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New Goods! New Goods!
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DEALER IN
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS, SHOES,
Hats, Notions, Furnishing Goods,
etc. etc.
Anticipating an early fall and winter trade, our new stock is beginning to arrive, and we offer them to the public at the lowest prices possible.
Orders from the country solicited, which will be filled with care and full satisfaction guaranteed.
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No trouble to show Goods.
NEW ARRIVALS.
Just arrived
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
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SUMMER GOODS
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READY MADE SUITS,
LATEST STYLE.
Spring and Summer
DRESS GOODS,
CORSETS,
FINE KID GLOVES,
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LINEN LAWS, &c., &c.,
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— J. H. FRENCH & CO. —
11-12-2002

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AND
COMMISSION HOUSE,
BY
L. WOLFSON,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

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F. GROSS & CO.,
Wholesale Liquor Dealers,
GROCERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Commerce Street,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
6-12-71d4f.

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Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition
AND
SPORTING ARTICLES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
All repairs on Arms neatly executed.

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F. GUILBEAU,
NORTH-EAST CORNER
OF
PRESIDIO
AND
LAREDO STREETS.
GROCEER
AND
IMPORTER
OF
FRENCH WINES
AND
LIQUORS
BEST QUALITIES OF
FRENCH COGNAC
11-12-2002

FOR SALE.
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Apply to
F. GUILBEAU.

TH. SCHLEUNING
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
IMPORTER.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
DEALER IN
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TOBACCO, CIGARS,
Cassava, Peasants Wares,
etc., &c.

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APOTHECARY.
Has just received a large stock of
DRUGS, MEDICINES,
PAIN-EXPELLERS, and
SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS
to suit all the leading articles, such as
PATENT MEDICINES,
that are exactly kept in a
First Class Drug Store
The stock being selected by himself for
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— Hungarian Lecturer.

MISCELLANEOUS.
MAVERICK & KROEGER,
DEALERS IN
LUMBER
OF ALL KINDS.
Building Material,
BUILDERS AND BUILDING
HARDWARE.
Paints, Oils, Window-glass and
Putty.
Agents of Bagdad Sash Factory
OUR stock of doors, sash and blinds is large and complete, which we sell entirely on commission at
FACTORY PRICES.
Solicit orders for factory work, such as stair cases, &c., and promise prompt attention and low prices. (2-3-73d4m)

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DIRECT IMPORTERS & DEALERS IN
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CUTLERY,
CASTINGS,
WOODEN WARE
— and —
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS
of all descriptions.
ROBINSON RIFLES,
REMINGTON
Office Lamps,
German Study of

WINDOW GLASS,
PAINTS AND OILS,
OILS, VARNISHES, &c.,
Washing Machines,
IRONING MANGLES,
WRINGERS,
submerge, Force and Cistern
Pumps.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF
COOKING STOVES
Including the celebrated
COTTON PLANT
AND
SUNNY SOUTH,
For which we are Agents.
Manufacturers of
TIN, COPPER, IRON AND BRASS
AND DEALERS IN ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF

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We constantly on hand a large stock of
Tinner's Furnishing Goods,
WIRE, SHEET IRON,
ZINC, BLOCK TIN.
Also, a well assorted lot of
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ers LAMPS,
With the latest improved Burners and
chimneys.
Fratts Astral and Radiant Oil
Always on hand.
TIN ROOFING
and
GUTTERING
and
REPAIRING
done at short notice, and guaranteed.
— Come and examine our Stock and
Prices and you will buy.
We have just received a select assortment of
GARDEN SEEDS.
LEROUX & GOSGROVE

Curious Epitaphs.
Epitaph on the grave of a man hung for cattle stealing:
To be brief,
Here lies a thief
Who came to grief
For stealing beef.
Beneath this stone my body doth dwell,
Where it had to be put on account of the smell.
Something like this is the following:
Below I lie—eight feet I suppose:
Don't dig me up—if you value your nose.
Oh, stranger dear,
Don't pass by here,
My fate your heart may soften,
But draw you near
And drop a tear
For the gentlemen in the coffin.
Epitaph on John Adams, of Southwell, a carrier who died of drunkenness, written by Lord Byron
John Adams lies here, of the parish of Southwell,
A carrier who carried his can to his mouth
well,
He carried so much, and he carried so fast,
He could carry no more—he was carried at last;
For the liquor he drank, being too much
for his nose,
He could not carry all—his nose now sits
in a tub.
In Steeple church-yard, London, Eng-land.
Here lies the body of David Saul,
Spitalfield's weaver, and that is all.
Here lies R. C. in expectation of the last day.
What sort of a man he was, that day will discover.
Here lies my wife! Reader, enough is said:
Good only must be spoken of the dead.
Here lies I,
Killed by a sky
Rocket in the eye.
The following is accredited to Benjamin Franklin:
Here Skugg
Lies snug
As a bug
In a rug.
Curious specimen of an epitaph.
Here Churchill lies—ah, sacred name!
Revered him, nor let about fame!
In part applause, nor praise spare—
Desert, not fortune, lieth here.
If each line is reach from the end to the beginning, instead of from the beginning to the end it will read as follows:
Name sacred—ah, lies Churchill here!
Fame silent be, nor let him reverse!
Spare praise, nor applause impart!
Here lieth fortune, not desert.
Another:
Reader, a soldier here lies dead,
Who oft from fields of battle fled,
And should he hear the trumpet's sound,
The dead, he'd rise and quit the ground.

A New England Fish Story.
Fish stories are in season just now, and with moist and cool weather to favor us, we venture to relate one that has just come to us from Moosehead Lake, a big place in the eyes of the disciples of Walton; and if there is any imagination detected in the relation, please lay it to their invigoration of mind, a natural following of enhanced strength of body. The party, or a large portion of it, hailed from Boston, and their days of preparation had been long and earnest. The first week of their stay at the lake had not been remunerative, owing to causes known only to the initial angler. On the eighth day, however, they sallied forth unflinching, determined to do or—be done for. A few nibbles and some small fry rewarded their patience for an hour or so, but the thing was beginning to grow monotonous, as on the previous days, and they resolved to abandon their sport for the time and resort to other means of diversion until something piscatorial turned up.
One of the young men was about to "wind up" from his perch upon the rock, when something evidently another perch in the water, took good hold of his bait and fastened to the hook. The angler pulled in cautiously for about half the length of his reel, when the efforts of the fish or his weight began to increase, or, sad to think of, the strength of the fisher began to wane with the exertion put forth, and he was compelled to call to his assistance one of his friends. After a long pull and a strong pull, and a pull all together, the prize was landed—a beautiful salmon trout weighing nineteen (that fellow who came back put on the "teen") pounds. But the fish had swallowed the hook, besides a foot or two of the line, which was costly and must not be cut. The only alternative left was to open the monster, which was done scientifically by the old man of the company, when, to the astonishment of all, a fine white perch, weighing more than a pound, was discovered in the belly of the trout. This perch had taken the bait, and his struggles for freedom introduced him to the notice of his sharkish neighbor, whose subsequent close intimacy terminated only with vivisection.—(Boston Transcript.)

TEXAS ITEMS.
Cotton crops never better in Titus county.
Two hundred bolls to the stalk is the way cotton is fruiting in Kaufman county.
Gen. Mackenzie has been quite sick with rheumatic fever.
A concert has been given in Waco in aid of the Odd Fellows' building fund.
The cotton worm is making sad havoc in Montgomery county.
A one hundred and ten pound catfish was hooked from the waters of the Leon river, in Coryelle county.
Doctors despondent in Coryelle county.
Cotton worms very destructive about Hempstead.
Large quantities of flour is being exported from Hill county.

Imigrants from Minnesota are settling in Hill county.
Texas apples are selling in Fannin county for one dollar per bushel.
Mr. Jacob Sauer died at Boerne in his eighty-fourth year. He came to Texas in 1849.
The wife of B. Livingstone, in Barnett county, blew her brains out, all for jealousy.
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In Collin county the Mercury has been up to 92°.
A young man named See was killed in Smith county by a negro who is now in jail.
New corn is now hard enough to grind.
This is from the Galveston News:
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There are a few persons in our midst who honestly dissent from granting this subsidy, but in my opinion they reason from wrong premises. There are others, who oppose it in secret, disseminating erroneous theories to gratify their own personal selfish interests, at the sacrifice of the general good, and it behooves us to watch their movements; likewise to guard against the machinations of Mr. Morgan, who, figuratively speaking, has had us tied hand and foot for over twenty years, and it is not unreasonable to suppose, that to prevent one's anticipation, he now has agents in our city, substantially feel, to defeat our proposed contract with Mr. Pierce.
This subsidy question is of vast importance to our whole section. Honest in its import, it courts public investigation, and those honestly opposed to it will criticize and openly express their objections, desirous of being convinced if in error. But those, who fearing public scrutiny, in a privately insinuating manner endeavor to create distrust, and throw discredit on the efforts now on foot to connect us by rail with the great commercial marts of the country, are not honest in their opposition, and should be treated accordingly. The committee appointed to conduct the election on the "Pierce proposition," are prepared to discuss this subject in any form presented, confident that they can convince any reasonable person, honesty in opposition that the present movement is for the good of all and the only policy at our option.
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MISCELLANEOUS.
A. BOYD DOREMUS, D. D. S.,
Graduate of Baltimore College Dental Surgery.

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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 27, 1873

Republican Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR. EDMUND J. DAVIS, OF NECHES COUNTY.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. R. H. TAYLOR, OF BAXTER COUNTY.

FOR COMPTROLLER. J. W. THOMAS, OF COLLIER COUNTY.

FOR STATE TREASURER. A. T. MONROE, OF HOUSTON COUNTY.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE. JACOB KUECHLER, OF BEXAR COUNTY.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. GEN. A. B. NORTON, OF DALLAS COUNTY.

We are authorized to announce J. H. FRENCH as a candidate for the office of District Clerk of Bexar County at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of LOUIS DUYAL as a candidate for the office of District Clerk at the next election.

We are authorized to announce FRANK NEWTON as a candidate for the office of District Clerk of Bexar Co. at the next election.

We are authorized to announce SAM. S. SMITH as a candidate for District Clerk at the coming election.

We are authorized to announce JAS. B. SWEET as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, at the coming election subject to the approval of the Democratic Convention.

TO THE VOTERS OF BEXAR CO. Having been solicited by a large number of voters, irrespective of party, I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court at the coming election, subject to the will of the people, as the same may be expressed on the day of election at the ballot box.

J. H. ROSENHEIMER, SAN ANTONIO, August 26, 1873.

The Quaker Policy.

Satan and Big Tree are now on the road to the reservation in charge of Lieut. Hoffmann, U. S. A. Until the council between Gov. Davis, Sen. Delano and the Indians takes place it is of course impossible to conjecture what will be done with them. The Democratic papers that insist they will be released on their arrival at Fort Hill, are actuated solely by a desire to prejudice the public against the administration. Gov. Davis will probably have a word to say about their release, and there is no reason to suppose that he will alter the conditions on which they are to be released. They are to give up their horses and arms, or in a word, to be made powerless to continue their raids into Texas. There has evidently been a blunder somewhere in the matter of the release of these chiefs. The Kiowas and Comanches were given to understand that these chiefs were to be released last May on the good behavior of their tribes. The failure to release them has been the alleged cause of their incessant raids into Texas since that time. If we mistake not, Secretary Delano, or some one for him has made promises to these Indians, which he has no good ground for believing that he would be able to fulfill.

We have no patience to discuss the Quaker policy of the administration at Washington. It is really the climax of all absurdities. As far as the people of Texas are concerned it is, however, a most mournful fact. The Government feeds, clothes and arms Indians who are carrying on a bloody and remorseless warfare against the taxpayers of the Government. The U. S. troops are deficient in numbers to repel their aggressions, and are deterred from pursuing them inside of the reservation to which they return with the scalps and plunder of the people of this State. This same spirit of mendacious sentimentality is observable in the treatment of the Modoc murderers. Gen. Davis had the gallows erected on which they were to be hung. He is stopped by telegrams from Washington. They must be formally tried and convicted. This superstitious proceeding, in their case, is gone through with. They are found guilty and sentenced to be shot. And now, while the blood of one of the best and bravest gen-

erals of the army cries aloud to Heaven for vengeance on his murderers, they are reprieved for months, with a lively prospect of going scot free. This course is an insult to the U. S. army. It is contrary to the openly expressed views of such experienced generals as Sherman, Sheridan, Helknap and others, who know exactly how this Indian question should be dealt with.

If the Indians are still to be kept in proximity to the settlements, one of two methods in dealing with them must be adopted, in simple justice to the people of Texas. The proper way to do would be to follow the advice of Gov. Davis, that is, let them be disbanded, dismantled and placed on carefully guarded reservations. Otherwise, the U. S. officers should be instructed to follow the plan of MacKenzie, follow their trails to where they live, "and hurt them as much as possible." This plan is feasible, and would meet with the unqualified approval of everybody excepting the Indians and the crazy Quakers. If, however there is some impossible-to-be-conceived-of-obstacle to this mode then let the inner line of forts in Texas be reoccupied and re-garrisoned as soon as possible.

As it is at present the only sufferers are the settlers. The Indians are safe, because they know exactly where the troops are, and the troops do not know where they are, and if they did the "slow coach" policy express system between the forts is not fast enough for Indian purposes. In Harper's Magazine for August there is an excellent and instructive article on electricity and its benefits which we commend to the perusal of the authorities at Washington. We know of no other remedy, if the Indians are to be allowed to raid into Texas, than to re-garrison the old forts, unite them by telegraph, and let the government raise about five regiments of native Texans.

We mean of course, Fort Inge on the Leona, Camp Wood, Fort Ewell on the Neches, and Fort Lincoln on the Seco, and Camp Verde, in Bander County which have been long since abandoned.

But what is going to be done should be done quickly.

CIRCULAR.

AUSTIN, Aug. 23, 1873. Finding that School Directors have neglected in their order of election of Trustees to designate persons to conduct such election, the following section of the "Act to establish and maintain a system of public free schools State of Texas," passed May 22, 1873, is published for the information of Boards of School Directors:

Section 21. "The county board of directors shall give ten days notice of all elections held in school districts, which notice shall state the object of the election, and they shall appoint some suitable person, living in the district, who, with such assistants as they may select, shall hold the election and make due return thereof to the County Board of Directors."

Directors will select a person contemplated by the above section for each School District without delay, so that such elections may be conducted legally.

J. C. DEGEN, Supt. Public Instruction.

Reviews!

The "Western Stock Journal" noted for its careful selection of poetry, has, at an enormous expense, and after much solicitation, at last secured the services of some "glorious Milton" (as with he was "made," also) who makes his appearance in the copy before us (Aug. 19th): These beautiful and touching lines which rival in their soul-stirring force, anything that F. R. Key ever wrote, maintain to say before our readers, knowing that they will appreciate and treasure them as they deserve.

[For the Stock Journal.] CAPT. JACK'S LAMENT.

FIRST. Awake, awake, Modoc to the rescue, Awake, awake, why sleepest thou? Last guard; of a painted face, Arise fragment, of a devoted band, Arise with arms; in thy hands, For know; while you have sleep, Two commissioners; into this strong hold creep, And stoic away my dark eyed Queen.

SECOND. Brave warriors; of the Lava Beds, Brave followers; are your spirits dead, O, Braves bear; and answer me, Oh, where; oh where; is she, My love, who has, with me here been My pearl, my jewel, my dark eyed Queen, Strangers here; on sacred ground, Strangers here; have been around— And stole away my dark eyed Queen.

THIRD. Come steamboat Charlie and Blackheast, Come leave head; and come in call, Why linger; on the banks, Why longer; with me daily, Forward; on the tracks pursue, Forward; and if not be true, That Alfred H. and Willie N. That is; this stronghold have been— And stole away my dark eyed Queen, And stole away my dark eyed Queen.

There; if that old "companion," then we'd like to know what is!

Still like all "grand poems" it is a little ambiguous. We would like to know why they "guard a painted face," and then the lovely expression: "why sleepest thou?" and the punctuation are rather mysterious to say the least.

Without getting into personalities or in any way alluding to the San Antonio Gas Co., or its works, we are tempted to say in regard to this poem: "we-ter-met!" There is evident plagiarism in the line: "Oh where, oh where, has my little dog gone?" (If we don't watch that compositor, he will be sure to make us profane by "setting up" that line so as to read "dog gone.") We are entranced with the poetical beauty of the name "Blackheast" and like the way it is made to "fit with" the rest of the "lay out."

"Been and stole" is rather more a metrical than grammatical. The historical value of the last line is incalculable. The last time we heard of Capt. Jack, he was not over-embarrassed with wearing apparel.

We hope Capt. Jack will be pleased beyond the possibility of "lamenting" any more, if this sort of thing is going to continue. R. G. J. ARGOBY.

What happened a Danbury Girl

A retired clergyman sends us an account of a little affair that happened in his place. It appears that there was a young woman, a fine, spirited girl, engaged at a wash-tub at an open door. Just behind her was a young man, as is generally the case, and in the yard was an old buck that was always in the front of the premises, which is not always the case. We are glad to say, well, this old buck came to the door and looked in, and the young man, going close to the young woman, pointed his finger straight at the buck, and the old fellow, recognizing at once the pressing character of this mute invitation, put down his head and dashed forward, and the miserable stepped to one side and fled, and the young woman, all unconscious of the arrangement, received the shock without warning, and passed over the tub, and the air for an instant appeared to be full of slippers and wet clothes and soap and hot water and suds. And the next minute that goat came flying out of the door at a dreadful speed, half the length of his spine, and with a wild look in his eye. And for an hour afterwards he stood back of the barn scratching his chin and trying to recall all the circumstances in the unfortunate affair.—Danbury News.

AMERICAN HERALTY.

The forthcoming report of the Commissioners of Education will contain the following significant passage on American literacy: "While on a specific knowledge of American intelligence with a knowledge of the fact that over seventy per cent. of the male adults of the country, who are essentially all voters are illiterate, and that nearly one-fourth of the female adults (over twenty-three per cent.) are in the same condition! But the amount of intelligence in the country, as tested by the capacity to read and write, is not limited by these adults. The census does not give those under ten who cannot write or who cannot read, but we make an estimate on the basis that the same per centage holds good, as in the case of those over ten, and we find that out of the 28,568,373 of the population of the United States of all ages, 12,126,799, or 42.47 per cent. of the total population, must be excluded from any estimate which would ascertain the number who are able, through reading and writing to exchange information with others for the guidance of their conduct."

Arrivals at the Vance House.

August 26th, 1873. P. H. Brown, Fran; J. H. Clark, Fran; Burt Hall, Fran; Tally Burnett, Hoode; Richard Riley, Rio Hoce; A. J. Harris, Bayre; J. D. Johnson, Fran; L. M. Lacy, Bexar County; Louis Ope, Fran City; W. H. Eason, Oakland; C. F. Mack, Bexar; J. H. Braser, Castrovilla; J. J. Elam, Hoode; L. Vivian, Eagle Pass; Jas. E. Hewitt, Uvalde; J. H. Jones, J. Garretts; W. W. Polly, Cibola; S. Comstock, Providence, R. I.

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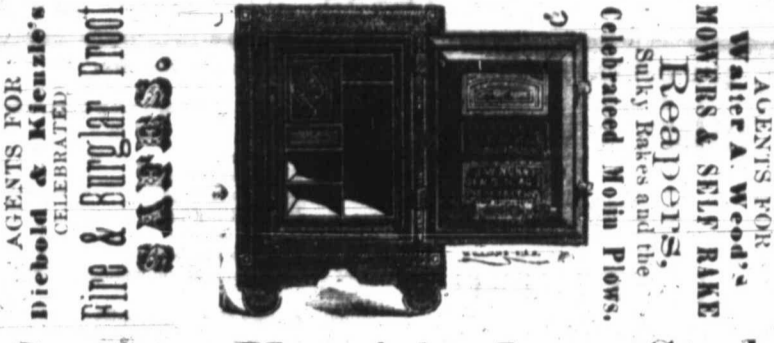
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SCHOOL NOTICE. MRS. V. T. FOLK and Miss ANNIE SWEET will re-open their school on Monday, September 1st, 1873.

LONE STAR VINEGAR FACTORY.



Wagner & Rummel, Proprietors. The only pure and healthful Vinegar ever made that TIME, or CLIMATE, will not AFFECT. We call attention to the following certificate: Chemical Laboratory, SAN ANTONIO, August 16th 1873. Messrs. Wagner & Rummel, Gentlemen:—I have tested your Vinegar taken from the Vinegar hoppers at your manufactory and find that it is free of all Mineral Poisons, also that it does not contain any Sulphuric, Maricatic or Nitric Acid, but contains; 10 (ten) per cent of pure Acetic Acid and recommends it as the most wholesome Vinegar for domestic as well as medicinal purposes.

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Eugene Robin,

DEALER IN FLOUR AND GROCERIES. Has just received a fresh supply of the following articles, to which he invites the attention of all buyers: Flour, various brands, CRUSHED and BROWN SUGARS, Coffee, Lard, Hams, Bacon, Breakfast Bacon, Chert Wines, in casks or bottles, Sherry Wine, Whiskies, LIQUORS, &c. &c. SEGARS, SEGARS, Smoking & Chewing Tobacco, CANNED MEATS, Vegetables and Fruits, PICKLES and SOURCROUT, Salt and Spices, Brandy-Peaches and Cherries in glass, PEACHES, PEARS, PLUMS, PINEAPPLES, and other Fruits in Syrup.

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SUCCESSOR OF PH. CONRAD & CO., Opposite the National Bank, Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE, PARLOR AND BED-ROOM Sets, and House-Furnishing Goods, Mattress-making and Upholstering Has just received and is still receiving a select Stock of FURNITURE Consisting of Bedsteads, Chairs, Whirltops, Rocking Chairs, Tables, Bureaus, &c. &c. And a tall assortment of WALL PAPER. All of the above articles can be had at liberal prices. Prompt attention will be paid to repairing Furniture, upholstery &c. 13-73-dit

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Newspaper Advertising Agents, No 4 South St., BALTIMORE, MD., are duly authorized to contract for advertisements at our lowest rates. Advertisers in that City are requested to leave their favors with this notice. (11-9-71dwt)

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bexar, District Court in matters of Probate, to February Term, 1873.

No. 865. Estate of Emma Giddings, Dec'd. G. H. Giddings, Admin'r. Whereas, G. H. Giddings, Administrator of said Estate, has filed an application to our Honorable District Court, praying for an order of sale to sell certain real property belonging to said estate. Now therefore notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said estate, that said application will be acted upon after this notice shall have been published for five consecutive weeks in some newspaper published in San Antonio, Bexar County, and that all persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause, if any they have, why such order should not be made. Witness, Myself, Clerk of the district court of said county, and [L. S.] Seal of said court, at office in the city of San Antonio, this 15th day of July, A. D. 1873. M. SLOCUM, Clk. D. C. B. By FRANK D. FURST, Deputy, Issued this day. (10-7-73-dit)

Notice to Shoe Manufacturers!

Mandelbaum & Rilling, 60 Commerce St., (L. Zor's building.) DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF Leather and Shoedings. 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 exceeding 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. We manufacture to order the finest kind of Gents' boots and shoes, Ladies' gaiters, etc. Give us a call. MANDLBAUM & RILLING. 2-73-dit

BLANK DEEDS, OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT THE "EXPRESS" OFFICE.

NOTICE To the Property Owners of San Antonio and vicinity.

LEROUX & COSGROVE, LIGHTNING ROD AGENTS, and HARDWARE MERCHANTS. Beg to say that having engaged the services of an experienced rodmans, they are now prepared to receive orders, and have erected, all kinds of COPPER RODS at a lower figure, and on better terms, than any of the parties now offering the same rod in town.

Mr. J. Ryan is canvassing the city in our interest. Any orders given him, will have our attention, be executed with dispatch. 51 & 53 Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas. 14-8-11m.

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SPECIAL ELECTION!

The petition of more than fifty free-holders of the County of Bexar being presented to the County Court for the purpose of taking the opinion of the electors of said County on a proposition that said County shall aid in the construction of the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railroad, according to the terms and conditions of the proposal submitted by the committee of citizens of said County to T. W. Fenton, President of said Board, and accepted by him, which proposal is substantially as follows: It is proposed to pay said Company Five hundred Thousand dollars in the Bonds of Bexar County, payable in thirty (30) years, bearing eight (8) per cent interest per annum, with yearly coupons attached, on condition said Company will build and equip and run said road from Columbus, Texas, to within more than one and one half miles of the Main Plaza in the city of San Antonio, on the most direct and practicable route to be determined by the Chief Engineer of said Company, within twenty (20) months from the time of the promulgation of the order that two-thirds of the qualified Voters of said County have given in favor of said proposition. And the additional sum of Fifty (50) thousand dollars in like Bonds for each and every month said pro rata for each fractional month that said Company shall build and equip and run said road to the point above named less than the twenty months above specified; and all delays resulting from the floods of the streams over which said road passes, which delay the construction of Bridges or repairs in the loss or destruction of bridges or bridge material to be added to the said twenty months. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars of said Bonds to be delivered to said Company when said road shall cross the Guadalupe river, and the balance of the work and expenses, construction of the said road, said Company to give a good and valid bond in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars to be approved by the County Court of Bexar County for the faithful performance of this agreement, which Bond being filed and when approved, said Company will be released from a Bond of one hundred thousand dollars therefore given. The whole amount to be paid by the County of Bexar is not to exceed Eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000). Which petition being considered by the Court, it is ordered that an Election be held in the various Election Precincts of Bexar County on the thirtieth day of September next, for the purpose of taking the opinion of the electors of said County on the above-stated proposal. Which election shall be held and due returns thereof be made according to Law. The Vote on the proposition shall be by ballot. For the proposition, as against the Proposition. I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct Copy of an order for an Election made by the County Court of Bexar County at a special session, held on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1873. M. SLOCUM, Clk. D. C. B. By THOMAS BARNES, Deputy. 13-8-73-d-w-3w.

ATTENTION, SPORTSMEN!

NEW YORK State Sportsmen's Association. Extract from the Constitution as amended for 1873. "All manufacturers will have eventually to conform, when sportsmen require that their shot shall conform with the standard of quality which your committee has fixed." "Upon the most national committee, your committee have determined to adopt as the standard of quality, the following: 'The shot shall be prepared to be by Messrs. Wm. G. & Co. of New York.' H. NEWELL, Chairman, F. G. SKINNER, Secretary.

SPORTSMEN and dealers desirous of having the above SCALE, or any information relative thereto, can procure same by applying to THOMAS BARNES, BUY & CO., New York (47-73 class)

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ALEX. E. SWERT, Notary Public, Express Office.

NEW YORK, August 26.—Gold 164.

CONSTABLE ANKERSON juggled a man named Taylor for having in his possession a stolen pistol.

COL. BANKHEAD, Maj. Latimer, and Cap. Kellogg, U. S. A. are in our city en-route to Fort Condon, to attend the court martial of Lieut. Radezky.

IRELAND was represented in the Democratic nominating Convention by a number of our most prominent citizens. At least, that is what they said.

OWING to illness of one of the members, the Board of officers appointed by the Secretary of War to select sites for posts will not meet a present.

THE man who has voted himself back pay in Staff's tobacco store, last Monday, to the amount of 49 dollars, has not yet been arrested by the police.

JUDGE DEVINE announces in the Herald that he will not be a candidate for Governor, which the same will cause the hearts of the remaining 54 to beat with high hopes.

A MEXICAN named Guadalupe, indicted by the last Grand Jury for stealing a sledge hammer, has been arrested. He had wasted the sledge hammer in various living, however, so it may be changed to Loss, of the firm of Proffitt and Loss.

MR. P. H. BROWN desires us to deny most unequivocally the imputation conveyed by his unauthorized election to the Austin Convention.

MR. BITTICHER requests us to state that the use of his name in the same connection was without any authority, what-ever.

MR. J. N. BUCKMAN saved the life of an old German named Knusel, who fell in the river near the foot bridge last Sunday. Mr. Buckman deserves much credit for gallantry and skill in diving, particularly as this is not the first life he has saved under similar circumstances.

A gentleman has written a private letter to a woman in this city from New York, in which the writer mentions having met Mr. Polce, and the latter having declared his intention to push the road on to San Antonio as soon as possible.

WE notice Mr. Oge on our streets. Mr. Oge lives on the Rio, and has just returned from taking a stock of cattle to Kansas. The cattle market has been dull, so we learn, but as soon as the weather permits best packing, Texas cattle will command better prices.

ON Monday afternoon our city was visited by a very heavy thunder shower. The lightning struck several houses, but no loss of life is reported. The blacksmith shop of John Elk was struck, but having a tin roof, the electric fluid scattered. An eye-witness says it seemed like a basket of fire had been poured all over the roof, some of it running down at the corner like water.

GERMANS recently from Mexico report that all the Kickapoos and Pottawatimies will leave for the Reservation in a short time. These tribes comprise at least two-thirds of the Indians whose removal is desired. The only members of the tribes mentioned, who will be likely to remain behind, are a few squaws who have married Mexicans. The train with supplies for the trip to the Reservation reached Santa Rosa on the 19th inst.

RECORDS COURT.—On Monday there were only a few beggarly cases up before the Recorder, probably owing to the rain, compelling the police to enliven the domestic virtues on the Sunday previous.

YESTERDAY morning the show was still more disagreeable. The police should be notified to rain weather, so we can demonstrate to Austin and Galveston, that in Austin and now we are fully imbued with the spirit of the age and other non-intoxicating spirits.

WE advise our local Democrats not to be so nervous on the rising sun, Ireland. It is the first instance on record of the sun rising in the West, but there is no getting over the geographical fact.

WILSON, Hays and Guadalupe have already declared for him and the East regards him as a most convenient cat's paw to pull the chestnuts out of the fire. The Herald don't publish the proceedings where the delegates are instructed to vote for Ireland.

NOW that it is certain that Judge Devine is not a candidate, what are you going to do about it?

TIMES are so hard here in San Antonio, owing to the success of the repudiation policy of Judge Ireland, that the delegates to Austin should practice economy.

THE Democrats has not paid up the expenses of the last campaign yet. How are the delegates to get to Austin cheaply? We suggest the following to the Finance Committee: "Borrow are cheap. Let us borrow for the occasion. The trip will take up more time, but that is no objection with most of them.

WHAT an intriguing spectacle it would be to see the chosen City Sling down Commerce street with those white Ida Grosely hats on the long eared brass band braying "Dixie" in some other appropriate melody.

REMOVAL.—MR. BERNARD has removed his Dry Goods Store from York's new store to Weber's building, 145 French's store, No. 38 Commerce Street. We invite everybody to give us a call.

SPECIAL inducements—Calicoes, best brands and best colors at 10 cents per yard. Summer goods below cost, and every other article selling at wholesale. Give us a call before buying elsewhere.

About a week ago we inserted a most touching piece of poetry in reference to the death of a lightning rod man and the triumphant acquittal of the long-suffering man who struck the fatal blow. It conveyed the impression that lightning rods were public nuisances. The paper containing the poem on the front page was being ground out when a gentleman introduced himself to us, produced something wrapped up in a piece of paper, enquired who owned the building, if we owned a house of our own, if we had a family, if it (the house) had a lightning rod on it. We said our house had not, but there was a small medium of city taxes due on it, &c.

HE said he had been all over Texas, that his lightning rod would last forever, that it was a meritorious thing to have one's family struck by lightning, and very apt to produce a disturbance in the house, &c. On leaving he presented him with a copy of the Express, and he walked off slowly perusing the poem. We have never seen the man since, and have mislaid his card. Since the last thunder shower our views of lightning rods have undergone a modification, and we cheerfully recommend him to the public. We have no ill feeling whatever and would be glad to continue his acquaintance.

PROF. FERRIN and Mrs. L. de L. WILL-RICH will open on Monday, September 1st, in the Flores Street School House, a Select School for Boys, English, French and German will be thoroughly taught, as well as all the branches of a liberal education.

MISSES CUSIMAN and SPEER, formerly associated with Rev. J. F. Martin in Commerce St. School, will commence a private school, September 1st, in Freeman's Hall No. 2, situated near the new Hall of the Alamo Literary Society.

For further information apply at Amble's book store. [15-8-1814]

NOTICE!!! The undersigned offers to exchange choice land, east of the San Antonio river, for 1 two horse wagon and team, 1 ambulance, and about 50 head young stock cattle.

Mr. G. T. BRIGGS will open school in Flores Street School House on the 1st of September, assisted by Miss A. O. Hewitt.

The English, German, Spanish, French, Latin, and Greek languages will be taught. Terms coin, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 per month. [15-8-1814]

LIST OF LETTERS. Remaining in the Postoffice at San Antonio, August 26, 1873, received prior to August 19, 1873.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE. By virtue of the terms of a deed of trust made on the 8th day of July, 1872 by Vincenta Edmunds and her husband E. R. Edmunds, recorded in Bexar County Registry Book, Vol. 3, p. 28, 29, 30, 31, and delivered unto James P. Hickman to secure the payment of a promissory note, dated July 8, 1872, due 12 months after date, for \$5000.00 lawful Gold Coin of the United States, with 10 per cent. interest per annum from said date until paid, signed by said Vincenta Edmunds and her husband E. R. Edmunds and delivered to said James P. Hickman, the said E. R. Edmunds and wife having made default in the payment of said note after they had at and after maturity thereof been often requested to pay—E. J. H. French, the trustee—E. G. Dixon, acting left the State and having failed to assist to execute the trust—at the request of said payee, will at the Courtroom door of Bexar County, in the city of San Antonio, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of Wednesday the 17th day of the month of September A. D. 1873, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, sell and convey the following land conveyed by the said deed of trust, to-wit: Situated in Bexar County, Texas, in the city of San Antonio on the east side of the San Antonio River, being the uppermost part of the Mission Conception lands, bounded on the north by the lower line of the city tract, formerly the lower line of the city limits, on the south by lands formerly belonging to Asa Mitchell, now the property of Adams & Wickes, on the west by the Mission Conception road and on the east by the Mission San Juan road less thirty acres out of the above described tract and lying in the south-west corner thereof, having a front of four hundred yards on the Mission Conception road and a depth of three hundred yards, and containing 40 acres on the river, which said E. R. Edmunds with declare and designate as their homestead, specially disclaiming any rights of homestead in the premises.

To the purchaser or purchasers I shall make a valid warranty with in the name of said E. R. Edmunds and Vincenta Edmunds, his wife. San Antonio, Aug. 25th, 1873. J. R. FRENCH, Trustee.

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