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**DRY GOODS.**  
ALL who desire the CHEAPEST and BEST articles of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, CLOTHS, TRIMMINGS, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES, FURNISHING GOODS, etc., etc. should visit the new store of **LIBERNARD, YORK'S BUILDING, 60 Commerce Street, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.** Give us a call, we take pleasure in showing you the latest styles in FURNITURE. **PH. CONRAD & CO. 730 (BROAD) ST. OT** Opposite the National Bank. Dealers in all kinds of FURNITURE, PARLOR AND BED-ROOM Sets. and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress-making and Upholstering. Have just received a select stock of FURNITURE. Consisting of Bedsteads, Chairs, Whatnots, etc. at special low prices. **F. GROSS & CO., Wholesale Liquor Dealers, GROCERS, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, 54 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 6-12-74.** **RHOEN & CO. Wholesale Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries, 33 Commerce Street, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.** **MANDELBAUM & RILLING, 60 Commerce St. (York's Building) DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF Leather and Stockings. Manufacturers and dealers in BOOTS, GAITHER and SHOE UPPEERS of all kinds. We respectfully call the attention of the shoe manufacturers to our large and well selected stock. It is the largest in the State and consists of quality and price. We only offer our brands of French calf line as have gained a reputation for good wearing qualities, and wearers should give notice. All we ask is to give us a call. **NEW PAINT SHOP.** I have opened a new paint shop in Market street, and will be glad to give the public at large. High quality painting materials and colors at the lowest prices. **CHARLES MULLER, 60-74th St. New York.****

**GROCERIES.**  
**F. GUILBEAU, 112 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
**NOVELTY STORE.**  
**PRESTIDIO.**  
**IMPORTER.**  
**FRENCH WINES.**  
**LIQUORS.**  
**FRENCH COGNAC.**  
**FOR SALE.**  
**THE SCHLEUNING SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. IMPORTER.**  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN FINE FRENCH WINES, LIQUORS, TORONCO, CIGARS, etc.**  
**DR. E. BENNETT, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, 112 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
**DR. J. ANSELMI, PHYSICIAN, Surgeon and Accoucher, 112 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
**F. HASENBURG, M. D., PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND OBSTETRICIAN, 112 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
**A. NETTE APOTHECARY, 112 N. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**BELL & BROS., DEALERS IN AND MANUFACTURERS OF JEWELRY, SILVER-WARE, PLATED-WARE, WATCHES, CLOCKS, SPECTACLES, FINE MARKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, RAZORS, SCISSORS, FANCY GOODS, ETC., ETC. REPAIRED AND WARRANTED. No. 11 Commerce Street, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
**AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE BY E. WOLFSON, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.**  
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**MAVERICK & KROEGER, BAGDAD, FLORIDA.**  
**Price List.**  
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Publican party, there cannot be a shadow of doubt from even the meager evidences already made public.

The PEOPLE of the country will take hold of this business before long and compel the Congress to act in the interest of the government instead of the promotion of private political aims and ends; and the result will be a new State in the Union whose name shall be San Domingo. The so called republic of Hayti will be absorbed, and in lieu of its present anarchy, misrule and poverty, will be substituted a stable government, peace and industry. History will prove just to Gen. Grant in this business, when Sumner shall have passed out of his second childhood and Mr. Schurz shall have learned that he does not carry the German population in his left hand breeches pockets.

Another Great Invention.—A patent has been granted to Dr. Samuel Martin, of Knob Noster, Mo., for an agricultural implement which, with two horses, will break up eight acres of ground per day, to the depth of six inches. At the same time that the ground is broken it can, with this machine, be planted in corn or oats, or drilled in wheat, rye, oats and barley, with exact precision, all without change, save a slight regulation. With a slight change the cultivator can go on until the crop is made, the tillage being perfect. By simple attachments, the machine adds a fine reaper, and a corn-harvester or mower. The implement is specially adapted to the cultivation of prairie land. It is strong, durable, and comparatively cheap. It has been fully indorsed by the Government in each of its eleven combinations, which are effected by eighteen original principles, each of which is patentable.

Heads-in Peaceful Diplomacy with Paraguay.

The news from South America announces the conclusion of peace between Brazil and Paraguay, resulting from amicable diplomacy of General Mitre in Rio Janeiro. The outline of the treaty affords promise of the prevalence of friendship and amity on the line of the Amazon and Paraguay during many years to come. The Brazilian and Argentine troops are to evacuate Paraguay. Paraguay will make separate treaties with Uruguay and the Argentine States. The Brazil-Paraguayan treaty now in existence is not disturbed. Paraguay is to pay a war expenses indemnity to the allies. The negotiation, in substance, holds out hope of the fruition of an era of quiet industrial development in the vast imperio-republican territory which neighbors our own.

San Domingo.

We published a day or two since the telegraphic news that a private corporation of capitalists had purchased Sanama Bay, in the Island of San Domingo. The news is probably true, and doubtless is Democratic interest. There is nothing, not even a principle—possessing the title of the weight pressing upon the Democratic mind like that of the conviction that Republicanism is upon its last legs. Hence the eagerness to prepare before hand for Tweed-day, and holding into regulation every conceivable method of plunder.

To every candid mind there can be no rational doubt that the re-confirmation of President Grant to the Congress to purchase the bay of Sanama was a wise one. The harbor is the key to the Gulf of Mexico and the western shores of the Atlantic. It is the most capacious harbor south of that of New York. It is one whose conveniences are in constant requisition by our fleets both mercantile and of war. The government pays annually, and is compelled to pay for conveniences, which this island would afford us ten times the interest of the cost of the whole island. It is, with a magnificent territory, rich, and would with American influences be soon made productive. But the Democracy opposed the purchase, and secured the aid of Sumner and all of the noted revolutionists in Republican ranks to aid its opposition. For what reason? Simply to defeat the prospect of the re-election of Gen. Grant to the Presidency, and to accomplish the overthrow of the Republican party.

IMMIGRATION.—We have from time to time, made mention of the vast influx of immigration into this State through the gate way of the port of Galveston. But there was never before such a multitude of immigrants, especially from the Southern States, coming into Texas, as at the present time.

It will be remembered that a few days ago several hundred Alabamians and Georgians, sent by Colonel Levi Shackelford, of Bastrop county, passed through the city. Colonel Shackelford arrived last evening three hundred and thirty-five others from the same States. He informs us that about one hundred and fifty more will arrive to-day, about five hundred on the 1st of January, and about five hundred more on the 15th of January.—Galveston News.

THE TEXAS TRADE.—The New Orleans Picayune gives the following figures as the amount of business done during the last three months by Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Railroad, all of which were through freight:

Table with 2 columns: Month and Amount. September: 1349 cars. October: 1445. November: 1696.

A wonderful play, called "The Wild Cat, or Marriage by Moonlight," has been acted at the New Orleans Academy of Music. We read that, toward the close of one act of this pleasing horror, the looker-on here is placed, with murderers intent, in position to be instantly annihilated by the descending hammer of a pile-driver, from which awful predicament he is dragged by Wild Cat, a second before the ponderous weight comes down. It was Mr. Shackelford who had been in this act, and he must have had his head...

The critic of the Boston Advertiser having said of Mrs. Boucicault, as Arrah, that "the delicious humor of the race speaks from her elbows and ankles as well as her lips and eyes," a contemporary gets after him in this fashion: "There! Elbows and ankles, eloquent with the delicious humor of a race, in good. This innovation opens up a new field in dramatic criticism. We shall now probably hear of Mr. Edwin Booth's shins and knees speaking of the glowing passions of the Scandinavian race, or Mr. Sothara's back teeth and the wags of his neck speaking of the fatuity of the English nobility. The phlegmatic nature of the Dutch may now be discovered in Mr. Jefferson's heels and wrists, and the restlessness of the volatile Yankee may speak from the finger nails and hip joints of Mr. Warren. Delicious humor speaking from elbows and ankles! Goodness gracious!"

A New York paper gets off the following very good ones: "Club-man" complains that his friends who sit in the boxes at the Academy of Music won't recognize him when he sits down stairs in the orchestra—that the other day he bowed to Mr. —, who pretended not to see him. The next day he met his friend and said, "Why John—, why didn't you recognize me at the opera last night?" "Because," says his friend, "confound it, you know, ma dare fellow; I kant go and pay \$10 for a box, yew know, and then bow to every \$2 fellow I see in the orchestra, ma dare boy, yew know! Now kant I?"

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILROAD.—A company has been organized in Canada, under an act passed by the New Dominion Parliament last year, to build a railroad through the British American Provinces, from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. This line is designed to be a formidable competitor with the United States Pacific route for the inter oceanic trade and travel. All the stock is to be subscribed in Canada, and special care is to be taken to keep it out of "Yankee" control or interference.

He lives in Kansas, and his name is R. D. Jordan. He is addicted to the use of tobacco, but he is young yet, and as he grows older he will quit that pernicious habit. He is 111 years old, voted for Washington, sees all his own farm work, sows and splits the usual number of cords of wood per day, and does all the other ridiculous things which form the ordinary pastime of those living who voted for Washington.

Henry Meigs, the Peruvian Jim Fisk, Vanderbilt and Drew combined, recently presented President Grant's wife with \$100,000 upon her birth day, while that lady's daughter received on the same anniversary a check for \$50,000 from the same source. Meigs has just ordered from the United States two rotary cut-outters, or feed-cutting machines, which he proposes to run night and day, clipping the coupons from his Peruvian bonds. Such is life in the Andes.

A recent number of the Bombay Gazette says "the centre of the East African slave trade is neither in Africa nor Zanzibar, but in Bombay, whence the money is furnished which carries on the revolting traffic." If this is true the British government can easily exercise the power needed to crush the trade, and the special qualifications of Sir Bartle Frere for that service will be most useful. He is intimately acquainted with Indian affairs, and will, doubtless, exert himself to the utmost to remove this blot from the civilization of the age.

General Crook has inaugurated the right sort of Indian policy. He follows the sounder line to his hiding places, burns their lodges, destroys their provisions, and slays them without mercy.—Hope he will be sent to the Texas frontier as soon as he regulates matters in Arizona.

Why Endure What is Curable? "What can't be cured must be endured," says the proverb; but indigestion can be cured, and therefore it is the merest stupidity to endure it. Dyspepsia have certainly a right to continue dyspeptic to the end of their days if they choose, but as it is not supposed that any rational being prefers physical torment to ease and health, the probability is that if all sufferers from indigestion were convinced that an absolute, infallible remedy for their complaint existed, they would with one accord resort to it. We most emphatically declare that such a remedy does exist, and that its name is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The record of its success extends over a period of more than twenty years, and it is so far from being a new discovery, that it has never failed to afford permanent relief in any disorder or derangement of the stomach that was not organic, malignant and incurable. The testimonials that go to establish this important fact can be counted by the thousands. Stomach complaints that had been aggravated by a total disregard of all dietary rules, and intensified and rendered chronic by medical treatment of a drastic character, have in hundreds of instances been cured within three months by the systematic use of this celebrated stomachic and alterative. It should be remembered that weakness of the digestive organs involves many other ailments. Biliousness, headache, nervous debility, spasms, palpitation of the heart, rush of blood to the head, nausea, vertigo, and sleeplessness are among the concomitants and results; and for all these the great vegetable tonic is a specific. It sets first upon the stomach, and through the stomach upon the secretory and nervous systems and the bowels, its general effect being always good and beneficial.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NOTICE. THE stockholders of the San Antonio Ice Company, will meet at the Ice House on the 25th of this month, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the coming year. J. B. LAPOSTOLLE, Sec'y. San Antonio, Dec. 21, 1872. (22d34)

WANTED—Boarding in a private family—where there are no other boarders preferred. Address, G. K. M., this office. (21-221)

H. GRENET. IS CLOSING OUT HIS STOCK OF Toys and Christmas Goods, At a little above nothing. Any one disposed to run the RISK OF DROWNING in the mud holes to reach his store WILL BE AMPLY REPAID for his efforts, if successful. TO THE TRADE. H. GRENET has on hand the largest and best selected stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries, WINES AND LIQUORS, to be found in the city, which he will dispose of regardless of high freight rates or prices. (21-1244)

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THE MUSEUM contains, among other curious things, a Huge Black Whale, weighing two and a half tons, twenty-one feet long and eighteen feet in circumference, the only specimen of its kind on exhibition in the world, and requiring the largest vehicle ever transported by horse power to draw it. The Sleeping Beauty, in wax, breathing and life-like. Statuary of the Grand Duke Alexis, the Prince of Wales, Colonel James Fisk, Jr., Edward S. Stokes, the assassin, and a host of animal and human curiosities and monstrosities.

The Circus. Is the most extensive Equestrian Aggregation in the world. It contains some of the best Performers; the finest number of Performing Horses, Ponies and Mules, and inside, outside and all around is in every particular ahead of any that ever was, or is now, exhibited in this country.

The Circus and Menagerie Entertainments are given under Two Big Tents completely separated from each other, constituting Two Immense Pavilions, high and with gas and capable of holding 5000 people, who can view the wonders of the Museum and Menagerie or pass in and behold the performances of

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NOTICE. IT IS HEREBY GIVEN that all orders for the three separate shows, the Menagerie, Museum, Circus and whole Grand Caravan, Tickets \$1.00. Children 50 cts. One ticket for \$1 admits to both tents in the three separate shows, the Menagerie, Museum, Circus and whole Grand Caravan. (12-12-72d1f)

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