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From 7 to 9 o'clock, A. M.
" 12 " 3 " P. M.
At a Netter's Drug Store
From 9 to 11 o'clock, A. M.
" 4 " 5 " P. M.
4-2714-w-17.

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NETTEL
APOTHECARY,
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First-class Drug Store
The above goods selected by himself for
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Articles of the Day, Dress, Corsets,
Bath, Towels, &c., &c., &c., and every
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Liberal advances made on consigned
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Goods at private sale, at Auction Prices
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SUCCESSOR OF
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Opposite the National Bank,
Dealer in all kinds of

FURNITURE,
PARLOR AND
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Sets
and House Furnishing Goods,
Ma tree-making and Upholstering
He just received and is still receiving
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Consisting of
Bedsteads,
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And a full assortment of WALL PAPER.
All of the above articles can be had at
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Prompt attention will be paid to repair-
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BEANETT & THORNTON,
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GROCERIES.
LARGE ASSORTMENT
CANDIES,
FOR CHRISTMAS
Stick Candies, Licorice Drops,
Mixed Candies, Conversation Lozenges,
Gumdrops, Fectoral Sticks, etc. etc.

CHOCOLADES,
3 different qualities.
Wax Candles for Christmas trees.
ASSORTMENT
Shoe Fly Candies.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 barrels Ditto.

Soda Crackers, Ginger Nuts,
Butter Crackers, Lemon Crackers,
Pie Nic Crackers, Dessert Crackers,
Sugar Crackers, English Cracknels,
10 Tierces fresh Hams,
10 boxes Breakfast Bacon,
5 Hogheads Northern Bacon.

100 BARRELS ANHEUSER
St. Louis Beer.
100 barrels Blood and Wolf Ale, Quarts
and Pints.
25 boxes Porter, Fla.
25 boxes Roederer Carte blanche
Champagne.
25 boxes Piper, Heidsieck & Co.
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135 Fanegas Chihuahuas Beans.
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Smoked Salmon, Codfish,
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SPORTING ARTICLES OF EVERY
DESCRIPTION.
All repairs on Arms neatly executed.
4-7247v-w-45.

THE KHEDIVE.
The Kind of a Man He Is.
The Khedive of Egypt is described
as a person of culture, speaking
French with ease, and English a
little; fully educated at the Poly-
technic School in Paris, and wearing
the dress of Christian people. He
is a shrewd and rich merchant, and
not a soldier by propensity, and his
income and the luxury of his court
exceed the tales of Haroun Al
Raschid's splendor. He has an in-
come of \$110,000,000 per annum, or
above \$300,000 a day. He has 27
palaces, all the corporate property
-- or that which with us would be
controlled by corporations--in the
country, and no law whatever but
he can think of from day to day.
He has 4 wives and a vast harem,
and, being an unwise husband, does
not know all his own children, yet
he is temperate and prudent, and
still he is not happy. He wants
to be a king, but the dominion of
Turkey sits upon his dreams like
a gobbler on the full boy after a
Christmas dinner.

Carlism in Spain.
As Americans we can have but
little sympathy with either of these
claimants to the ancient throne of
Spain. The cause of Don Carlos
can not but excite, however, the
prejudices of all lovers of republican
liberty in whatever country. It is
advocated and sustained by bigoted
old sticklers for old things because
they are old; by opponents of all
change, except change back to the
ideas and practices of the past, and
by the clergy; not, however, by
the higher clergy, for the arch-
bishop, the titularies of the high
ecclesiastical charges, the cardinals
of the large cities, are almost all of them
Alfonseists. Carlism has its strong-
hold among the country clergy, and
in the rural parishes, in which the
priests come in contact with the
masses of the people. Of all the
countries of Europe Spain in per-
haps the most completely under the
influence of the priesthood. The
lower clergy do not hesitate to
preach Carlism, and do advocate
openly the re-establishment of Carlos
VII, the king after God's own heart,
the Church's king absolute, omni-
potent, the King pure and unadul-
terated.

On the other hand, among those
who resisted the claim of Carlos,
and stood by Queen Maria Christ-
ina, while regent, and Isabella II,
and who now advocate the claim of
the Prince of Asturias as against
Carlism, were the liberals, the pro-
gressivists, the Constitutional mon-
archists, and the tolerationists.
Whether a republic can stand in
Spain remains to be seen. We are
sure that every American heart
wishes well to the noble men who
would give civil and religious free-
dom and stability to that glorious
but distracted country, and watch-
es with great interest and anxie-
ty the result of the present com-
plications in Spain.--J. W. Pres-
ton; Scribner's for December.

The record of the "dying year"
is leaving among its saddest reflec-
tions a number of marine disasters
greater than of any year preceding.
In our own memory we recall the
dreadful sorrow of the Wawatse
disaster, amid fire and water, nearly
one hundred citizens of this Dis-
trict met death in the "winking of
an eye." This horrible memory
prepares us to appreciate the awful
scenes of the 23d ult. on board the
Ville de Havre, when 226 souls
sank in ocean's depths. Then we
recollect how 450 human beings
perished in the English channel
when the Northfleet went down,
and nearly that same number who
were swept from the decks of the
Atlantic, of the White Star line, in-
to the engulfing sea. Very lately
two tremendous storms have raged
along the Atlantic coast and over
the Northern lakes, causing great
destruction to life, and property.
Terrible whirlwinds have passed
the southern seas, and the story of
many a ship stranded on their
shores is yet fresh. Altogether, in
this regard it has been a most dis-
astrous year.

While on the Peninsula, during
the war, an officer came across a
private belonging to one of the
most predatory companies of the
Irish Brigade, with the lifeless

bodies of a goose and hen, tied to-
gether by the legs, dangling from
his musket. "Where did you steal
those, you rascal?" "Faith, I was
marching along with Color-Sergeant
Maguire, and the good--bad crew
to it--came out and binned the
American flag." "But the hen, sir,
how about the hen?" "The his-
bless ye, was in bad company, and
laying eggs for the ribbels."



For over FORTY YEARS this
PURELY VEGETABLE
LIVER MEDICINE has proved to be
the most reliable and effective
Great Unfailing Specific
for Liver Complaints and all the painful af-
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HEADACHE, Colic, Depression of Spirits,
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Regulate the Liver and prevent

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After years of careful experiments, to
meet a great and urgent demand, we now
produce from our original Genuine Pow-
ders
THE PREPARED.
A Liquid Form of SIMMONS' LIVER RE-
GULATOR, containing all its wonderful
and valuable properties, and after it is
in the form of
ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES
The Powder (specimens sold) \$1 per pack
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BE CAREFUL!
Buy the Genuine of PREPARED SIM-
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SOLE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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DEALER IN
FLOUR
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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,
Claret 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,
PINKAPPLS
and other Fruits in Syrup.
BY receiving frequent supplies he en-
deavors to keep on hand
A GENERAL STOCK OF
GROCERIES
ALWAYS FRESH,
which he offers at
MODERATE PRICES.

FLOUR. As in his bakery establish-
ment he uses large quantities of flour, he
has always on hand a large stock of the
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CANDIES.
200 Cases Stick Candy,
2000 lbs. mixed "
2000 " Tans "
2000 " Gum Drops,
2000 " Arabian Drops,
1000 " Chocolate Cream Drops,
1000 " Licorice Drops,
1000 " Conversation Hearts,
500 " Almonds Conv. Hearts,
500 " Mint Drops,
1500 doz. Prize Candies.
Beans, Limburgh, Western and Green
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Anchovy, Bacon, Sausages, Horse Rad-
ish, Potatoes, Garlic, Goshen Butter, Rye
Flour, &c., &c.
For sale very cheap by
WAGNER & RUMMEL.

On Hand and to Arrive!
225 BBL'S BOXES OF ST. LOUIS
BEER of Anheuser & Ulrich
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250 BBL'S ST. LOUIS FLOUR,
choice brands
250 SACKS DALLAS FLOUR
4000 POUNDS FANCY CANDIES
for Christmas
100 Boxes of the celebrated
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ALSO
**GENUINE FRESH SWISS
CHEESE,**
FRESH TURKISH PRUNES,
fresh Canned Goods and fruits of
all kinds and description etc. etc.
For sale cheap by
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Wholesale Liquor Dealers,
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WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
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A. BOYD DOREMUS, D. D. S.,
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DENTIST.
Office--Near N. W. corner Main Place,
continuation of Main street
All work warranted and charges moder-
ate. (11-7-73)3m

BAR-ROOM
Bar-Room
GEO. HOERNER reminds his friends
and the public generally, that he still
keeps up a first class
Bar-Room
At the old stand, Commerce street, where
the latest drinks, gotten up in the best
style, are obtainable at all times.
14-12-7147v.

EDWARD KURKA,
Having returned from Peru to this city
and old home, solicits the patronage of
the public as
**Sign and Ornamental Painter
and Paper Hanger,**
in which latter branch of business, he uses
a preparation, which he applies and
which never has been known to fail, so that
no insect will ever get behind the tapestry
or in the wall.
All work promptly and neatly done,
charges moderate. 25-4-73 d & w i m

A. SIEMERING & CO., Publishers.

SUNDAY, DEC. 21, 1873.

Redeeming the State.

Coke in his Waco speech has told his audience that the Democracy must "redeem the State." The democratic press has said so for the last four years...

Next Democracy must redeem the State from that abominable radical opposition to railroad companies, because they are poor and will in all prosperity never build a road...

by politics.—Conversation becoming more general, the great Statesman bitterly denounced the Express and Erie Press...

If the truth were only known, it would be shown that there is a great deal of Bazainism—to coin a word from the recent trial of the French Marshal—in all armies...

Mr. Stephens said he was of opinion that the Democrats were quite as responsible for the salary grab as the Republicans. He is about one half right...

[From our special correspondent.] AUSTIN, TEXAS, Dec. 11, 1873. Editor Express: I have now been here two days, and therefore judge it to be time to give...

The weather becoming more, we made but "slow time" after leaving New Braunfels. Ginoing was going on all along the route...

For Loss of Appetite, Dispepsia, Indigestion, Depression of Spirits & General Debility, in their various forms...

H. GRENET'S CHRISTMAS GOODS HAVE ARRIVED AT LAST. THEY WILL BE ON EXHIBITION FROM TO-MORROW.

FROM TO-DAY —TILL— JANUARY 1ST 1874 1874

Julius Berends. BOOKS, STATIONERY AND Fancy Goods. AT LOUIS ZORK'S BUILDING...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Christmas Notice. SELLING OFF CHEAP. FINE CANDIES. CONFITURES...

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ALAMO MILLS On the east bank of the San Antonio River. The Highest Market Price Paid for Corn.

A CARD TO FARMERS. The undersigned having perfected arrangements with the Manufacturers enabled and take pleasure to offer the celebrated AVERY PLOWS AND CULTIVATORS...

BAVARIAN BREWERY. ANHEUSER & Co. ST. LOUIS LAGER BEER IN BOTTLES. The Blue Ribbon

NOTICE. JAMES TRAINER of Fort Concho on the 6th of October, made an assignment to me of all his assets...

THE CHRISTMAS TREE 1873. GRAND EXHIBITION OF TOYS, TOYS, TOYS, TOYS. Opened at L. HUTH & SON, Market Street, San Antonio.

NEW JEWELRY STORE. PHILLIP WOLFINGER. Manufacturer and dealer in all kinds of JEWELRY & WATCHES

HILLS
 The San Antonio
 Plaza
Price Paid
FOR CORN.
FEED
 combined; also
Cows,
 in seed ground
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GARTNER,
Architect &
YOR.
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 Irrigation ditches
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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

We learn that our District Attorney, N. O. Gross, has, day before yesterday evening, met with a serious accident, the particulars of which are such as to call for a moment's silence.

PANCOST & SON have received a splendid assortment of goods to make up to order.

WINTER is coming. The northern which sprung up day before yesterday, is holding on and the thermometer is falling down. Considering the near approach of Christmas, the sight of willows still full of leaves, of bananas and castorbeans, still flourishing, of roses, chrysanthemum, violets and other flowers, which we enjoy from our window, is unusual even in this half-tropical country.

CALL ON PANCOST & SON to see the latest style of hats, just received.

The law-abiding Democracy has given us a foreboding of what it means by treating their political opponents with respect. The Chief Justice of Harris Co., having counted the votes of Harris Co. and made out a tally-sheet, left for Austin. The law gives him ten days to issue the certificate. But impatient newly elected Democrats have no time to wait until the return of the Chief Justice, but entered his office by force and violence, took possession of the tally-sheet, issued certificates, signed by "Sam Ashe and Shearer," acting in the absence of the Chief Justice and a Democratic District Judge, Master-son, took the oath of the installed officers, and approved their bonds. We have always contended the unscrupulousness of the Democracy in the selection of their means to go into power, but we never took them to be such infernal fools as to believe that this kind of game will win.

PANCOST & SON have certainly the best assortment of scarfs and ties, the very best kid dogskin gloves, and fine white shirts to be found in the City. The stock just received.

The election fraud case, we reported yesterday from Austin, is going to become one of the greatest importance, since the prisoner has applied to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that there has been no legal election on the 2nd day of December. It strikes us that, since the Democracy had made up its mind to win, it left open a slip-hole for all repeaters to save themselves under the plea of the unconstitutionality of the election law. At any rate it is very peculiar that the question as to the legality of the election law must be forced to an early decision by a Democratic repeater. As the case stands, the Supreme Court has set Monday next as the day for argument and final decision. We are glad this unfortunate affair is settled thus early before mobocracy takes the place of law and order, as it did in Houston.

See notice of arrival of H. Grenet's Christmas goods. Owing to the unavoidable delay that has occurred in receiving them, there will be NO GRAND DISPLAY as originally intended. We are satisfied, however, that his customers will not have lost anything by waiting, as the near approach of the holidays will be an extra inducement for him to mark down his goods to the lowest figure.

Messrs. MANDELBAUM & RILLING respectfully call the attention of country merchants to their large stock of boots and shoes of their own make, offering them special inducements. [25-9-d-w-3m]

Marvellous Beyond Expectation.
 Is the effect of **SOZODONT** upon the whole economy of the Mouth, keeping the gums rosy and healthy, the teeth in perfect order, giving to the breath a balmy fragrance.
 Messrs. MANDELBAUM & RILLING keep the largest stock of leather and fudings in the State, they only keep such brands of French and German calf skin as have already gained a reputation; they also manufacture boots, gaiters, & shoe-toppers of all kinds and styles. Shoemakers, shoemakers and saddlers would do well to examine their stock before buying elsewhere. [25-9-d-w-3m]

If you want a pair of real good French calf skin boots or shoes, go to MANDELBAUM & RILLING, 50 Commerce St. they will make them for you out of the best French calf skin at shortest notice and fully warrant their work. They employ now 14 workmen, and are therefore enabled to fill orders quicker than their competitors. They also keep on hand a large stock of boots and shoes of their own make and are certain that they can fit and satisfy everybody. [25-9-d-w-3m]

"Used Up."
 What is the precise meaning of this familiar phrase when employed to signify an unnatural condition of body and mind? It means exhaustion, languor, want of vital energy, mental apathy—a pitiable state of physical and mental helplessness. The best and in fact the only perfectly reliable panacea for a "used up" system is that most popular and potent of medicinal stimulants, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. No matter whether the health has been broken down by excessive labor, over-study, an insubstantial atmosphere, anxiety, irregularities in diet, dissipation, or any other cause, this powerful and pleasant vegetable restorative will soon recruit the drooping energies of nature, restoring the integrity of the nerves, and re-establishing that functional regularity which is essential to animal vigor and a hopeful frame of mind. As a cure for debility, in all its varied manifestations, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is unsurpassed by any tonic in the materia medica.

WANTED. IF YOU WISH TO BUY A SEWING MACHINE for family use, or act as agent, address WASHINGTON SEWING MACHINE CO., Boston, Mass.

Telegraphic DOMESTIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The salary bill passed by the House was referred to the Committee on Retrenchment.

KEY WEST, December 18.—The small steamer Dispatch, Capt. Whiting, which had been assigned by the United States government to the duty of receiving the surrender of the Virginia, sailed from Key West Sunday evening, and arrived in the harbor of Bahia Honda the next morning, where she found the Virginia in charge of the Spanish sloop-of-war La Favorita, Senor De la Camara commanding. Shortly after noon the latter came on board the Dispatch and made arrangements with Capt. Whiting for the surrender at nine o'clock Tuesday morning. His visit was returned later in the day by Captain Whiting. Their intercourse was of the most courteous character. Tuesday the weather was bright and clear. The only spectators to the scene about to take place were the men of the Dispatch and La Favorita, and some ragged and dirty Cubans in fishing smocks, apparently intent on fishing alone. At half past eight the gig came over from La Favorita to the Virginia, containing oarsmen and a single officer. As the latter stepped on deck, a petty officer and half a dozen men had stood watch on the Virginia during negotiations went over the side and remained in the dingy awaiting orders. Punctually, as the bells on the Dispatch struck for 3, and before they had died away, the American flag was hoisted to the flagstaff of the Virginia, and at the same moment a boat containing Captain Whiting and Lieutenant Marfox put away from the Dispatch. As they ascended the accommodation ladder of the Virginia, a single man on deck, who proved to be Senor De la Camara, advanced and made a courteous salute. The officer then read their respective instructions and Capt. De la Camara said in obedience to the requirements of his government, he had the honor to turn over the steamer Virginia to the American authorities. Capt. Whiting accepted, and ascertaining that a receipt would be acceptable, gave one. A word or two was civilly spoken, and the Spaniard stepped over to one side and signalled to his oarsmen, and in ten minutes was again upon the deck of his own vessel, having discharged with becoming dignity the unpleasant duty imposed upon him by his government.

Public Free School.

The Trustees of the public free school in Precinct No. 1, Bexar Co., hoping to secure the use of the two school houses of the City, intend on the 2nd day of January next, to open two schools, one for the white and the other for the colored population. Teachers willing to engage in the public free school must hold a certificate of qualification from the President of the Board of School Directors, and are invited to make their application in writing and call for further particulars at the store of JULIUS BERENDS, Chairman. [14-12-d-104.]

SELLING OFF AT COST
\$30,000
 Worth of Fresh and

NEW GOODS TO BE CLOSED OUT AT COST.

On account of a change in business the entire stock of

A. A. WOLFF
 will be sold out at
New York Cost.
 Our Goods are new and have been purchased
This Season
 in the Northern markets.
A. A. Wolff's Bazar.
 1-1-73 d&w2m

WAGNER & RUMMEL

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Groceries, Liquors, Wines, Segars, Tobaccos, Pipes, Woodenware
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BITTERS! Home and Elephant.
BEER! Berlin's Special, St. Louis A Lager
WHISKY! Century Mye and Bourbois.

PROPRIETORS OF THE **LONE STAR VINEGAR FACTORY.**

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, Nitric or Selenic 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.
 I remain yours
 G. H. KALTYEN, Chemist.

As must be seen from the above certificate, this Vinegar is just the thing that every family wants, it will keep Meats, Vegetables, Fruits &c. &c. For sale cheap at **WAGNER & RUMMEL.**

L. SCREIHAGEN. A. HEUSINGER

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 IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
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Agents for
 Diebold & Mieseler's
 Celebrated
Pipe & Buglar Proof
SARRES.
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 Reapers,
 Sully Rakes and the
 Celebrated Mole Plow.

Carriage Material, Iron, Steel, CLOCKS, PAINTS OILS GLASS, CEMENT etc.

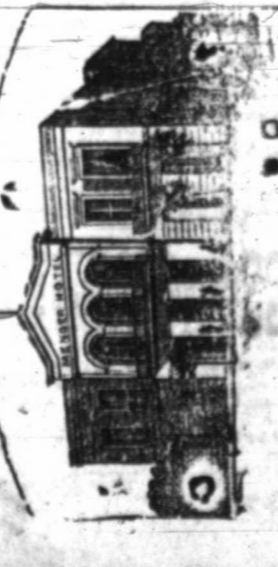
SELLING OFF AT COST.
 We call attention to our new Stock received.

LOUIS BERNARD,
 DEALER IN
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, NOTIONS
 — and —
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No. 42, COMMERCE ST. SAN ANTONIO

Look to your interest. Call and examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere. Having bought largely, and received goods late on account of quarantine, we will sell at very low figures. Call and convince yourselves.

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 Exchange, Bullion and Government Securities.
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