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DRUGS,
MEDICINES,
PERFUMERIES, and
SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS
In fact all the leading articles, such as
PATENT MEDICINES
that are usually kept in a
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The stock being selected by himself, so
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First Class Jewelry Store.
Every article in their line of business
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Gold and Silver WATCHES, fine
Gold Chains and Jewelry, Silver and Sil-
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—AND—
TOBACCOES.
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now prepared to sell the following brands
in store:
Camilla Whisky, Monongahela Eye,
Pine Apple " Baltimore
Magnolia " Baker's
Olive Branch "
Clark's White Wheat,
Robertson County Bourbon,
Old-Grow
Chickens Cock "
T. O. P. "
Dan'l Boone, "
Goff "
French Cognac, Domestic and Holland
Gin, Cordials, Port, Sherry, Catawba,
Hart Sauterne, Claret, Rhine
Wines of my own importa-
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— ALSO —
A large stock of
Imported and Domestic Cigars,
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Chewing Tobacco.
To be sold at a small profit. '73-7-73d1y.

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This unrivalled Medicine is warranted
not to contain a single particle of MERCURY,
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containing those Southern Roots and
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is eminently a Family Medicine; and by
being kept ready for immediate resort
will save many an hour of suffering and
many a dollar in time and doctor's bills.
After over Forty Years' trial, it still
receives the most unqualified testimonials
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Armed with this ANTIDOTE, all climates
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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.
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Brandy-Peaches and Cherries in glass,
PEACHES,
PEARS,
PLUMS,
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
best brands. 20-5-73-d1y

Westminster College.
This institution, the child of the
Old School Synod of Missouri, has
had its lights and shades. In the
frequent outpourings of the spirit
of God upon its students, it is with-
out parallel East or West. It has
thus far had a hard struggle for
life, peculiarly. The late unpleas-
antness swept away a large amount
of its endowment; but friends ral-
lied to its support. We are greatly
gratified to learn, and it will doubt-
less rejoice the hearts of its friends
throughout the State, to hear that
a lady friend of Westminster has
requested a devoted and faithful
worker for the college to act as her
trustee in the matter of \$30,000
to \$50,000 which she desires to ap-
propriate to Westminster so long as
it is kept out of the Church North.
In case the college should become
connected with said church, she
desires her money to be withdrawn
and directed in another direction.—
Fulton (Mo.) Telegraph.

A priest, who was examining a
confirmation class in the south of
Ireland, asked the question, "What
is the sacrament of matrimony?"
A little girl at the head of the class
answered, "Tis a state of torment
into which souls enter to prepare
them for another and a better
world." Being the answer for pur-
gatory, said the priest, "Put her
down to the fut of the class," said
the curate. "Lave her alone," said
the priest; "for anything you or I
know to the contrary, she may be
perfectly right."

A young man, having put a
crown-piece into "the plate" in an
Edinburgh church, by mistake in-
stead of a penny, asked to have it
back, but was refused. In once, in
forever. "Aweel, aweel, granted he,
I will get credit for it in Heaven.
Na, na, said James, the door-keeper,
ye'll get credit only for the penny ye
meant to gie.

The Mouth of the Mississippi.
FORTY SEVEN VESSELS ON THE
BAR.
[N. O. Picayune, 31st March.]

Learning from gentlemen just
from the Passes that a most lament-
able state of affairs existed there,
a reporter, last evening, called on
Major Howell, who promptly gave
all the information he possessed in
the case. There came up yester-
day Mr. Chaffraix, of the well-known
firm of Chaffraix & Agar, who had
been a passenger on the steamship
Vandalia for Havana, but had been
detained already fourteen days at
the Southwest Pass. This steamer,
appears, in going out had struck on
a mud lump; her bow entering and
grounding, the stern swinging
around and bringing the vessel
aboard the channel, completely
blocking it up, not even a single
ship could go out or come in. Mr.
Chaffraix stated to the Major that
there were forty seven vessels in-
side and out, waiting for this to be
removed, and asked him if the Es-
sayons could not be brought around
to haul the steamer out. This Ma-
jor Howell declined to do, on two
grounds, one of them being, that he
had orders to keep the Essayons in
Pass-a-l'Outre; and secondly, if he
moved that boat from the Pass, it
would become stopped up and use-
less; and as he had already obtain-
ed a considerable depth there it
would be just so much time thrown
away. "The steamship Jamaica is
on that Pass, also aground, but I
will move her in a couple of days,
as I will any vessel in that Pass,
my instructions being to keep it
clear. If the Chamber of Commerce
or the merchants had come forward
with money when I wanted them
to, this would not have happened;

but as they refused to do so, now
they have to suffer the consequen-
ces. Indeed, though I am very
sorry, and shall spare no pains or
work, I do not think I will be able
to have a boat at the Southwest
Pass under ten days, so the Vandalia
and forty seven ships will have to
lie there. Pass-a-l'Outre is, how-
ever, open, and will be kept so, and
all ships can go in and out freely.
The depth of water here is increas-
ing daily, and will be over 184 feet
in a few days, when all will be
necessary, however, to keep a boat
constantly at work, which I intend
doing all the time, so vessels com-
ing to this pass need be under no
apprehensions whatever as to their
safe passage through."

ORNAIMENTAL LEAFED PLANTS.
The ornamental leaved plants are be-
coming very popular in all sections
of the world. They produce a fine
effect when grown in a group of half
a dozen or more. The *Breinus*,
Amaranthus, *Zea Japonica*, *Variegata*,
Perilla, *Naukinensis*, *Canna*
and the *Caladium*. *Esculentum*
are found useful in this respect, and
we dare say there is nothing better.
The seed of all the above-mentioned
varieties with the exception of the
two last may be sown in the open
ground, and will produce a fine ef-
fect the first season; or they may be
transplanted from the hot bed. The
Canna does best started in heat; the
Caladium must be grown from roots;
they are quite certain to produce
good plants the first season, the
leaves of which are gorgeous.

A young girl of Philadelphia, who
is now on her travels, went to West-
minster and condescended to admire
the great abbey. With admiration
came the desire of possession. The
whole abbey was too large to be re-
moved, so she quietly took a pen
knife from her pocket and cut out a
piece of the chair of Edward the
Confessor. She was arrested, and
as she was very pretty, they let her
off with 500 dollars—the price
would have been higher had she
been plainer. Not content with this,
she serenely journeyed to Bredden
in search of new worlds to conquer.
While visiting the church there she
attempted to possess herself of some
flowers from a shrine. In pulling
them off she overturned the image
of the Virgin, to the infinite horror
of the custodians of the church. For
this pleasing freak her father paid
\$2,500. Her beauty probably made
the fine small on this occasion also.

Dr. Schenk's Standard Remedies.
The standard remedies for all diseases of
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MANDRAKE PILLS, and, if taken before the
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used to cleanse the stomach and liver,
removing all obstructions, relax the gall
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Schenk's Sea Weed Tonic is a gentle
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which it is composed, mixes with the food
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nov16-69-d1y

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

FINE weather has set in after the cold spell of last week.

New potatoes from the Colets are sold on our streets at \$2 per bushel.

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

The indications are, that the bill granting three millions to the International, will pass the House and become a law.

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

MAJOR BRACKENRIDGE has been elected President of the Agricultural, Stockraising and Industrial Association, and Ed. Steves and C. Rossy Vice-Presidents. A meeting will take place at Judge Kloeke's office on Friday next at 8 P. M.

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

JAS. P. NEWCOMB, late Secretary of State, has been arrested in Austin on the charge of swindling the State, together with Phillips, late chief clerk of Comptroller Bledsoe, Green, the late steward of the Lunatic Asylum, has turned State evidence and preferred charges against Newcomb and Phillips. The trial commenced on Friday last and was not finished on Saturday. It appears from the evidence, that there was a conspiracy between Green, Newcomb and Phillips, to swindle the State, and that in one instance the swindling has been carried on under the firm of Voss & Co., contractors. This is the statement of Green, which, by other parties, is considered manufactured for the purpose of whitewashing Green and throwing the whole responsibility on Newcomb. We shall wait for further developments before we judge of this matter.

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So sweet, so pure, So safe, so sure, So suited to each dental want, The Fragrant SOZODONT.

Poverty of the Blood. If the blood be thin and watery the whole system is impoverished. The flesh is flabby, the muscles lack hardness, the nerves are relaxed, the internal organs but imperfectly perform their functions, the brain is inert, and, in short, the entire body is only half alive. The stomach is mainly responsible for this wretched condition of the human machine. Stimulate and tone that organ with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and a marked change for the better will soon be apparent. The result of improving the digestion with this potent and genial tonic will be the conversion of the food into rich, pure blood, and as the blood is the raw material from which flesh, muscle, brain, bone, and every membrane, tissue and ligament of the body are manufactured, all those components of the material frame will be gradually regenerated and invigorated. This is sound doctrine, and it is sustained by the logic of facts.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Postoffice at San Antonio April 21, 1874, received prior to April 14, 1874:

- Published by Official Authority. Abrams, Moses Johnson, Miss Emelia Allen, George T Jefferson, Miss Mary Banker, William D Leon Brunie, Mr. Jourdan, Henry Ball, Capt Spencer J Johnson, Emma Bendle, Chevely Keilbach, P Briscoe, K Kessler, Johann Casanova, Bentura Kotani, Franz Collins, Mrs Maud (2) Louaitre Louis Clairac, Michel Lawrence, Annie Cuellar, Teresita Lewis, Isaac W Caps, Mrs Mary Lee, Jerry Carrizo, Aniseto Maurer, Louisa Cayles, Dr. Manny, Theobald Morales, Ramon Clarke, Peter Mitchell, Jack Cooper, Oliver G Mason, Nancy Evelen, Lievia Matthews, J M Foster, Mrs J E Moherley, James Florio, Linzia Megar, Henry B Fairchilds, H W & Murphy, Dan (3) W S Chesser Jones, Miss Jane Genson, Dora Olbarr, Pascido Gubler, John Perez, Mariana Gomez, Jesus Richardson, J W (col) Gholson, Miss Lettie Street, M S Gay, George Soto, A Garcia, Adolfo Sharpey, Mr Hatcher, T A & Co Smith, Rev B M Hayes, M Town, Dick Hill, James A Totten, Michael Hale, Mrs M L Wells, D H (2) Evans, A B Winn, Miss Georgia James, William Winn, James Jackson, W W

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please ask for advertised letters. OFFICE HOURS—From 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. Sundays, from 9 a. m. until 10 a. m. and from 4 p. m. until 5 p. m. S. P. GAMBIA, P. M.

A WEALTHY gentleman, who owns a country seat, nearly lost his wife, who fell into a river which runs through the estate. He announced the narrow escape to his friends, expecting their congratulations. One of them—an old bachelor—wrote as follows: "I always told you that river was too shallow."

THE Chicago 'Mail and Post' is responsible for the assertion that when a reporter called to see Mr. Storey, of the Times, to ask him if he had shot Dr. Johnson, the old man replied: "Young man, do you think I am a fool enough to do it in time for the evening papers?"

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 THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1874

The Conflict in Arkansas and its Meaning.

There seems to be a general conspiracy of the democracy of the Southern States to take possession of the Governments by fraud and violence, if it must be, and no other way to power is open for them. We have witnessed the attempt of McEnery in Louisiana to swindle himself into the office of Governor, failing in which he resorted to arms and was badly beaten. President Grant interfered and sustained the decision of the Supreme Court declaring Kellogg the lawfully elected Governor.

The late history of Texas is known to our readers. Here the decision of the Supreme Court was trampled under the feet by the democracy, the office of Governor taken possession of by force and violence and the constitution disregarded; the Courts of the land were abolished and partisan bodies placed in their stead. President Grant did not interfere, he did not sustain the decision of the Supreme Court, he advised Gov. Davis to break his oath and defy the constitution and the laws of the land, and finally, although indirectly, encouraged democracy to usurp the executive and legislative power.

In Arkansas a different aspect is presented. James Brooks, the republican candidate for Governor, claims to have been elected in 1872. By the returns sent to the presiding officer of the Senate, who declares the vote, these returns showed the election of Baxter, but a full return of the vote was not sent to him. For instance the returns of the Counties of Gree, Johnson and Scott, all of them giving large majorities for Brooks, were not counted. In addition to this, in many instances, the vote of five or six townships in a county where it was for Brooks, would be left off the returns sent the presiding officer of the Senate. By this sort of fraud the returns on which the count of the Governor was made showed the election of Baxter, when in point of fact Brooks was really elected.

Brooks then applied to the legislature to be allowed to contest the election, but the legislature promptly rejected the petition. The Attorney General, knowing the facts stated, applied to the Supreme Court for a writ quo warranto, which was denied for want of jurisdiction. Brooks then commenced civil action, which the state authorizes, to obtain his rights and the possession of his office. This suit has been pending for about one year. On April 15th the cause was determined in the Circuit Court in favor of Brooks, who at once took possession of the office under the judgment alluded to.

It will be seen that the situation is about the reverse of what it was in Texas. But while Governor Davis, having been forsaken by the President, quietly retired, Baxter, the fraud, is defying the Supreme Court and permitting to raise an army and prepare for fight. The President having refused to interfere, Baxter resolved to retake his office by force of arms.

The United States troops amound under arms and instructed to prevent bloodshed. Whether they will be able to do it will be decided in a few days.

Thus it will be seen that the example set by the President in the case of Texas is bearing its legitimate fruits. The insurrectionary spirit of the old confederates is revived and will break loose wherever an opportunity offers. The leniency of the Central Government towards its old enemies has by them been taken for weakness and will be treated accordingly. We tell the President to look out for breakers! Permit the Republicans of the South to be suppressed and tyrannized,

permit the former slave holding element to control the Southern States, and you will soon break down the republican party of the Union, which event will be the signal for the execution of the ultimate design of the democracy—Peaceable Secession!

Adjournment.

The legislature is going to adjourn on the first Monday in May, which is the fourth day of that month. After the House had adopted the Senate's joint resolution referring to the adjournment, some members felt very sorry and resolved to reconsider. But the resolution had already been sent back to the Senate which august body refused to grant the request of the House. Thus it happened that the State of Texas will get rid of the most unworthy and incapable legislature she has ever been cursed with.

Let the people remember that a new era was promised us, that our finances were to be regulated, our frontier to be protected, our public schools to be made efficient, immigration to be invited, internal improvements to be favored—and then let them see what the Legislature actually did!

It repudiated the warrants of the State, it consumed the revenues of the State, it squandered money and time in persecuting Republican officers, it neglected the public schools, it treated with contempt the immigration question, it left the frontier people to defend themselves, it ran the State into debts, ruined her credit, and increased her taxes.

What good has this Legislature done the country? Most of its actions were dictated by partisan spirit; the welfare of the people was a second consideration only. Ask the merchant, the mechanic, ask the farmer what influence Democratic government has had upon business and the development of the resources of the State, and they will tell you that a general stagnation has taken place, a want of confidence which is steadily increasing with the increasing insecurity of life and property.

Let the legislators go home and listen to the judgment of the people. There will be scarcely one amongst ten whom they will welcome as a faithful servant. And to the people let us say: Beware of the Pharisees that publicly flatter you and promise to act as you desire, but secretly deceive you. Beware of snakes, fools and block heads.

Telegraphic.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—House—Under a call of the States various bills were introduced and referred, including the following:

By Mr. Southard, an act to fix the compensation of the President of the United States at \$25,000 per annum.
 Mr. Starkweather, an act levying a tax of one-twentieth of one per centum on the sales of stocks, bonds, gold and silver bullion, promissory notes, and other securities.

Mr. Beck, an act increasing the tax on the circulation of national banks from one-twelfth to one-eighth per cent per month. He moved to have the bill referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Maynard moved it reference to the Committee on Banking and Currency, remarking that the effect, if passed, of that bill was to tax the national banks out of existence.

Mr. Beck said it was nothing of the sort.

A bill was introduced by Mr. O'Brien, to authorize the Indian Nation and tribes, in their corporate capacity and as individual members thereof, to sue and be sued in the United States courts.

Mr. Foster, by request, introduced a bill providing for the collection of money and recovery of lands wrongfully withheld from the government by the Kansas Pacific Railroad Company.

Mr. Odings moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill for the better protection of the frontier settlements of Texas against Indian and Mexican depredations by the construction and maintenance of a line of telegraph from Denison, Texas, to Fort Sill, Indian Territory, and thence along the northern border line of settlements, and by the various military posts to Brownsville, and appropriating \$100,000 for that purpose. Amended and bill was passed.

The House suspended the rules by a vote of 154 to 66, that Mr. Kelley might move to make the bill appropriating \$3,000,000 for the centennial celebration the special order for the fifth of May.
 An appeal, issued by the mayor of New

Orleans, for assistance for the people of the overflowed districts along the banks of the lower Mississippi river, was presented—The House decided to take no action till more information was received in regard to their condition.

Senate—On motion of Senator West, a bill just received from the House of Representatives for the relief of persons suffering from the overflow of the Mississippi river, was read and referred.

Senator Edmunds, from Judiciary Committee, reported unfavorably on the bill for the relief of the purchasers of land sold for direct taxes in the insurrectionary States.

At the request of Senator Clayton, the bill was placed on the calendar with the adverse report.

New York, April 20.—This has been an eventful day in Wall street. It opened with the failure of Capron & Merriam, and the C. C. and T. C. pool, and was followed by events which precipitated a panic on the Stock Exchange. The failure above noticed was followed by various rumors, all of which tended to disturb the confidence and unsettle matters generally.

There was a report that a railroad and steamship war was likely to result from the inability of the Pacific Mail, Panama and Union to agree upon some amicable freight arrangement, and that the Central Pacific road was about consummating an agreement with an English company to put on an opposition line of steamers between San Francisco, Japan and China.

All facts and rumors caused an enormous pressure of sales of stock. Exchange and prices declined from 10 to 10.5-8 per cent. The C. C. and C. I. is leading in the downward movement, and at one time during the afternoon there was a rally of 1-2 to 2-2 per cent, but at the close the market was heavy and lower.

LITTLE ROCK, April 20.—There is no change in the situation. A company of United States soldiers occupy the telegraph office and Gazette building. Four additional companies have been added to Gov. Baxter's force, and one to Brooks'. The men on both sides are resting on their arms.

MEMPHIS, April 20.—Preparations are nearly completed for a general attack on the Carlist position at Bilboa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED to know if any information can be given as to the whereabouts of Sarah J. Dawson, sister of John Wesley Dawson. When last heard from was some where in this State, and married to a Mr. Walters or Walker. I believe the first. Any information of or from her will be thankfully received by her only brother, J. W. DAWSON.
 Care John McDonald, Dodge City, Kansas.

Proposals For Army Transportation.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS, OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, San Antonio, Texas, April 15, 1874
 Sealed Proposals in triplicate, under the usual conditions heretofore published, will be received at this office until 11 A. M., Friday May 15, 1874, for the transportation of Military, Indian and Government Supplies in the Department of Texas, during the year beginning July 1, 1874, and ending June 30, 1875.

These contracts embrace the movements of all Government Supplies from New Orleans to the Texas posts; their movements from points on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway to Fort Sill, Griffin, and Richardson; transfer from the coast to San Antonio, and thence to the frontier posts; to Fort Brown and thence to Kingold Barracks and Fort McIntosh.

Full information, form of proposals, contracts &c can be obtained from the Post Quartermaster at Fort Brown, Texas, Austin, Texas, and Denison, Texas, from the Quartermaster at New Orleans, La; Chicago, Ill.; St. Louis, Mo.; and from the undersigned.
 Bidders must be present in person or represented by duly authorized agents present, and be prepared to show that they will complete the necessary contracts if awarded to them.
 By authority of the Department Commander,
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 The business will be continued by W. E. Friedlander who assumes all liabilities and collects all outstanding, under the style of W. E. FRIEDLANDER & CO.
 W. E. FRIEDLANDER,
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 San Antonio, March 9th, 1874. 8-4 d4wim

Engle Pass, Texas, April 1st, 1874
 HAVING associated ourselves with Mr. E. Callen, of Piedras Negras, the style of our firm, at this place, has been changed to that of **GROOS & CALLEN.**
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 He is now prepared to take large risks and solicits a share of your patronage.
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 Respectfully,
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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Gold is 114 in New York; Cotton quiet at 17 1/2.

A GERMAN Democratic paper will be started in Austin on May 1st.

There seems to be another panic in New York, several banks having suspended payment.

READY made clothing in style and make not to be surpassed, just received by PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-11f

The Supreme Court has, by consent, set the day for hearing the mandamus case of the International Road vs. the Comptroller, for Thursday, the 7th day of May.

FOR all the styles of spring and summer hats go to PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-11f

The Postmaster-General asks from Congress an appropriation of \$8000 to hunt down Texas mail robbers.

WEATHER changing; slight rain in the morning, bright sunshine about noon. There will be more rain if we understand to judge from the sign.

PANCOAST & SON have now received a full assortment of cloths, cassimeres and linens to make up to order. 14-3-11f

The meeting of the Agricultural, Stock-raising and Industrial Association will take place in the Alamo Literary Hall and not in Judge Kloocke's office, as we erroneously stated in our last issue.

DICKENS and Rosa McCamus, who are said to be implicated in the mail robbery, were bound over by U. S. Commissioner Price in Austin to the U. S. District Court in a bond of \$2000 and \$1000 respectively.

GENTLEMEN'S furnishing goods of the very best quality always to be found at PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-11f

The International railroad question will probably be decided to day. The House is discussing a substitute to the Senate bill, giving three million dollars in bond at par to the road as a final settlement for all claims, including interest to July 1st, 1874.

The American Sardine Co's Boneless Sardines are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines. 26-2-41y

The Senate has adopted a resolution annexing the parishes Caddo and De Soto to Texas. These being two of the ill-famed desperado counties Louisiana will scarcely object to the proposed annexation. We thought Texas was large enough for all considerations; and when the Democracy sold the valuable purchase to the United States, the opinion was prevailing that the State was too large. But times change, and so does Democracy.

To gather pearls from ocean's vases Divars go down in divers places; But at our mouths of streams and bays, No pearls de Asian swimmers raise Like those in beauty's mouth that shine Made by the SOZODONT divine.

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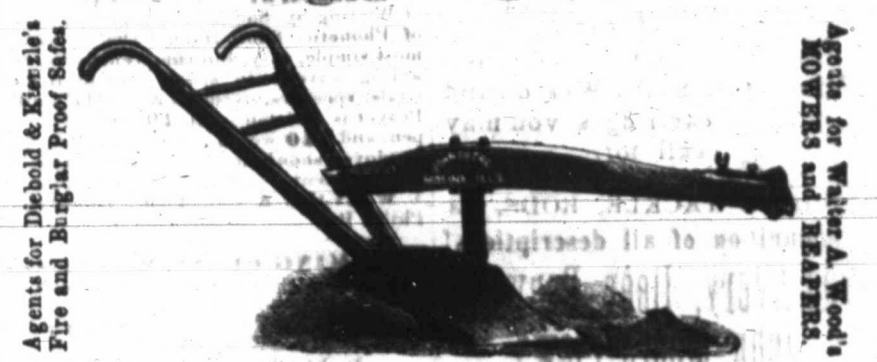
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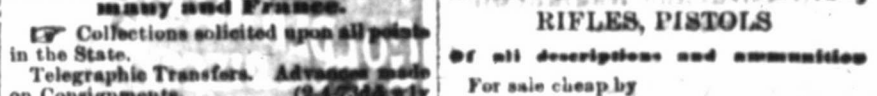
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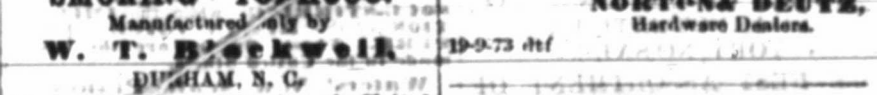
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