according to plan and specification, to D. D. Low, District Clerk of San Saba county; the building to be 20x16 feet, and two stories high; bids will be received for the stone work separate, or the whole together.

17-8-71w4.

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Taker up of said mule.

14-12-71w4t.

NOTICE.

TAKEN up by John P. Mosely, and estrayed before August Buckman, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3, Mason county, one bay pony, 13 hands high, eleven years old, right ear split, branded with a diamond on the left shoulder, and J2 on the right shoulder, valued and appraised at $20. WILSON BEY,

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6-12-71w6t.

LOST LAND CERTIFICATE.

CERTIFICATE No. 204, granted by W. C. Evans, Commissioner of Fisher & Millers Colony, April 20th, 1849, to heirs of Johann Philipp Michel, dec'd, for 640 acres of land, dated April 20th, 1849, has been lost or mislaid. If not found within the time prescribed by law, I will apply to the proper authorities for a duplicate.

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