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General Lee's Room.

The Nashville *Union and American* says: A gentleman residing in this city, and who returned from the Washington and Lee University, of Virginia, relates some pleasant facts connected with the last days of General Lee. He says that the private room in the University, which the General occupied, has been left just as it was when he went out of it on the morning he took to his bed, and from which he never arose. The General went into his room at the usual hour that morning, put on his slippers, took a seat near a window, from which he drew the curtain partially back and began reading a copy of the Nashville *Union and American*. He had been complaining of feeling unwell, and after reading a short time he laid the paper on the table and left the room, never more to return. To-day the visitor to the University is shown the room, which he is allowed to enter, but is prohibited from touching anything. On the dust-covered table he sees the paper as it dropped from the hand of the great chieftain, and near the chair, which is partly turned around, his slippers. The curtain is in the same position in which the General had placed it, and in the inkstand is the deeply-corroded pen, just as it had been left when last used. A guard is mounted at the door every day to see that nothing about the room is disturbed by any one visiting it.

W. H. Beecher on Reading Newspapers.

We live in an era of newspapers, and I regard them as vehicles for the spread of popular intelligence which are beyond all price; but there is a wise and a foolish way of reading newspapers. Where a man who is using them has his eye upon the evolution of public affairs, and seeks to acquaint himself with history, political and natural, and aims at gaining consecutive knowledge as material for thought, he is using them wisely. No man should be contented to live without keeping up with the times. A man ought to be ashamed to be ignorant of important events that are transpiring about him. No mother should feel herself to be guiltless who is unable to teach her children, or call their attention to things that are taking place in the world.

Some persons affect to despise newspapers because they lie so. They do not lie any more than men do. Men are natural born liars. Speaking the truth is pre-eminently a heavenly grace, and one that is deferred, mostly, till men get to heaven. There is a great deal of lying in the newspapers, but no more, I take it, than in any other element through which an equal amount of human life passes. A newspaper is pretty nearly a representative of the average conditions of community life. No person should despise newspapers. They are calendars and records of thousands of the best things which men can inform themselves about. In such an age as this, when the popular mind is called to adjudicate, and when newspapers are the tribunals before which all questions are brought, and in which they are discussed, it is a part of every man's household duty both to read them with his children and teach them how to read them. The last thing which a man's economy should cut off should be his newspaper. Economize on body first, and on the mind last. Multiply your papers and books and increase your familiarity with them.

But there are two ways of reading newspapers. One is reading for taste and the other is reading for profit. There are many whose only thought in reading is to enjoy the momentary pleasure of reading; but there are many others whose thought in reading is to get into the current in which God, the race and the nation are traveling.

One other point. An energetic use of the scraps of a man's time is often potent enough to make the difference between knowledge and ignorance. I see many a young man who throws away enough time to gain an education in.—*Herald of Health.*

THE United States Signal Service has just made a remarkable and interesting meteorological discovery. Our winters advance upon us from the west, instead of from the inclement north, as we have so long imagined. A vast atmospheric wave sweeps across the warm Pacific, bearing vapors of greater or less density on its pinions, and after breaking along the coast of Oregon, British Columbia and California, and spreading across Idaho, Nevada and Utah, creates the tremendous snow-storms of the Rocky mountains. The cold summits of that massive barrier condense the thick mists into snows, which fill the passes, and are showered eastward over the plains to Kansas, the Indian Territory, and Texas, in which latter States their visitations are known as "Northers." This atmospheric wave, it is supposed, continues to undulate for several months. This discovery will hereafter enable "Old Probability" to give the people of the Mississippi valley, many days in advance, full notice of the impending advent of winter. What next?

An Important Decision as to Life Insurance.

In the Supreme Court of New York, General Term, on Wednesday last, a decision was given which is of great interest to people who have insurance on their lives, or contemplate taking out policies. It shows that insurers cannot be too careful in stating all the facts regarding their physical condition when procuring insurance. The case was one brought by an executor to compel the payment of a policy by a life insurance company, the latter setting up as a defense that the policy holder had told the whole truth. The court held that the statements made by one whose life has been insured as to his health are not warrantees, as the statements in procuring insurances in marine and fire insurance companies as to the matter insured. The question was whether there had been fair dealing. A concealment of the fact that the insured had been in the habit of consulting a physician was held to be a misrepresentation as to the material fact, and sufficient to vitiate the policy.

A Telegraph Story.

I think the most curious fact, taken altogether, that I have heard of the electric telegraph, was told me by a cashier of the Bank of England. "Once upon a time," then, on a certain Saturday night, the folks at the bank could not make the balance come right just by £100. This is a serious matter in that little establishment; I do not mean the cash, but the mistake in arithmetic, for it occasions a world of scrutiny. An error in balancing has been known, I am told, to keep a delegation of clerks from each office at work sometimes through the whole night. A hue and cry was of course made after this £100, as if the old lady in Threadneedle street would be in the Gazette for want of it. Luckily, on the Sunday morning, a clerk (in the middle of the sermon, I dare say, if the truth were known,) felt a suspicion of the truth dart through his mind quicker than any flash of the telegraph itself. He told the chief cashier on Monday morning that, perhaps, the mistake might have occurred in packing some boxes of specie for the West Indies which had been sent to Southampton for shipment. The suggestion was immediately acted upon. Here was a race, lightning against steam, with eight and forty hours start given. Instantly the wires asked, "Whether such a vessel had left the harbor." "Just weighing anchor," was the answer. "Stop her!" frantically shouted the electric telegraph. It was done. "Have up on deck certain boxes marked so and so; weigh them carefully." They were weighed; and one—the delinquent—was found by just one package of a hundred sovereigns heavier than it ought to be. "Let her go," said the mysterious telegraph. The West Indian folk were debited with £100 more, and the error was corrected without ever looking into the boxes, or delaying the voyage an hour. Now, that is called "doing business."

The New "March to the Sea."

A gigantic work of internal improvement is projected in the South. It is the opening of a line of water communication between St. Louis, Mo., and Savannah, Georgia, a distance of nearly 1,300 miles. The Mississippi, the Ohio, and the Tennessee to Gunter's Landing, including the canal around Muscle Shoals, now being constructed, from the upper portion of the line. The proposition is to continue this line South, first by a canal from Gunter's Landing, to the Coosa River at Gadsden, in the State of Alabama, thence by said river, eighty-seven miles to Rome, thence up the Etowah and Little River to a pool near Roswell, in Cobb County, whence it will cross the Chattahoochee, thence via Atlanta to one of the tributaries of the Ocmulgee—Yellow, or South River. The Ocmulgee and Atlanta, will form the remainder of the line, until a point shall be reached nearest Savannah—say the mouth of the Ocmoopee—from which the canal will be continued to that city.

The Governor of Georgia has invited the governors of the other Southern and of the Northwestern states, to meet in convention at Atlanta on the 19th of this month for a comparison of views on the subject, and to mature some plan for forwarding the enterprise. After the conference the distinguished representatives will be escorted to Macon and Savannah to acquaint themselves with the temper and opinions of the people concerning the great scheme. This will be a "march to the sea", that will rejoice the south as well as the north, and one that will scatter the seeds of reconciliation and commercial progress, instead of waste and desolation. We trust that the governors of the Northwest will respond as nobly to the call of peace as they did to the call of of war, only that instead of sending a volunteer they will go themselves.

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Local Journal of the United States

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SUNDAY, NOV. 24, 1872.

Let us act at Once!

The suggestions we have made concerning railroad matters seem to have met the approval of a large majority of our citizens; and more especially of those who, in consequence of their pecuniary interests, have more at stake than other citizens. But, it is one thing to approve an idea, and quite another thing to act upon it. Many excellent plans have been conceived for the promotion of the welfare of this city and Western Texas; but for want of united action, a determined and common purpose, little has resulted. There will be no more favorable time than the present for an energetic movement towards securing a railroad to San Antonio—and not only that, but one which shall be owned and controlled by our own citizens. Instead of giving away the money already voted, and from which we can in no event derive any direct profit, why not expend it ourselves? We have voted to one road $500,000, to another the same sum, and we were ready to vote to a third $300,000, or if necessary, $500,000. This sum, $1,500,000, would build a narrow-gauge road to the seaboard, and not only build it, but equip it. If the bonds of this city and county can be made as good as cash at par, we will undertake to find the man who will build and equip the road amply for present needs for that sum to the nearest harbor on the Gulf. While so profuse, then, in offering aid to capitalists who flout us when it suits their convenience, why not take hold of the matter ourselves, and become masters of the prize? Were a dozen live business men in our midst, in whom the community have confidence, to take hold of this business in dead earnest, we might have a bright railroad in twelve months, a complete railroad in twelve months, owned by our own citizens, every dollar of advance ... age or profit from it coming home to us instead of going abroad. You say we must have a railroad or die! It is true; and yet, instead of putting your shoulders to the wheel and building one, as it is in your power to do, you sit in your back parlors and sign bonds which are mortgages upon your estates, but which bring you no railroads in the end. This idle game should cease at once. Do you think Chicago would ever have had a railroad had she not put forth her own energies and expended her own money? How proudly she sits now, mistress of the great lakes, simply because she had the pluck to divert the great western railway lines of traffic into her swamps and along her bayous? And you sit here supinely signing more and more bonds to pass away, but with hands clenched upon one part of the ill luck which mocks us with phantasmal railroads?

God helps him who helps himself; and until San Antonio does for herself a little sensible, actual, tangible self-help, the God of railways will refuse to place a vice-roy here, and we may continue to bow down to stocks, vehicles, and crucified ozen. Citizens! you have it all in your own hands. Get up and do something—or make arrangements for a very slim and unimposing funeral.

The Sweet-McCormack Contempt Case.

Our readers will recollect that the Judges of election, Alex. E. Sweet, and H. McCormack, during the late election, were arrested for contempt of Court in disobeying a mandamus of the District Judge of this State Judicial District, directing the registration of a person claiming to be a legal voter, but to whom registration had been refused by the registrar and the judges of election. It is supposed that the Judges of election disobeyed the mandate of the Court upon the belief that, under the State law, the authority of the election judges was superior to that of the State District Judge. There is a question of constitutionality which merits consideration. We do not propose just now to discuss these questions in their legal bearings. But, we understand, that in support of the position taken by the judges of election, the State government has ordered to this city a large State police force; and that there were present yesterday an ample number of armed men whose purpose it was to arrest the Judge of this District and such other persons as might be found recalcitrant to the Ukase. This is a new feature in local elections, and one which will scarcely command the respect of the mass of voters. Indeed, we pronounce the whole scheme as a disreputable one, in which the Republican party, as such has no part or lot and which can only result in the confusion of those who concocted it.

An Address by the United States Centennial Commission.

To the People of the United States:

The Congress of the United States has enacted that the completion of the One Hundredth Year of American independence shall be celebrated by an International Exhibition of the Arts, Manufactures, and Products of the soil and mine, to be held at Philadelphia, in 1876, and has appointed a Commission, consisting of representatives from each State and Territory, to conduct the celebration.

Originating under the auspices of the National Legislature, controlled by a National Commission, and designed as it is to "Commemorate the first Century of our existence, by an Exhibition of the Natural resources of the Country and their development, and of our progress in those Arts which benefit mankind, in comparison with those of older Nations," it is to the people at large that the Commission look for the aid which is necessary to make the Centennial Celebration the grandest anniversary the world has ever seen.

That the completion of the first century of our existence should be marked by some imposing demonstrations, we believe, the patriotic wish of the people of the whole country. The Congress of the United States has wisely decided that the Birth-day of the Great Republic can be most fittingly celebrated by the universal collection and display of all the trophies of its progress. It is designed to bring together, within a building covering [illegible] acres, not only the varied productions of our mines and of the soil, but specimens of all the intellectual triumphs of our citizens, specimens of everything that America can furnish, whether from the brains or the hands of her children, and thus make evident to the world the advancement of which a self governed people is capable.

In this "Celebration" all nations will be invited to participate; its character being International. Europe will display her arts and manufactures, India her curious fabrics, while newly opened China and Japan will lay bare the treasures which for years their ingenious people have been perfecting. Each land will compete in generous rivalry for the palm of superior excellence.

To this grand gathering every zone will contribute its fruits and cereals. No mineral shall be wanting; for what the East lacks the West will supply. Under one roof will the South display in rich luxuriance her growing cotton, and the North in miniature, the ceaseless machinery of her mills converting that cotton into cloth. Each section of the globe will send its best offerings to this exhibition, and each State of the Union, as a member of one united body politic, will show to her sister States and to the world, how much she can add to the greatness of the nation of which she is a harmonious part.

To make the Centennial Celebration such a success as the patriotism and the pride of every American demands will require the co-operation of the people of the whole country. The United States Centennial Commission has received no Government aid, such as England extended to her World's Fair, and France to her Universal Exposition, yet the labor and responsibility imposed upon the Commission is as great as in either of those undertakings. It is estimated that ten millions of dollars will be required, and this sum Congress has provided shall be raised by stock subscriptions, and that the people shall have the opportunity of subscribing in proportion to the population of their respective States and Territories.

The Commission looks to the unfailing patriotism of the people of every section, to see that each contributes its share to the expenses, and receives its share of the benefits of an enterprise in which all are so deeply interested. It would further earnestly urge the formation in each State and Territory of a centennial organization, which shall in time see that county associations are formed, so that when the nations are gathered together in 1876, each Commonwealth can view with pride the contributions she has made to the national glory.

Confidently relying on the zeal and patriotism ever displayed by our people in every national undertaking, we pledge and prophecy, that the Centennial Celebration will worthily show how greatness, wealth and intelligence, can be fostered by such institutions as those which have for one hundred years blessed the people of the United States.

JOSEPH R. HAWLEY, President.
LEWIS WALN SMITH, Ten. Secretary.

The German Agriculturist says that a great portion of the fine flavor of fresh butter is destroyed by the usual mode of working, and it recommends a thorough kneading for the removal of the butter-milk, and a subsequent pressing in a linen cloth. Butter thus prepared is pre-eminent for its sweetness of taste and flavor, qualities which are retained for a long time. To improve manufactured butter, we are advised by the same authority to work it thoroughly with fresh, cold milk, and then to wash it in clear water; and it is said that even old and rancid butter may be rendered palatable by washing it in water to which a few drops of a solution of chloride of lime have been added.

The most satisfactory bet to all parties concerned, was that made on the election in Bridgeport, on Monday night, upon the election: If Grant was elected, the young man won the lady, and if Greeley was elected, the lady was to have the young man. The result shows that the young man won the bet, and it is stated on authority of the young lady herself that she is perfectly willing he should have the prize.

A Wisconsin man has pasted up the following notice:

"Having by a long course of dissipation and debauchery so weakened my will as to be utterly powerless to resist the appetite for alcoholic liquors, and not being particularly anxious to 'die and be d——d' as yet, I hereby solemnly swear that I will prosecute to the *Ultima Thule* of the law any saloon-keeper, druggist, or other person who shall give or sell me any spirituous or malt liquors of any kind whatever."

SCRIBNER'S MONTHLY for the ensuing year promises a serial story by Dr. Holland. New story by Saxe Holm. A long story from Bret Harte. Brilliant array of contributors. Clarence Cook on Furniture. And decoration. R. H. Stodd ard on Authors.

Extraordinary inducements to new subscribers; 500 pages for $4.00! &c., &c.

The Publishers of *Scribner's Monthly*, in their Prospectus just issued, promise for the ensuing year a more brilliant array of contributors, and an increase in the variety and beauty of its illustrations, already conceded by the critics to be "finer than any which have hitherto appeared in any American magazine."

The Government of Senor Lerdo, whose accession to the Presidency of Mexico gave promise of a new era of reform in that country, has adopted a measure which cannot fail to be fruitful of discord in the future as it has been in the past. A telegram informs us that the privileges of the free-zone, which served to shelter criminals on the Mexican borders, have been fully restored. From the long page of the telegram, there is some reason to believe that the decree is only temporary in its operation. The Mexican Government, in its own interest, should avoid making it permanent.

The Cincinnati Gazette says:

The owners of oxen are making hay even when the sun does not shine. There is an active demand for the animals at prices ranging from $200 to $250 per pair. Several sales were also made yesterday at 10c. per pound gross. There is also a good demand for men who understand the management of these animals.

"Mother," said a little girl who was engaged in making her doll an apron, "I believe I will be a Duchess when I grow up."

"How do you ever expect to be a Duchess, my daughter?" her mother asked.

"Why, by marrying a Dutchman, to be sure," replied the girl.

The Houston Union of the 20th inst., says: "The new bridge across Buffalo Bayou, at the foot of Congress street, was opened to the public yesterday. Major Baillieathy, the pushing city agent of the Union, was the first person to cross in a vehicle.

Mr. Challis says he will spend a half million, if necessary, to convict Woodhull and Claflin. As they swore they had "taken Challis to their hips," he is determined to show them that it was the traditionary "bitter" one.

The Galveston News of the 21st, says:

There is certainly no healthier place in the State of Texas than the city of Galveston. But on yesterday we had five funerals—two of them old and respected citizens.

DIED

At Manor, Texas, on the morning of November 18, 1872, JUDE, infant daughter of John G. and Maggie E. Wheeler.

Let the afflicted parents remember in their distress the words of the Savior—"Suffer little children to come unto me for such are of the Kingdom of Heaven," and this little one has been gathered into the bosom of the Divine Father.

The Key to Health.

It is the easiest thing in the world to lose the blessing of health, but when lost it is not so easy to regain it. The popular idea of fifty years ago that a tremendous scouring of the bowels was an essential element of cure is almost all diseases has fortunately for mankind been pretty effectually exploded. The introduction of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, nearly a quarter of a century ago, may be said to have given the *coup de grace* to drastic purgation. The world has learned from the beneficial effects produced by that admirable preparation, that one medicine may embrace the three properties of a tonic, a laxative, and an alterative; that the three curative processes of invigoration, purification and regulation may be compassed at the same time by the operation of a single agreeable remedy. There are sound, philosophical reasons for the remarkable improvement which the Bitters occasion in the condition of a deranged and enfeebled system. This pure combination of vegetable juices not only strengthens the stomach, stimulates the appetite and renews the nerves, but also imparts tone and vigor to the secretory organs—as the skin, the liver, and the kidneys—and if the blood has become too thin and watery to nourish the body properly, nutrition and vitalizes that "rare material" of all the solid portions of the frame.

At this period of the year, when intermittent fever, bilious disorders, stomach complaints, and dyspeptic and diarrhœic ailments are always more or less rife, occasional doses of the Bitters will be found the best safeguard against the atmospheric conditions which generate them. An accession of general vigor is necessary to enable the system to resist the morbid influence of the miasmatic vapors which rise from the earth at this season, and of all known invigorants, Hostetter's Bitters is the safest and most potent.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STOVES! STOVES!

JUST RECEIVED, 150 Cooking and Heating stoves, of every description. For sale cheap at

GEORGE WHITE'S
Sign of Big Coffee Pot,
Commerce Street,
Opposite F. Groos & Co. (23-11-72d3t

Strings! Strings!!

JUST RECEIVED FROM NAPLES, a large and fresh supply of all kinds of strings. PENTENRIEDER & CO.

CHINA FANCY GOODS and Toys.

DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTORY and at very low prices by PENTENRIEDER & CO.

STATIONERY AND PLAYING CARDS.

A LARGE and well selected assortment just arrived at PENTENRIEDER & CO.,
8-11-72d1f.

FRENCH PEARS and Prunes, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Dates Citron, Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts and Brazil Nuts, Herrings, Mackerel, Sardelles, Caviar, Cream and Swiss Cheese, Hams, Kraut, Potatoes, Onions, Peas, Beans, Lentils, Barley, Sago, Pickles in vinegar.

CANNED GOODS.

Fine Apples, Peaches, Pears, Strawberries, Tomatoes, Green Peas, Oysters, Lobsters, Salmon, Deviled Ham, Sardines, Borden's Milk. Soda, Sugar, Butter and Cream Crackers, English Biscuits and Ginger Nuts, Syrup, Molasses, Lemon Sugar, Brandy Peaches and Cherries, Rhine, California and French Wines, Bremen and English Ale, Seltzer Water.

FINE LIQUORS.

We have a full assortment of Havana and Domestic Cigars, comprising all grades from common to fine.

TOBACCO.

For sale by

WAGNER & RUMMEL.

COFFEE! COFFEE!

200 SACKS, fully fair, Seeds Choice. In store and for sale by
20-11-72d6t.) H. GRENET.

Just Received,

20 BARRELS GREEN APPLES, Onions and Garlic. For sale by
20-11-72d6t.) H. GRENET.

FLOUR.

100 BARRELS TEXAS CHOICE,
200 do Choice Family,
200 do Plants celebrated—
New wheat.
In store and for sale by
20-11-72d6t.) H. GRENET.

Bargains! Bargains!

GREAT REDUCTION OF PRICES. No competition even by those selling out. Call and convince yourselves at

L. BERNARDS,
50 Commerce Street.
Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Notions, Trimmings, &c., &c.

ARMY TRANSPORTATION.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, 2
Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 7, 1872.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

IN TRIPLICATE, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, A. M., December 7, 1872, for the transportation of Military, Indian and Government supplies during the year commencing January 1, and ending December 31, 1873, on the following routes:

From such points on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway, and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway, as may be designated by the bidder, to Fort Sill, Indian Territory, and Fort Richardson and Griffin, Texas.

Bidders will state in their proposals the rates per one hundred (100) pounds at which the service will be performed from point to point.

The total weights to be transported will not exceed two million (2,000,000) pounds to each of the posts named as points of destination.

No proposal will be entertained unless the party making the same is present at the opening of the bids, or represented by an agent or attorney, or is known by the officer receiving the proposal to be responsible, and each proposal must be accompanied by the guaranty of two persons, who are known at this office to be responsible.

The right to reject any and all bids that may be offered is reserved.

The form of contract, which can be obtained at this office upon application, should accompany each proposal.

The contractor must be in readiness for service within thirty (30) days from the execution of the contract, and must have a place of business or agency at which he may be communicated with readily at the starting points of the routes.

The contractor will be required to deliver at destination within thirty (30) days, all stores turned over to him for transportation on or after September 1, 1872.

By authority of the Chief Quartermaster Military Division of the Missouri.

STEWART VAN VLIET,
Asst. Qr. Mr. General, U. S. A.
Chief Qr. Mr. Department of the Mo.
17-11-72d10t.

FROST & BRO.,

TOOK THE PREMIUM on their matchless Wagons, at our late Fair.
15-10-72dawtf.

FOR SALE.

SEVERAL town lots east and west of the San Antonio river; also 160 acres of land on the Frio river and 350 on the Hondo, in Medina county. Apply at this office. (14-11-72d4awtf

Caution to the Public.

DON'T BE DECEIVED!

Buy the Stove that baked the best bread at the Fair, and that is the

COTTON PLANT.

For sale by LEROUX & CORGROVE,
13-10-72d1f.) Sole Agents.

$25. ADVERTISER, an experienced Book-keeper, at present engaged in Galveston, will pay above sum to any one who will procure him a situation in an inland town. Situation not necessarily that of a Book-keeper, as advertiser's chief object is to get away from City life, live in the country and "look it." Address Box 1197, Galveston.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

The firm of Halff & Bro. has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All liabilities of the firm will be settled by M. and S. Halff. Those indebted to the firm will please make settlement with M. & S. Halff.

M. HALFF,
S. HALFF,
H. LEVY.

San Antonio, Nov. 1, 1872.

Referring to the above we beg to announce that we will continue the business of the old firm under the style of

M. Halff & Brother,

and solicit the patronage of our friends.

M. HALFF,
S. HALFF,
3-11-72d&wtm.

MOKE & BRO.,

No. 35, Commerce St.

WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public in general that they have just received a large and well selected stock of

Dry Goods,
Clothing,
BOOTS and SHOES,
Hats & Caps,
Notions,
Millinery Goods,
PERFUMERIES,
Hosiery, &c.

All of which will be sold at prices which defy competition. Special attention called to country merchants and pedlars, for such opportunities for investment are few. Call soon on

MOKE & BRO.,
35 Commerce Street,
Corner St. Mary's Street.
5-10-72d3m.

MME. CARITTE,

PROFESSOR of Music and Singing, and pupil of some of the most eminent artists in Europe, would be happy to receive a limited number of pupils for the Piano-forte and singing; will also give lessons in drawing, and painting in water colors. Terms on application at residence on Flores street, the Baylor place.

REFERENCES:
MRS. GEN. SCOTT. COL. R. G. WORDEN
DR. BERRY.
15-9-72d4f.

EL PASO MAIL COMPANY

F. C. TAYLOR, Superintendent.

Four Mule Coaches to run between San Antonio

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. For Boerne, Comfort, Fredericksburg, Mason, Llano, McKavitt, Mudwood Springs, Camden Mill Station and Fort Clark.

These Mondays and Thursdays for Centralia, Fort Stockton, Fort Davis, Fort Quitman, Ruidosa, Eliseda and El Paso.

Four horse coaches leave Tuesdays and Fridays at 4 A. M. for Castroville, D'Hanis, Uvalde, Fort Clarke and Eagle Pass.

OFFICE—On Alamo Plaza.

A. A. MUNDY, Agent.
San Antonio, July 19th, 1871.

DR. C. F. BROWN'S Young American Liniment.

THIS Liniment has gained a lasting reputation, where it has been used, in most cases which require an external remedy, such as rheumatism, soreness and swelling of the breast, pain and weakness in the back and joints, contracted limbs, cramps, numbness, frozen limbs, bites of insects, old sores, fever sores, goitre or swelled neck, paralysis, wounds, erysipelas, piles of nipples, headache, whitlows, swellings, mange, poison, burns, all swellings, salt rheum, corns, warts, sore eyes, run-rounds, &c. We daily hear of the most astonishing cures effected by this excellent remedy, and hasten unbidden to saying that there never has been its equal as a curative for horses. We assert positively that it will cure any case of sweeny in existence; also spliut, galls, sprains, strains, bruises, scratches, wounds, big head, wind galls, sore eyes, swellings, &c., and has never failed to cure fistula, quittor, ring-bone and spavin. When used in the beginning, strictly according to directions, and given internally with the food, it is a harmless but certain remedy for worms. Do not fail to give it a trial; only 25 cents a bottle.

Caution.—In order to protect the public against imitations, all the genuine will have a private United States revenue stamp engraved expressly for it, which stamp will be found on the wrapper over the cork of every bottle. It represents a horse held by a groom, and is encircled by the words "Dr. C. F. Brown's Young American Liniment."

For sale at Wholesale by
E. F. GEORGE, Galveston,
And by all Druggists in Texas.
26-6-72d & wtm.

AGENTS WANTED.

The Master Spirits of the World,

The Treasure House of America,

THE GREAT BOOK OF THE YEAR

Agents report sales of 25 to 100 copies a few hours or days. Prospectus Free. Address, ZIEGLER & MCCURDY, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New Orleans. (2-11-72d4awtf

A BOOK FOR THE MILLIONS!

Marriage Guide.

Intent discussion in pleasing and pertinent language. It is a comprehensive work of 200 pages, and contains more than 50 engravings. Still there is not a line in it but what a father may read to his family, and not a page but what a married man may peruse with profit. Price only $1 in paper covers, $1 25 in cloth. Address, PUBLISHER, Box 1197, Galveston.

Notice to the Afflicted and Unfortunate.

A LARGE ON

Circular.

THE GREAT HONEST.

AT CASH PRICES.

Our teacher, mother, Nature—she has a word for each;
To day, or else to-morrow she'll name you in her speech;
Say not the smiles too lightly—there are weepers every day—
But go you to the meadows when trouble's once away.

All the birds and the song
Shall nothing seem to wrong;
Oh, the world is good, and may the world [illegible]

We know [illegible] sorrow is old
Is sorrow [illegible] the world? Who knows which first began?
Whoever tuned the chorus till the chief singer came,
Through all his echoing ages the key has been the same.

For [illegible] is his time,
And for each in passion's prime,
The jest [illegible] and the dirges range an interludes.

The hearts of men are rivers that chafe in ordered Grooves,
With now a song of sighing, and now a song of loves;
O, Nature, mother Nature, she hath hope as on hot breath
Till her own great heart is beating in flow with our unrest.

Many a time the sky
Hath wept its blue eyes dry
Ere one wept beneath it you and I.

She has made that act of conflict in the spirit that [illegible]
She has fraught bitter-hearted with the grief of wasted lives;
She the lonely rocks and moors, and over-lighting seas;
And some day you shall hearken to your own life in these.

But tis Her, all the day,
When trouble's once away,
And again she'll pipe for us, and we'll be gay.

She has [illegible] weird and kingly, with the clouds upon their head;
She has fearful thunder-places where the [illegible] are bred;
But strength and safety gird her—sea depths and mountain bars;
And place is where Eternity dwells among the stars.

And it's Hush, all the night,
And the moon-gleam lieth white,
Like the pale hand of Peace, shutting the life from sight.

All to bless the life in us—the life that [illegible]
Ever the turns and turns it, but it wears [illegible]
Soft, [illegible] rights to put the old away;
Some [illegible] shall come to be given when we have [illegible]

[illegible] for us the world will keep
[illegible] silent sleep,
And again the King for us, and we shall [illegible]

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

[illegible] There will be preaching at the First Presbyterian Church, on Flores street, by Rev. Mr. Moll, this (Sunday morning,) at eleven, with Sunday School at [illegible]

The Southern Farmer Advocate leads the agricultural press for its enterprise and energy. The Advocate Publishing Company, Jackson, Tenn., offer it free with any $3, or higher priced paper or magazine in the United States, and at only fifty cents advance with others. This for a large sixteen page monthly filled to overflowing with the most valuable and entertaining matter for the farmer.

Attention is called to the address of the United States Pomologist Exhibition. The [illegible] people [illegible] an opportunity offered for being [illegible] tion [illegible] not [illegible] exhibition of our resources of which notice [illegible] red and [illegible] region which [illegible] the attention of the world to this exposition. We will [illegible] prosperity.

[illegible] Publishing Co., 21 Courtlandt Street, New York, have established an "Emporium of Novelties" and utilities for every day use. Agents, male and female, should examine, see their advertisement in another column.

[illegible] Nov. 22d, 1872.

C H King, New Fountain;
H M Harper, " "
J P Evans, New Orleans;
E Prescott, Eagle Pass;
Rev John W Pinkerton, Carthage, Mo.

Arrivals at Menger Hotel.

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 22d, 1872.

T P Thompson, Lasalle;
Harry Sylvester, New York;
W Longworth, Wilson Co.;
W H Davenport, Cibolo;
Thos B Davis, M D, U S A;
I L Meyer, New York;
M C Latham, Austin;
B E Beacon, " "
Ridge Paschal, " "
Geo Paschal, Fort McKavett;
M C Wessels, U S A;
L Berg, City.

HAVANA ROYAL LOTTERY.

Interesting.

Mr. Manuel Bornio, First Sub-collector of Lottery for Exportation, in Havana, has once more remitted the Second Capital Prize to his customers this side of the Gulf.

In the drawing of 22d October, last, the ticket No. 15,211 drew the 50,000 dollars, which was remitted to the following parties, (nine-twentieths —$22,500—to three different individuals in this city, whose names we are requested not to publish.)

Two-twentieths, $5,000, to Mr. S. C. Hopkins, Cincinnati, O.

Two-twentieths, $5000, to Chas. Adae, Cincinnati, O.

Three-twentieths, $7,500, to J. Munos, Louisville Ky.

One-twentieth, $2,500, to Herman Meutz, Corpus Christy, Tex.

Three-twentieths, $7,500, to S. S. Streck, Donaldsonville, La.

With the exception of one twentieth, all the other fractions have already been cashed by Messrs. Bornio & Brother.

In the drawing of the 12th August last, Mr. Manuel Bornio did also remit to his friends in this country the prize of $100,000 part of which was drawn by some of the above named parties. Let now Mr. M Bornio remit to this country the Capital prize of $200,000 in the *extraordinary* drawing of 20th December next, which we hope he will, and we will declare him the most gallant of all the *Hidalgos*.

The two next ordinary drawings will take place on the 8th and 26th inst. (Nov.), and the extraordinary drawing, with the capital prize of $200,000, on the 20th of December next.

To persons desiring to secure tickets in said *extraordinary* drawing we would recommend to send their orders, with all possible anticipation, to

Messrs. BORNIO & BRO.,
77 Gravier street, New Orleans.

HAVAVA ROYAL LOTTERY.

Important.

In the *Diario de la Marina*, of the 21st October, the leading newspaper in Havana, we find the following, which, believing it important to our readers, we give the literal translation:

"It has come into our hands a printed circular published in New York, with the plan of the Royal Lottery of this capital, designating the drawings that will take place from the 19th September to the 20th December, 1872. *At the foot* of said circular or plan it says:

'*Adress your orders* (it is understood to be for tickets) *to A Dairies*, 585 *B'way, P O* box 4909, *N Y*. And quite at the end, on the right corner, *the only legalized agent of the Havana Royal Lottery.*"

Knowing in a *most positive manner* that this administration of lotteries has *not* a single *agent*, and that it has appointed *no one* to act *agent* in any foreign country for the sale of tickets, we are *astonished* to find Mr Dairies advertising himself with such a character, and we want to make it known that he, Mr. Dairies, is *not such a character* and that *he is not an agent* for said lottery.

The above is short and plain, and we leave our readers at liberty to form their opinion about those individuals who call themselves *agents* of said old and world renowned institution. We know that Messrs. Bornio & Bro. are the the only *correspondents* in the United States of Mr. Manuel Bornio, First Sub-collector of Lottery for exportation in Havana, and the *only* one duly authorized by him to receive orders for tickets, and to cash all prizes.

Messrs. Bornio & Brother keep their office, since 1848, at Gravier street, New Orleans, La.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A Fragrant Breath and Pearly Teeth are easily attained, and those who fail to avail themselves of the means, should not complain, when accused of gross neglect. The SOZODONT will speedily eradicate the taint of a foul breath, beautifying, preserving the teeth to the oldest age.

The Survivor of the Band.

When the comb acts as a rake, bringing away a ton of parted fibers every time it passes through the hair, baldness would soon be inevitable. But even in this case, forlorn as it may seem, the mischief can be arrested, the loss repaired. Lyon's Kathairon, aided by a brisk application of the brush to promote the absorption of the fluid by the scalp, will stop the thinning-out process in forty-eight hours. The roots from which the dead filaments were shed will soon be redecked with vitality, and a new growth will speedily spring up on the denuded places. This work of reproduction will go on until the damage is completely repaired, and the luxuriant crop of hair thus produced will never wither or fall out as long as the vitalizing application is regularly continued.

ON MARRIAGE.

Happy relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life. Manhood restored. Nervous debility cured. Impediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. Pure and remarkable remedies. Books and Circulars sent free, in sealed envelopes. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa. (4-1-72d&wtr

Notice to Shoe Manufacturers!

Mandelbaum & Rilling

60 *Commerce St.*, (*L. Forbes Building.*)

DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF

Leather and Shoefindings.

Manufacturers and dealers in BOOT, GAITER and SHOE UPPERS of all kinds and styles.

WE respectfully call the attention of the shoe manufacturers to our large and well selected stock. It is the largest in the State, and concerning quality and price of the goods cannot be surpassed. We only offer such brands of French calf skins as have gained a reputation for good wearing qualities, and warrant every brand genuine. All we ask is to give us a call, MANDELBAUM & RILLING.

$5 to $20 [illegible]

$955,000

IN CASH GIFTS,

To be distributed by the

Mercantile Prize Association

OF NEW YORK.

Daily Drawings!!!

A PRIZE FOR EVERY TICKET.

1	Cash Gift	$100,000
6	Cash Gifts, each	50,000
12	do do	25,000
20	do do	5,000
75	do do	1,000
300	do do	500
200	do do	200
550	do do	100
400	Gold Watches	75 to 150
275	Sewing Machines	60 to 150
75	Elegant Pianos, each	250 to 700
50	" Melodeons, "	50 to 200
	Cash Gifts, Silver Ware, etc., valued at	$1,500,000

A chance to draw any of the above prizes for 25 cents. Tickets describing Prizes are sealed in Envelopes and well mixed. On the receipt of 25 cents a *Sealed* Ticket is drawn without choice, and sent by mail to any address. The prize named upon it will be delivered to the ticket-holder on payment of *One Dollar*. Prizes are immediately sent to any address by express or return mail.

You will know what your prize is before you pay for it. Any Prize exchanged *for another of the same class*. No blanks. Our patrons can depend on fair dealing.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS:—Fair Dealing can be relied upon.—*N Y Herald*, Aug. 23. A genuine distribution—*World*, Sept. 9. Not one of the humbugs of the day.—*Weekly Tribune*, July 7. They give general satisfaction—*Staats Zeitung*, Aug. 8.

REFERENCE:—By kind permission we refer to the following:—Franklin S. Lane, Louisville, drew $13,000; Miss Hattie Banker, Charleston, $2,000; Mrs Louisa T. Blake, St Paul, Piano, $700; Samuel F Raymond, Boston $5,500; Eugene P Brackett, Pittsburg, Watch, $300; Miss Annie Osgood, New Orleans $5,000; Emory L Bratt, Columbus, Ohio, $7000.

ONE-CASH GIFT in every package of 150 tickets *guaranteed*. 5 tickets for $1; 11 for $2; 25 for $3; 60 for $5; 150 for $10.

Agents wanted, to whom we offer liberal inducements and *guarantee satisfaction*.

Address: PERRY, BAKER & CO., 48 Broad St., New York City.

21-11-72d6t-w2t.

Jack Harris,

BAR AND BILLIARD ROOM,

North-east corner Main Plaza.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

ALWAYS on hand, the purest and best Liquors, and the best quality of Cigars. The largest, most complete and best arranged BILLIARD room in the city. Just received from New York, two of CAVENAH & DECKERS NEW PATENT PREMIUM BILLIARD TABLES, with furniture complete. These tables are the best in the world, with hollow rubber cushions, and the patent *Cat-pat* arrangement. Come and try them. (19-6-72d&wtf

These Bitters are the best Tonic in the World!

Recommended by every physician who has tried them, and among them are some of the leading ones in town—as the best and purest which have ever been manufactured. These Bitters are prepared out of medicinal roots, barks, and herbs known to science and have not their equal as preventives against

Fevers,
Billiousness,
Fever and Ague,
Intermittent Ague,
Indigestion,
Dispepsia,

invigorating the system and imparting strength to body and mind. No Bitters have yet been introduced which have so unanimously received the full approbation of our most able physicians, or which enjoy a similar popularity with the public, or which has accomplished such cures as the

Home Stomach Bitters.

WAGNER & RUMMEL,
Agents for San Antonio.

26-9-72-w1y.

Over 1800 Actual Fires put out with it.

More than $10,000,000 Worth of Property Saved!

NATIONAL Fire Extinguisher!

INDORSED and used by the United States Government, and all the leading Fire Departments, Insurance Companies, Hotels, Steamboats, Theatres, Public Buildings and Factories throughout the Union.

Now in use in the Executive Mansion, War, State, Treasury and Navy Departments.

Price $50.00, Polished Copper.

Send for a Circular.

National Fire Extinguisher Co.,
JAMES E. THOMSON, General Manager.
Head Office, 262 Broadway, N. Y.
19-11-72d&w6m.

BROMO-CHLORALUM,

THE NEW

Deodorizer and Disinfectant.

The want of a certain and perfect deodorizer and disinfectant capable of destroying all noxious odors and germs, as well as germs of disease and septic poison, has long been felt, and the Bromo-Chloralum is the one that was free from objections, and so that it could be used under all circumstances.

BROMO CHLORALUM combines the properties of a powerful disinfectant, capable of destroying and removing putrescent matter, greater than the chloride of lime.

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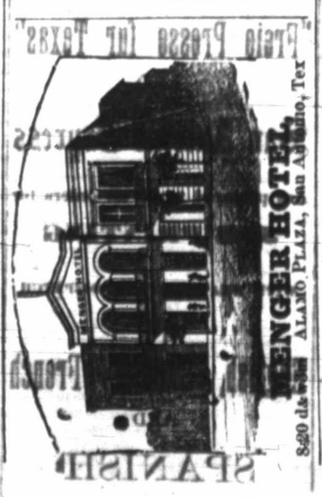

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