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THE attention of the public is called to this [illegible]

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BY [illegible]

O, sweet, shy girl, with roses in her heart
And love-light in her face, like those upgrown;
Full of still dreams and thoughts that, dreamlike start
From fits of solitude when not alone!
Gay dancer over thresholds of bright days.
Tears quick to her eyes as laughter to her lips!
A game of hide-and-seek with Time she plays,
Time hiding his eyes from her in blithe eclipse.
O, gentle-souled! How dear and good she is!
Blessed by soft dews of happiness and love;
Cradled in tenderest arms! Her mother's kiss
Seals all her good-night prayers. Her father's smile
Brightens her mornings. Through the Earth may move
Her child-sweet soul, not far from Heaven the while!
—*The Independent.*

Temperance in Eating.

BY L. MARIA CHILD.

[From the National Standard.]

Dr. Dio Lewis, who is persistently busy in calling attention to the laws of health, is out again with a book entitled "Our Digestion," in which he reiterates his arguments in favor of simple food, and that in moderate quantities, with outdoor exercise, frequent bathing in water and sunshine, and careful attention to purity in the water we drink and the air we breathe; and these sanitary cautions and instructions are enlivened with anecdotes and conversations in the doctor's off-hand, lively style.

Of all benefactors of the human race, I think he who could do most to persuade men to simplicity and moderation in their diet would deserve to rank the highest. Blessed as are the physical effects of such a system, they are less important than the mental and moral consequences. When the functions of the body are not overtasked, the capacity for all kinds of enjoyment is immensely increased; the spirits are more amiable, and the mind more vigorous and active; the world looks brighter, the burden of inevitable disappointments and vexations slides off more easily, and we are better disposed to judge kindly of our fellow beings. I apprehend that overtaxing the powers of the stomach, by excess in quantity of food, or by its too great variety, or richness, is a more universal agency than any other in producing domestic bickerings, discontent, and gloom.

The ruinous effects of intemperate drinking are too glaring to be overlooked by the most casual observer. Less notice is taken of the disastrous consequences of intemperate eating; yet they are quite as inevitable, and more universal. Dyspepsia, fevers, apoplexy, gout, and virulent humors, irritability of temper, habitual dissatisfaction, the inertia which renders useful employment burthensome, and the listlessness which deprives men of pleasure in the beauties of Nature or Art, are all more justly attributable to overloaded stomachs, than to any other one cause. If you find a man habitually light-hearted, of equal temper, of ready sympathies, with a keen zest for recreation, and a genuine delight in his work, bodily or mental, you may be sure that man eats to live, and does not live to eat. He not only escapes the penalties which always follow the violation of Nature's laws, but he has more pleasure than the glutton or the gourmand, in a mere physical point of view; for only those who live simply, eat moderately, and of few things at one meal, can experience the greatest enjoyment that food is capable of imparting.

We should be startled if we could realize the number of valuable lives prematurely shortened by in attention to the laws of health with regard to diet. Society is prone to kill its favorites with kindness. Charles Dickens would probably be alive now if he had not accepted so many invitations to luxurious dinners; so would John A. Andrew, and Anson Burlingame.

If I were asked what were the most important rules for the preservation of health, I should say, First when the demands of nature are satisfied, never eat another mouthful merely because it tastes good; Second, never indulge in a variety of viands at the same meal, but confine yourself strictly to two or three articles; Third, never eat in the evening.

Old people cannot, with impunity, eat as much as was harmless for them when young. Their food should be light and nutritious; they should eat less at a time, and more frequently, than when the powers of nature were more vigorous. Dr. Lewis advises total abstinence from suppers; and I know by experience that the advice is excellent. For many years I have been in the habit of tasting no food after dinner; and I can testify that it produces undreaming, refreshing sleep, and imparts a peculiar enjoyable relish to ones breakfast.

The Way of Transgressors.

The way of a Democrat is as hard as that of any transgressor. He is required to love to-day a man that till yesterday he had taught all his life to hate. And he don't know but that next week he will be required to flop again and hate him. And in each case this turn of his feelings is demanded as party fealty. A month ago who would have thought that the support of Horace Greeley as the Democratic candidate for the presidency would be a test of Democracy? Yet such it has become. And furthermore, not to shout for Horace Greeley as the Democratic candidate is declared proof of having been bribed by the enemy. This is the chief exercise of the Democratic mind at this time: to denounce every Democrat who refuses to go for Horace Greeley as having been bought up by Grant.

In most cases they are able to state the consideration agreed to be paid for the Democratic man or journal that has pronounced against the Democratic nomination of Greeley, and the time and place where the bargain was made. It seems to be conceded that every Democratic public man or journal has his price, and not a high price. And it seems to be assumed as a matter of course by those who best know the Democratic character, that he who does not advocate the Democratic nomination of Horace Greeley has received his price. And unfortunately, if the Democrat takes up the Greeley cry, he takes the risk that in the course of six weeks he may be disgraced for the desertion of his party by advocating the nomination of such a pestiferous Republican Radical. We see no place where a sincere Democrat can find peace save in the fold of the serene Republican party.

WOOL.

[From the New York Sun.]

The statistics of wool growing for the last ten years show some curious fluctuations. In 1861 the home production of wool was estimated at 55,000,000 pounds; in 1868 it was 155,000,000 pounds; in 1871 it fell to 128,000,000 pounds, the smallest product since 1865.

Under the stimulus of the war demand, and the protection afforded by the premium on gold, farmers entered into wool-growing extensively, and the number of sheep was nearly doubled in six years. At the close of the war prices fell rapidly, and farmers, seized with despondency, hastened to reduce their flocks. The destruction began in the autumn of 1868, and resulted in the diminution of the aggregate number of sheep by at least four millions during the winter. Even in New England they were killed for their pelts and tallow.

From 1871 to 1867 the increase in wool was relatively larger than the increase in sheep. This was the result of the introduction of merino blood in breeding. The coarse-wool flocks of Texas, California, Colorado, and even New Mexico, have been improved by the infusion of new blood, which has in all cases tended to an increase in the weight of the fleece.

For many years to come California and the Territories of the Far West will form the great wool producing section of the country. In California this interest has already acquired great importance. That State has now about eight millions of sheep, which will be increased by at least three million lambs the present season. The sheep are sheared twice a year, and with a good season the two clips might be expected to average ten pounds per head. This would make the wool crop of California 80,000,000 pounds, or 25,000,000 more than the total product of the United States in 1861. This spring's clip, however, is not expected to yield over four and a half pounds, instead of six, which is the average for the spring clip in the best of seasons; but even this will amount to 36,000,000 pounds for the spring clip alone. The spring clip is expected to bring thirty-five cents a pound, returning over $12,000,000 to the growers, with another clip to come in the fall.

It is estimated that the actual cost of producing wool in California is less than ten cents a pound. California wool comes into the market two months earlier than that of Canada and the Atlantic States, and it shrinks less, in consequence of the dry climate. The price of common wool in the New York market on the 1st of May was, in 1861, 32 cents per pound; in 1862, 42 cents per pound; in 1863, 70 cents; in 1864, 70 cents; in 1865, 65 cents; in 1866, 65 cents; in 1867, 48 cents; in 1868, 45 cents; in 1869, 45 cents; in 1870, 44 cents; in 1871, 48 cents; in 1872, 70 cents. Other grades of wool have fluctuated in proportion during these years.

In the Atlantic for June Holmes says: "I suppose we all, those of us who write in verse or prose, have the habitual feeling that we should like to be remembered. It is to be awake when all those who were found us have been long wrapped in slumber. It is a pleasant thought enough that the name by which we have been called shall be familiar on the lips of those who come after us, and the thoughts that wrought themselves out in our intelligence, the emotions that tremble through our frames, shall live themselves over again in the minds and hearts of others. But is not something of rest, of calm, in the thought of gently and gradually fading away out of human remembrance? What line have we written that was on a level with our conceptions? What page of ours that does not betray some weakness we would fain have left unrecorded? To become a classic and share the life of language is to be ever open to criticisms, to comparisons, to the caprices of successive generations, to be called into court and stand a trial before a new jury, once or more than once in every century. To be forgotten is to sleep in peace with the undisturbed myriads, no longer subject to the chills and heats, and blasts, the sleet, the dust, which assail in endless succession that shadow of a man which we call his reputation."

The New York *Herald* prints a list of one hundred and twenty-eight journals that support the Cincinnati ticket. When it is remembered that there are between five and six thousand newspapers in the country, it will be seen that the strength of the Liberal movement in this direction is positively alarming.

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Official Journal of the United States.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF BEXAR COUNTY.

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1872.

The Flores Street School Affair.

The public has awaited a promised report of the investigation by the school board of the "*Small*" matter, heretofore fruited in the *Herald*. We have awaited the report of the members of the board of education who conducted the examination into the charges made against the principle of the school, but so far no report has been made.

We were invited to attend the examination into the affair, and, on account of the gravity of the charges made, did so, neglecting private, in order to perform a public duty. It is impossible to conceive any good reason why the members of the board should not make a public report. Their failure to do so indicates a lamentable want of appreciation of their duties, or a despicable lack of courage. Surely justice lies somewhere, and is due both to the public, as well as to the teacher, that some authoritative determination of the case should be made known. It was for this purpose, no doubt, that Miss Towne demanded an investigation.

A serious charge had been made against her, and published to the world. Not merely the good repute of the school was endangered, but the valuable reputation of an experienced teacher. When a physician is accused of malpractices he vindicates his reputation if need be. So with any other profession. Is the reputation of a teacher of less worth—the services less valuable to mankind?—is the calling not the most honorable of all? It is surely; and above all, and before all is the female teacher who devotes her life to teaching and training the children of others.

You would despise the man who would slander the mother of his children—you would pity the daughter and call her depraved were she to forget the homage respect and duty she owed to her parent. But next to the parent is the faithful teacher. She is, for the time being, *in loco parentis*. It is her duty to teach not only from books, but to teach good conduct, good morals, and a proper discipline. How is that taught by the parent? We need not explain, but soever the parent may teach, in that manner the teacher may and ought to teach.

So much we have thought proper to say briefly concerning the position and duty of the teacher whom we have named.

Now the public are interested in knowing, and want to know, how that teacher performed her duty. For the present, at least, we deem it sufficient to assert in a general way that the investigation developed no single fact not creditable to her. It was apparent that she had exercised, under the circumstances, a remarkable control of what is usually called "temper," that she proved herself possessed of good judgment, and that she neither did or said anything diserving of censure. The statement gotten up by a prominent lawyer and which was published in the *Herald*, was gotten up after the manner of common law declarations in suits for trespass on the case—or rather suits for false imprisonment. The dictionary is exhausted in exaggerating the "laying on" of a hand.

We make this statement and assertion, which ought to have been made by the members of the school board, in justice to an experienced, capable and accomplished teacher-sensitive ot wrong done to herself, and eager to do justice, as well as brave enough to demand justice.

A New Departure.

The Republican party of Texas has passed the severe ordeal which inevitably awaited it when first organized. It has stood the test, and its course henceforth will be onward and upward. At the close of the war, any party that supported the Government was denounced as a "Yankee concern," and every effort was made to excite the embittered feelings of the Southern people against it; and, unfortunately for all concerned, these efforts were too successful. When the colored people were enfranchised, they naturally and justly voted with the Republican party, the party that maintained their rights as freemen; hence, the Republican party was denounced as a "nigger party," and all the odium possible was cast upon it from this source. While the State Government was under military rule, and even after the present Republican civil administration went into operation, men were justly sought for the offices who were in sympathy with the Government of the United States; hence, the Republican administration was denounced as a "government of carpet-baggers and scalawags;" and yet this was caused by the fact that the Southern people, as a rule, kept themselves aloof from all sympathy with and support of the Government.

But the day for all these things has now happily passed. Many of the best men and old citizens of the country, after the sober second thought, have given up their former bitterness, have given their support to the Government, and are now acting with the Republican party. Every class of the people of Texas is now represented in the Republican party, and the numbers from each class are increasing daily. The Republican party of Texas is now the party of the people.

There is no need any longer to appoint strangers to office in preference to the old citizens of the State. We have no objection to a man because he is a stranger; on the contrary we welcome him, and would welcome thousands more. But the government of the State ought to be in the hands of the people of the State. No State can ever prosper until its settled citizenship controls the administration of its affairs. And the republican party has no need to be dependent on strangers; it has plenty of the very best men of the old citizenship of the State within its ranks. Besides the alienating influence of seeing strangers occupying most of the offices, many bad mistakes have been made by appointing strange and unknown men to office, some of whom have turned out to be mere incompetent adventurerers, and others of whom have turned out to be bad men.

All this must stop. No more strangers must be appointed to office, and we must get rid of that portion of them who are unacceptable as fast as we can. The people of Texas are not unwilling to embrace Republicanism, but they are unwilling to be ruled by irresponsible strangers, and we do not blame them. The republican party of Texas must be led by the best men in Texas, and be thoroughly identified with the people of Texas.—*H. Union.*

Notes from Washington.

The Japanese Great Fair at Kiyoto. Admission of Foreigners.—Hotel Fares.—Insight into Japanese Domestic Life.—The Japanese Embassy in Washington.—A Japanese Student's Opinion of American character and Society.—Christianity in Japan.—The Mikado a Convert.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24th, 1872.

NAVAL DESPATCHES FROM JAPAN.

The Navy Department at Washington has just received from Rear Admiral Rogers a plan, in colors, of the great central city of Kyoto, where an extensive national fair is being held. Among the dispatches are copies of the rules for admitting foreigners into Kiyoto, and also hotel regulations and rules for the direction of exhibitors at the Fair. From these documents I have attempted to cull, in condensed form, some interesting facts for the information of the readers of the EXPRESS, and added a few brief notes about the movement of the Japanese Embassy now in Washington.

Kiyoto, or as known on our Maps, Miaco, is a large and beautiful city near the geographical centre of Niphon, the largest of the group of islands composing the empire. Kiyoto was the former residence of the Mikado, who for two centuries has been the spiritual rather than the temporal ruler of Japan, the latter function having been usurped by a former Tycoon, who held his court at Yedo. This has passed away within a few years, and the Micado is now temporal as well as spiritual head. Kiyoto lies nearly half way between the inland sea and the Japan sea, which are at this point about eight miles apart. The inland sea is described in the dispatches, and by our naval officers, as a beautiful sheet of water, with picturesque shores, alternating in fertile, well cultivated small farms and wooded tracts that give so much beauty to Japanese scenery.

EXCLUSION OF FOREIGNERS.

Since the expulsion of the Jesuits and the massacre of the Japanese who professed and persisted in Christianity, foreigners have not entered Kiyoto, except on one occasion, some four years ago. The readers will remember upon that occasion that members of the French embassy were attacked in consequence of a misapprehension of a Japanese nobleman, and that he and certain of his followers were executed in consequence.

The opening of a grand Fair in this great interior city; the abolishing of the law excluding foreigners, and the invitation given to strangers from other nations to come and exhibit their wares at the Fair, are notable marks in the advancement of this progressive, and in many respects, remarkable people.

REGULATIONS ADMITTING FOREIGNERS.

The rules admitting foreigners are as follows:

1. Consuls of the different nations at Osaka, the port on the Inland sea, will give a pass, over the consular seal, containing a number, the name of the bearer and his nationality. This pass is to be shown when required, and if not produced no one is permitted to proceed.

2. Foreigners are not permitted to go beyond the jurisdiction of the district of Kiyoto except to Biwa lake, in the district of Omi, nor will they be permitted to encroach on private grounds.

3. Any one who wishes to exhibit his wares is required previously to obtain a permit through his consul at Osaka, and when obtained can go one week before the fair opens, and stay as long after it has closed.

Guards will be in attendance on foreigners day and night, and will be distinguished by two red bands round the cuff of each sleeve, separated by a white band.

Should a foreigner be attacked, lose his way, be treated impolitely or have any difficulty, he will place himself under their protection, and they must assist him.

Articles on exhibition should have the owner's name and residence marked upon them, and those for sale should have the price affixed, and if not for sale it should be stated.

Inventions and machinery should have description and uses attached. The committee of exhibition receipt for all articles placed on exhibition, and upon the return of the receipt for the article, will be returned; when sold a small percentage will be retained to aid in covering expenses, and when articles not for sale are exhibited a small gratuity will be allowed to the owner.

Judges will be appointed to decide upon the merits of the articles exhibited.

Foreigners who have passes will register them at the proper authority at the port where obtained, giving name and nationality and time when they will go to Kiyoto, that hotel arrangements may be made for him.

HOTEL CHARGES AND BILLS OF FARE.

Hotel fares will be divided into three classes and charges as follows:

First class, fare per day four rigos, equal to $1.23—Breakfast: Coffee, milk, sugar and bread.

Dinner: Fish, eggs, beafsteak, game stew, potatoes, vegetables, cakes, fruits, bread, coffee and sugar.

Supper: Soup, fish, mutton chop, salad, roast beef, vegetables, cakes, fruit, bread coffee and sugar.

JAPANESE CUSTOMS.

The Japanese wear sandals secured to the feet by thongs. These are always taken off at the entrance of the house, just inside the door, and are never placed upon the matting either when worn or when taken off. The rooms are formed by moveable paper partitions, or screens, that extend to the ceiling, and are very portable and convenient for making the apartment of any size required.

The wardrobe of the individual furnishes the covering, the floor itself is a very clean, wholesome and pleasant bed, and a bamboo pillow, that can be bought for a penny, completes the arrangements for the night.

The civilization of the Japanese differs so widely from the European and our own as to make a comparison, if not impossible, at least not satisfactory.

CARE OF THEIR CHILDREN AND YOUTH.

It is bare justice to the Japanese to say that in no country in Christendom is greater care taken of children, or more respect paid to the aged and the infirm, or to those who exercise authority. Infanticide is less common with them than with Europeans or with us.

Their youths are being educated with us and in Europe, and exhibit that great respect for order and authority which distinguishes them at home, and as well that indomitable patience, that passive energy which, with at least average ability, surmounts readily the ordinary obstacles which prove stumbling blocks to many of our race.

They are informing themselves thoroughly in all the sciences, and fully comprehend them. They understand as fully and as comprehensively as we do that commerce or trade means and confers a reciprocal advantage without which it would cease to exist, without any law; and, indeed, no laws could be framed to support it against the presumed advantages of both parties.

Interview with General Hooker.

A dispatch to the New York *Tribune*, says: "In this morning's issue of *The Daily Chronicle* appears a long account of an interview between General Joe Hooker and a *Chronicle* reporter, which attracts wide attention here. General Howard recently admitted to this reporter that he was to blame for the failure at Chancellorsville. This having been published, led to an interview with General Hooker, who stated to the reporter that Howard's admission was a tardy and imperfect one. He spoke of Howard as incompetent and disobedient; said that he was better fitted to lead a prayer meeting than an army corps; that he was sent on his Arizona expedition to avoid a Freedman's Bureau investigation. He denounced Grant as having no more moral sense than a dog, and expressed the conviction that Greeley will be the next President. He ridiculed Sherman, Halleck, Carl Schurz, Stoneman, and Averill. He is in favor of General Amnesty. He declares his intention to cause the Chancellorsville matter to be cleared up, so that the blame may rest on Howard, where, he says, it properly belongs. The matter will, undoubtedly, create a profound sensation in the East.

Greeley and our Frontier.

How do the suffering people of the frontier like the prospect of supporting for the Presidency that bald headed philantropist Horace Greeley? Who has done more than any other American to create a false and romantic halo around the "noble red man," to sustain the fiendish murders and abductions of women and children, and to smother the voice of retributive justice at the graves of the victims.

Come up, ye hard fisted yeomanry and pioneers of civilization, to the support of the lecture fed theorist, who in the Cooper Institute, and the columns of the *Tribune*, blazons forth each painted and marauding murderer who falls under the bolt of justice as a "martyr," but has no word of sympathy for the hundreds of his scalped and raged victims who sleep in their forgotten graves. Hurrah for the Indian philanthropist Greeley.—*State Journal.*

[COMMUNICATED.]

Party Progress.

Sixteen years ago the Republican party in its youth had its first round with the giant Democracy, and was defeated—four years later, when it had arrived at its majority, it met the Democracy and was victorious; since which time it has administered upon the estate of this government, to the satisfaction of the people—the proof of which is that Democracy is now *moribund*.

This defunct Democratic party now propose to take what was the head of the Republican party in 1856, but owing to the progress of that party, is now its fag end; and true to its instincts, thinks it can smuggle into the haven of power the whole dead carcass of Democracy, by clinging to the tail end of the party of reform and progress. Large numbers of the Democratic party now endorse Horace Greeley. If he is right now, he was right in 1860. And the same party which now is willing to make any sacrifice to defeat the nominee of the Philadelphia Convention, will within the next decade insist that the present position of the Republican party is the only rational one that a free people can submit to.

It is encouraging for the future prosperity of this country, to know that the Conservative Constitution-as-it-was party, keeps only ten years in the rear. Ten years is a very short time in the history of a people, and this shows that the United States is pre-eminently a nation of progress. It is also encouraging to see the forgiving spirit and brotherly love manifested by the Democratic party in supporting the man for President who was the first to point out to them the erroneous course they were proceeding.

The Convention now assembled in Philadelphia, has only to take the same high stand the party has always taken—make judicious nominations, and in a few years hence the Democratic party will adopt the same platform and most of these people will think it is original with them.

The *Nation* newspaper, which was the strongest advocate of the Cincinnati movement and of reform until Cincinnati had proved itself a failure and a fraud, now takes strong ground against Mr. Greeley, and says: "His election to the Presidency would be the triumph of the combined forces of corruption and folly. Our firm belief is that there is not a political knave in the Union who has failed to get what he wants from Grant, who is not at this moment working for Greeley heart and soul."

The last English census shows the population of London to be 3,254,260. Only as long ago as 1801 the population was but 958,863. The present area of the city is given 78,080 square acres, or 122 square miles. The mean density of the population is forty-two persons per acre—150 in the central districts, 107 in the east, 56 in the north, 52 in the west, and only 21 in the south districts, which last include more than half the entire area of London.

The first railroad in America was built in 1826, to transport Quincy granite to tide water in Neponset river, a distance of three miles.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Special to the Express.

Night Dispatches.

BUFFALO, June 5.—John Ross, condemned for outraging a child, was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment. The Judge regretted that he could not sentence him to death.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.—Ex-Governor Claflin, of Massachusetts, called the Republican Convention to order, shortly after noon to-day, and after a brief speech in eulogy of the Republican party, called upon Rev. Alfred Reed, of Philadelphia, who delivered prayer.

Ex-Mayor Morton McMicheal of Philadelphia, was elected temporary Chairman, and made an address of thanks for the privilege of presiding, even for a short time, over the Convention. Paying the highest tribute to Grant, saying he was better, honester, truer than any of his detractors.

John Nowling, of New Jersey; Jno. R. Hubbard, of West Virginia, and Horam Roller, of Florida, were elected Secretaries.

Committees on credentials and permanent organization were appointed.

Afterwards, Thomas Settle, of North Carolina was elected President of the Convention.

One from South Carolina, and Hinderson of Maryland, were his only contestants.

Settle took the chair, offered some brief remarks and the Convention adjourned until 10 o'clock, to-morrow.

During the day speeches were made by Morton, Logan, Garrett, Smith, Gov. Oglesby, Jno. A. Gray, a colored delegate from Arkansas, and others, all of them in warm eulogy of Grant, who it is declared will be nominated by acclamation.

There is intense excitement over the Vice Presidency, the friends of Wilson and Colfax are both working with the greatest vim.

In the question of a platform, it is said the only diversity of opinion exists on the tariff.

RICHMOND, Va., June 5.—The International Typographical Union selected Montreal as the place of holding the next annual meeting.

Mr. Tracy of Chicago, spoke eloquently in regard to the action of the printers throughout the world, in rendering relief to their brethren in Chicago, after the great fire, and in their behalf returned thanks to fellow craftsmen for their generous action.

The committee on subordinate Unions, reported in favor of the resolution fixing the time of apprentices at four years, was adopted.

MATAMORAS, June 5.—General Carrello left Mier yesterday morning, with 700 cavalry, for Monterey.

General Ceballos with his State force of Infantry and artillery, took up line of march this morning, to support Carrillo's cavalry, and advance on Monterey.

The impression prevails here among all classes, that the revolutionary movement of the Sierra Madre is practically suppressed. Large quantities of merchandise is being shipped from Texas, where it has been stored for months.

WILMINGTON, N. C. June 5.—The Congressional Conservative Convention renominated Waddle by acclamation. While there were no positive resolutions passed for the Cincinnati nominees, Greeley and Brown were evidently paramount.

Resolutions were urged, and among them the following: Resolved, that we congratulate the country upon the favorable prospects of the utter defeat of military despotism and official corruption in the administration of the Government.

PARIS, June 5.—Marshal Vaillant died 82 years of age.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 5.—The rumor that the schooner Eagle had been captured by natives of Solomone Islands, and Captain Bean, late of Massachusetts, and crew were murdered, is confirmed.

Markets.

LONDON, June 5.—Noon.—Consols 93¼; Bonds 90½.

LIVERPOOL, June 5.—Noon.—Cotton opened steady, Uplands 11½—⅝; Orleans 11⅞.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Gold 114¼; Cotton Uplands 27¼.

It is dangerous to invite an author to read his compositions just before dinner time. There is no knowing what may happen. Murray, the great publisher once asked Frere to read some of his verses, and the two got so excited over the compositions and comments that dinner was ready before either were aware of the hour. Mr. Murry asked his friend to dine, a very unusual thing with him; whereupon, Mr. Frere excused himself on the plea that he had been married that morning, and had already overstayed the time when he had promised his bride to be ready for their journey.

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43 Bottles Kalteyer's hair tonic.
13 " of farina extr's.
Terms cash in U. S. Currency.
B. BRAUBACH, Collector.
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CHINESE Floating and Cocoanut oil Soda Soap, Windsor, Almond, Rose, Honey, Glycerine and Fancy Soap of all kinds.

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A liberal discount for retailers.
PENTENRIEDER & BLERSCH.
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Our friends from the country are preparing to market the abundant products of their farms.

Frost & Bro. are supplying their customers with wagons, every day for this purpose. These gentlemen have a large supply of their splendid wagons, with many new and convenient attachments to them. They have enterprise, are up with all the improvements in this line, and have been of great service to the country, in introducing first-class wagons, constantly reducing the prices, and selling them with a full guarantee.

They keep Harness, Sheets, Bows, Whips and nearly every article pertaining to wagons, and it looks like business to see them place a wagon in "full rig" at the command of their customers in thirty minutes.
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SAN ANTONIO, June 1st, 1872.

The following statement of the affairs of the company is published in conformity with the requirement of Section eleventh of its charter.

Capital Stock, paid in & secured		$202,500,00
Surplus		19,457,44
		$221,957,44
ASSETS:		
Bills receivable with approved security		$162,000,00
Loans on Real Estate		19,000,00
Cash in bank	$15,474,30	
" " office safe	807,89	
" " New York	23,406,02	39,688,21
Office furniture		749,17
Accrued interest due company		314,06
Money in the hands of agents		106,00
		$221,857,44

JAS. T. THORNTON, President.
E. A. FLORIAN, Sec'y.

OFFICE OF THE WESTERN TEXAS, LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN ANTONIO, June 4th, 1872.

Notice to Stockholders.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors held at the Company's office on the first inst., a divident of thirty per cent. on the paid up capital stock, was declared and ordered to be endorsed upon the stock notes. E. A. FLORIAN, Sec'y.
5-6-72d1m.

NOTICE.

AT the May term, 1872, of the Hon. Police Court of Bexar county, it was ordered that the time for bids to be handed in for the plan of jail, be extended to Monday, July 29th, 1872.
H. KLOCKE, Pres. Justice.
M. SLOCUM, Clerk. (29-5-72d1w-w1m

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Editorial Correspondence.

AUSTIN, June 4th, 1872.

The readers of the EXPRESS this morning missed the usual editorial matter. It was taking an airing on the mail-coach yesterday, travelling to the Capitol in manuscript. Accidentally belated, we struck the coach at the Post Office, and hadn't the courage to ask of so distinguished a public personage as a sworn mail carrier, the privilege of stopping a few moments. We preferred to snap fingers at the public; and taking a seat by the driver fairly revelled in the fresh morning air, as four good horses bowled us along over the rolling hills. We had arisen from a shortened sleep, with a supreme sense of being "weary and worn;" how grateful seemed the freedom "all before us!" What use to think of neglected cares we were leaving behind? For an hour or more the enjoyment of motion, breeze and scenery was complete; but by and by the hot sun came up, and as it rose higher and grew hotter, we began to feel much like a house plant transplanted into the open air and left without shade. Not quite willing, it nevertheless seemed a very proper thing to do, but the "insides" (of the coach) were full and there was no help for it. The travel northward from San Antonio all sets in this way, and the stage accommodations are hardly adequate. Arriving in Austin, we were sufficiently sunburnt to pass for Red Cloud, but concluded not to pass for him.

The Raymond House was full, of course, as it ought to be and is lately all the time; but Walker, who is the hotel clerk of Texas, knows how to "take another," and who or what to take. Nor is "the Major" behind hand. He came a little in advance of the railroad, a sort of John the Baptist in hotel keeping in Austin, and when he dies, which we hope will be not within 2250 weeks from the present time, it is proposed to canonize him as a hotel-missionary saint.

The three courts are in session—the Federal, Circuit, Supreme State, and Travis county District. The legal fraternity are generally disposed to criticise the charge of Judge Oliver to the Grand Jury yesterday who sits here this term by exchange with Judge Richardson. It is said to have been lengthy, somewhat extraordinary, and especially devoted to instructions upon the law of libel.

Judge Bradely is presiding in the United States Circuit Court, and the impression seems to be here on account of certain criminal causes against certain officials. The criminal docket in that court is set for next Monday. The Supreme Court of the State is hard at work; in the other courts but little has been done to-day farther than sounding the dockets.

Treasurer, or ex-Treasurer Honey has returned, but what he proposes doing I have not been able to ascertain. The treasury is still locked, and no money is "going out of it." A novel idea upon the subject was expressed to me to-day. A friend said, "So far as to whether Honey or Graham shall hold the office is a matter of indifference to everyone. The public have no interest in the matter. It is simply a question as to who shall draw the salary. Who cares who gets the salary? Nothing is involved more valuable than a span of horses." But we said there is a grave legal question involved. "Then let the courts decide it!"

But meanwhile the treasury is locked and a little draft on it which we took for a debt is not paid. Who is going to pay it? is the interesting question.

Austin is quite dull in a business point of view, the merchants all complaining. We have been too busy to think for the EXPRESS to-day. V. S.

Jefferson's Home Life.

We know so little of Mrs. Jefferson that the least thing which concerns her has interest. These glimpses of their home life are afforded in the memorials of these happy years. In one record we see her teaching "the little Carrs" the beginnings of knowledge along with her own child. In another the dense veil of a hundred years is lifted for a moment, and we hear her blaming her husband for some generous deed of his which had met with an ungrateful return. "But," she immediately added, in a gush of admiring affection, "it was always so with him; he is so good himself that he cannot understand how bad other people may be."

In another we witness a short domestic scene, in which appear three characters—father, mother, and child. For some trifling fault the child had undergone a trifling punishment. Some time after, being again in disgrace, her mother reminded her of the painful circumstances. The too sensitive Martha, deeply wounded at what seemed a taunt, turned away with a swelling heart and eyes filled with tears; but, before she had gone beyond hearing, she heard her father say to her mother, in the low tone of affectionate remonstrance, "My dear, a fault in so young a child once punished should be forgotten." The child never forgot the passion of grateful love that filled her heart as these words caught her ear.—James Parton, in April Atlantic Monthly.

The Boston Commonwealth says that on the very day of his wedding a letter was received by Postmaster Skinner, at Amherst, charging "Count" Zwitkiewich, whose marriage with a young Massachusetts lady was lately chronicled, with obtaining from a gentleman at Omaha the cash for a draft for £380 on a London bank, which draft turns out to be a forgery.

Thieves "went through" a Fort Wayne reporter recently, and came out with three lead pencils, a broken comb and a dead-head circus ticket.

A tired-out editor says that the sermons of a neighboring clergyman remind him very forcibly of eternity.

Meteorological Record at San Antonio.

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Mean Average and Total:
Thermometer [illegible], Barometer [illegible]. Rain [illegible].
FRED. PETTERSEN, Observer.

Arrivals at the Menger Hotel.

June 5th, 1872.

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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 same, 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 blighting consequences, may be avoided, but without surrendering any right or obligation due to us, a reform in the treatment of Indians and in the whole civil service of the country, and finally in securing a pure, untrammeled ballot, where every man entitled to cast a vote may do so just once at each election, without fear of molestation or proscription on account of his political faith, nativity or color.

U. S. GRANT.

Washington, Dec. 5, 1870.

Newspaper Laws.

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 reasons for its not being taken; and a neglect to do so makes the Postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

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 and periodicals from the Postoffice, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

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Buenos Ayres.—In South America a silver rial is worth 12½ cents. The currency of Buenos Ayres is depreciated and subject to fluctuations. The current money consists of paper dollars worth from 3½ to 4 cents. Wool, hair, country hides, and many other articles, are bought in this country. Salted horse hides and tobacco are bought for hard rials, (rl.) of which eight make one hard dollar, patacon (pat.) of 16 to the doubloon. Ox hides, tallow, and all provincial produce are bought in rials plata, of which eight make one dollar plata, of seventeen to the doubloon. Hides in Buenos Ayres are sold by the pesada of 35 pounds. A pesada of salted hides weigh 60 pounds Spanish (26 English). A quintal (qql) or Spanish hundred-weight, weighs 100 pounds Spanish, equivalent to 103 pounds English. An arroba (arr) is one quarter of quintal, 25 pounds Spanish.

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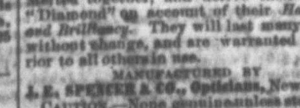

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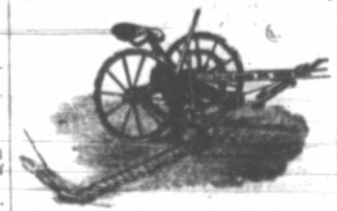

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