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4th, 1850: "Without my

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is fully restored, after be-

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Official Journal of the United States

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF BEXAR COUNTY.

A. SIEMERING & CO., Publishers

TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1874.

Cremation.

We notice the newspapers generally, including those that are fit for nothing else, are eloquent on the subject of cremation. If there is really any fire to all this smoke and estate in cemetery lots will be below par, while the end-eyes undertaker and lacrymose architect of pine overcoats will have abundant opportunity to furnish a *bana fide* article of unmixed chagrin. Another advantage will be, lifting much woe from the bereaved survivors in the shape of immunity from back hire to the jovial crowd that usually returns from the ossuary (bone yard).

We might mention incidentally, that there is no necessity for persons who do not pay the piastra joining cremation societies, as they will be apt to get as much of that kind of fit as their systems require on their arrival at the Sunn House.

MEXICO.

One of the most encouraging signs of the times is to be observed in the prompt action taken by the Government in reference to the murderer of Mr. Stephens, a Protestant missionary in Mexico. Six of the murderers have been condemned to death, and the trial of the originator of the crime, Padre Ochoa, was in progress by latest advices. The Sunday before the unfortunate man was butchered, Padre Ochoa preached a sermon from the text: "the tree that bringeth forth bad fruit should be cut down," and publicly urged his degraded hearers to consume the act of faith. It is an auspicious omen for the future prospects of the Mexican people that they have arrived at that turning point in their national career when their authorities can safely punish crime, although it be backed up by the influence of a priesthood that is all powerful with a superstitious and degraded proletariat.

There is a remarkable similarity in the manner in which the decent people, the *gentes decentes* of the Catholic countries of the Western Hemisphere are protecting themselves against clerical aggression on their civil rights. In Brazil, even, it is no longer safe for a bishop to publicly excommunicate a government, and now poor priest-ridden Mexico has asserted her manhood to the extent of endangering the collared neck of a clerical bloodhound.

There is nothing so conducive to the preservation of the civil and religious rights of every citizen as an extended and judicious system of common schools. Had France enjoyed this advantage the murder of the Jesuits by the Communards would never have taken place. The Communards, themselves, received what education they had from the clerical schools that are so warmly recommended to the citizens of this country, and many Indians would not be concentrating his thoughts on the prospects of a

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inflammatory rheumatism while he was making it hot for Confederate rations during the struggle. We know of men who made vast fortunes during the war who, however, do not feel compensated thereby for the permanent spinal curve the devoted substitute was so successful in acquiring in the swamps of Louisiana.

The next thing in order will be a petition to Congress to pass an appropriation to erect brass monuments over the ashes of U. S. Quartermasters who perished at the hands of those reckless men who invaded the sacred soil.

THE latest attempt to narrow the local reporter's field of usefulness comes in the shape of an invention to prevent runaways by pressing a spring in the vehicle whereby the agile horse is detached from the fragile buggy. To make the outrage still more atrocious the wheels of the vehicle are locked by the same mechanism, thus securing to fast young men an immunity from the proper and legitimate consequences of reckless driving, which they do not deserve. Pulpit old citizens who may have had an opportunity to waddle out of range of a flying horse attached to the debris of a buggy, with undignified color, may find something in the arrangement strikingly akin to hard sense; but the explorer after local intelligence, who appreciates the practical value of a smash-up can not otherwise regard it than as a premeditated swindle. If the system of making the local column insipid is permitted to go on the knights of the lead pencil will have, in self-defense, either to start corner groceries, run for office, or do violence to the consciences by drawing on their imaginations for local items.

Lengthening Life.

In Genoa accurate registers have been kept of the yearly average of life since 1560, which was then twenty-two years six months; in 1833 it was forty years and five months. Thus, in less than three hundred years, the average duration of life has nearly doubled. In the fourteenth century the average duration of was on in sixteen; it is now about one in thirty-two. In England the rate of mortality in 1600 was one in thirty-three; now, about one in forty-two.

Telegraphic.

NEW ORLEANS, April 18.—The following was telegraphed, to-day, to the major of the principal cities: Owing to an unexampled overflow of the Mississippi river and its lower branches, by which more than 1000 miles of our State are submerged many thousands of families are ruined in their fixtures, and are threatened with starvation. It is beyond the means of our citizens who have escaped from this great calamity, to give definite relief to the sufferers. I have, therefore, thought proper to give an opportunity to your citizens to aid us. The contributions of philanthropic societies are earnestly solicited for the victims of the two-fold visitation of flood and famine.

(Signed) L. A. WITZ, Major.

LITTLE ROCK, April 18.—Several companies have arrived from the country this evening to reinforce Governor Baxter. Brooks has laid formal complaints before Col. Rose, post commandant, that parties have been deprived of their liberty by Major General Baxter's forces, and have asked that the United States interfere to protect them. Col. Rose has declined to interfere, as he has heretofore, in cases where Brooks' troops have arrested citizens. Brooks refused to make any complaints, stating he was not only to protect himself, but all citizens, and asked no assistance. Baxter still holds the telegraph office. Brooks has stopped the wires in front of the State House, and has an operator in that building.

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JUDGE WARREN'S MESSAIDAY FOR TRAILED.
Some of the letters valued from the
mail have been recovered.

JUDGE SIEMERING has just returned
from a short trip to Austin.

The present Legislature having consti-
tuted the anniversary of the battle of San
Jacinto a legal holiday, the banks will be
closed to morrow.

For all the styles of spring and summer
hats go to PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-dif

We regret to learn that the estimable
wife of Judge D. Y. Portis is dead. She
has been a patient sufferer for a long
time.

PANCOAST & SON have now received a
full assortment of cloths, cassimines and
linens to make up to order. 14-3-dif

Two military prisoners were brought
into this city en route to Huntsville by
Lieut. Martin of the 4th Cavalry, yester-
day.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING goods of
very best quality always to be found at
PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-dif

NEW evidence in the case of Pfleiderer,
the black driver, convicted of rape at the
last term of the District Court has been
discovered. We have seen the affidavit
and predict the verdict of the jury will
not be carried into effect.

READY made clothing in style and make
not to be surpassed, just received by PAN-
COAST & SON. 14-3-dif

It is instructive to notice the different
views that different people entertain of
the same public individual. A German
exchange speaking of Hammond, the Re-
vivalist, whose praise is in all the church-
es, not to say newspapers, has the follow-
ing:

"ONE OF THE KING." The notorious
temperance bible-banger, Hammond, has
already returned to St. Louis where his
sheep need shearing. Hammond makes a
paying business out of his cultivation of
the hypocrites, as he permits himself to
be engaged by the Salarians \$250 a week,
traveling expenses not included. The
money thus made be loans out at eight
per cent. Recently he sent the following
note to his lawyer in reference to the
foreclosure of a mortgage he held on a
farm in Kansas: "Send that man to the
wall."

Yours in Jesus,

HAMMOND.

These are the Christian principles that
predominate in the private affairs of
Hammond. He has on his traveling staff
several well dressedבענער, whom he
exhibits to the audience as converted
Christians that were formerly in the pos-
terity but were repented by him.

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California Rhine, Catawba, Sherry, Port, Madeira, Claret,

Fresh white in Barrels and Boxes.

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REWARD.

Esculents, Bacon, Ham, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Potatoes, Onions and Sourkraut.

SOAP.

Doucette, St. Louis, New York, Pratt's and Devos Coal, Olive

and Castile.

REWARD.

FISH.

Herrings, Mackrel, Sardines, Sardelles, Anchovies, and Salmon.

REWARD.

FRUITS ETC.

Raisins, Prunes, Apples, Currants, Dates, Figs, and Citron.

Lentils, Peas, Beans, Sago, Barley, Vermicelli and Macaroni.

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NUTS.

Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts, Brazil and Pecan.

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Milwaukee, St. Louis and Brewer Beer, Miller and Deetjen's

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Bye, Bourbon & Monongahela Whiskey, Brandy, Cognac, Gin, Anisette

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Sauces,

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Soda, Lye, etc.,

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Oils,

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Fish,

Herrings, Mackrel, Sardines, Sardelles, Anchovies, and Salmon.

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