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General News.

COLUMBUS, O., June 11.—On account of the strike at Longstreth's mines at Nelsonville, 500 negroes, from Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, and Arkansas, arrived to take the place of the strikers. They were accompanied by twenty one special policemen from Columbus. They passed the Nelsonville depot, and proceeded directly to Longstreth's mines, a half mile below, but still within the village corporation, where they found everything quiet. They were immediately placed on military duty. Arms were placed in their hands, and picket lines encircling half a mile in diameter, preventing the entrance to Longstreth's mines, were established during the day. The American flag was floated from Longstreth's works, where the new men have been marked down and colored men have been patrolling the outskirts all day with muskets and bayonets.

Gov. Allen has ordered military companies to be ready to march from Cincinnati and other places, if necessary. There has been skirmish firing, but no casualties.

NASHVILLE, June 11.—A few days since a terrible outrage was committed upon the person of Miss Martha Dipsler, living near Thora Hill, Granger county, Tenn. J. Coffey, C. Collins, J. Collins and Osborne Wolfe went to the house of the young lady, and found her lying across the bed, she being unwell and alone. They proceeded to smother her with a bed cover, and the three held her while the fourth satisfied his hellish lust, and so by turn until all four of the fiends had outraged her person. They were arrested, tried before Esquire Dalton, and committed to jail.

LINCOLN, NEB., June 11.—There is impending a duplicate Millriver disaster at Sioux City, on the Missouri river, from high water, causing the Missouri to cut through to Big Sioux river, just above Sioux City, or Covington, on the opposite side of the river. If the river continues rising, one or the other of these places will be washed away, or Sioux City left several miles inland.

CRESTERTON, IND., June 11. A party of boys, who were boat riding on Mud Lake this afternoon, came to grief by rocking the boat and upsetting it. Two boys, named James L. Beatty and Mathew Mayers, aged 14 and 11 were drowned.

BALTIMORE, June 11.—The graves of the Confederate dead at Loudon Park Cemetery were decorated this afternoon with appropriate ceremonies. General Bradley T. Johnson, of Richmond, delivered an address. A committee appointed by the Army and Navy of the Confederate States placed a handsome cross and bonnet, bearing the inscription, "A tribute to the Union dead from Confederate soldiers," upon the cannon guarding the lot in which the Federal dead are interred.

Crisis in France.

PARIS, June 16.—The Assembly was crowded with Deputies and spectators. Casimir Perier introduced a constitutional bill prepared by the Left Center and the government. Its consideration is declared urgent. He said the country demanded the termination of its provisional state, and urged union against the Bonapartists and demagogues. The speaker was frequently interrupted by the Right, and warmly applauded by the Left.

Laboulaye supported the motion for urgency. He said that recent events had proven the dangers of a provisional condition. A monarchy was impossible. An empire would only lead to the invasion and oppression of France. A republic was a government of all and for all, and its establishment would inspire the country with confidence.

Gen. Recloumier, of the Right Center, and M. de la Rochefoucauld, of the Right, opposed the motion. M. de la Rochefoucauld, Duc de Besaccia, of the extreme Right, then introduced a resolution in substance as follows: "That the reading and profound silence of the Assembly declares that the government of France is a monarchy, and belongs to the head of the house of France. Marshal McMahon may assume the title of Lieutenant of the Kingdom, and national institutions shall be determined by agreement between the King and the national representatives."

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CUBAN RECOGNITION, we are sorry to see, has no chance in Congress during the present session.

A LETTER from Harrisonville, Cass county, Missouri, says that the Circuit Court will open there this week with a large docket. There are some important suits to be tried in relation to the driving of Texas cattle into the county.

THE reciprocity discussion between the United States and the Dominion of Canada will doubtless lead to the ratification of a reciprocity treaty between the two countries highly beneficial to both, and will prepare the way for the ultimate annexation of Canada to the United States.

YELLOW FEVER.—Owing to the yellow fever in Havana, vessels from that port are quarantined at New York. Quarantine has already been declared against Havana at all the ports of Texas.—Galveston News.

We have repeatedly given it as our opinion that yellow fever would invade the Texas coast this season, unless prevented by quarantine. Now, it is at our doors. Let Galveston, Houston, and Indianola look out.

THE vote in Galveston county in favor of \$500,000 subscription of stock to the Gulf, Colorado, and Santa Fe railroad is decided by the county court to be in favor of the subscription. This settles the matter, and we suppose that work will be commenced at once. The importance of this road to the State and to Galveston can not be overestimated. Let Galveston now show what she can do in railroad building; she has never done it before.

CANDIDATES.—The Dallas Intelligencer says that Ex-Governor Throckmorton, of McKinney, Judge J. J. Good, of Dallas, and Judge S. H. Hays, of Sherman, are candidates for Congress from that District, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention, called to meet at Fort Worth on the 29th day of July, proximo.

Col. DeMorse, of Clarksville, Col. D. B. Culbertson and Hon. B. H. Epperson, of Jefferson, and W. H. Pope, of Marshall, are being talked of as candidates for Congress from the Jefferson District.

THE idea that the Government of the United States is in danger of "Cassianism," "imperialism," or of anything else destructive of the essential principles of republicanism, is too ridiculous to be entertained for a moment by any man, outside of a lunatic asylum, whose opinion is worth the loss of a minute of time to listen to it. And the idea that the election of a President for a third term would endanger the liberties of the nation, just because it has not been done before, is just as ridiculous as plowing with an old-time Mexican plow, or putting a pumpkin in one end of a bag and a stone in the other, just because that was the custom of our fathers. Elect the most suitable man to the Presidency, whether it be his first or his third term.

THE LOWER HOUSE of Congress has inserted in the sundry civil bill an amendment providing for commencing the publication of all official records of the late war, including the Confederate archives.

The subject was brought up in the Military Committee by Mr. Gussel, and Gen. Coburn, who had also had the subject under consideration, at once endorsed, and urged it, and all the members of the committee agreed to the project.

Adjutant General Townsend, who happened to be present, also earnestly supported the proposition, and as a result Gen. Coburn reported the following resolution to the House, and it was adopted unanimously to enable the Secretary of War to begin the publication of the records of the war of the rebellion, both of the Union and Confederate armies. The sum of \$15,000 is appropriated, and the Secretary of War is hereby directed to have copies of the public printer all reports, letters, telegrams and orders not hitherto copied, and printed and properly arranged in chronological order.

Senator Logan has expressed much interest in such publications, and will advocate it in the Senate. A large mass of this documentary material was prepared under a resolution, which passed soon after the close of the war, but was subsequently rescinded through the influence of parties in interest. It is believed that the work will now go on until all the official records necessary to complete the history of the war are presented in print.

Grant and the Democrats.

It is therefore evident that there are dangers ahead of us, and that, if there ever was a time when we needed a wise and experienced navigator to take the helm and steer the ship of State through the breakers, that time is upon us now. The tide is about to turn. Who is the coming man? Grant, it is predicted—by one who professes to read the future, and who desires that his prophecy may be put upon record—will be a candidate again in 1876, and, he asserts, will be supported by the Southern Democracy. While we do not credit every prediction, still it must be admitted that much has transpired of late which points in that direction. It is plain that a change has come over his views or feelings, and that, so far as information can be gleaned from his associations, he is studying and marking out his future political campaign with as much studiousness and care as he did his campaigns during the war. It is said that he will veto the Civil Rights bill if the House should pass it. It can be readily seen what effect such a measure would have upon the country and the South particularly. It would place him in the front rank of the friends of the South.—Austin Statesman.

It is perfectly clear, from many utterances like the above which we find in Democratic journals, and from his own more recent acts, that President Grant is now deeply impressing himself upon all the candid and patriotic men of the country as a broad-minded, wise, and patriotic national statesman. His position in opposition to the inflation gambling scheme, which would have saddled the nation forever with a hopeless public debt like that of England, and in favor of an honest currency, has struck a chord in the heart, conscience, and intellect of the whole country. His opposition to the civil rights bill has shown that, while he supports the equal political and civil rights of all citizens, regardless of color or race, he is no radical fanatic, and that he is a friend of the South. His desire that on Decoration Day Federal and Confederate dead alike should be remembered, is in perfect harmony with his magnanimous treatment of the great Lee, when the fortune of war turned against him.

ARBITRATION, instead of war, seems likely to become the tribunal before which international disputes are henceforth to be settled. President Grant has the honor of inaugurating the practice of this most humane and Christian philosophy, by bringing about the arbitration of the Alabama Claims before the Geneva Tribunal. The recent General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Louisville, passed a resolution highly approving of the practice. There is a resolution now before the Congress of the United States on the same subject.

And now the London Times publishes a dispatch from Berlin which gives the probable action of the Congress which will assemble at Brussels next month to consider the subject of international rights in time of war. The Times' correspondent says the Congress will codify the recognized usages of international law, in so far as they affect the actual conduct of the war. A new code is to be enacted in the form of an international treaty, which promises to become the first law common to the whole civilized world. The draft of a treaty which is to be submitted to the Congress has been prepared. It contains seventy-six clauses, which state in detail the rights and obligations of belligerents, from the mutual claims of the belligerent States down to the relations of the States to private individuals. They also specify what classes of arms shall be legitimately used in war, and make regulations for the treatment of prisoners.

Whenever the enlightened public opinion of Christendom can be fairly consulted, instead of the mere selfishness and ambition of individual rulers, wars will gradually fall into disuse, and when, unfortunately, they do occur, their rigor and barbarity will be greatly modified, and humanity take the place of cruelty. God speed the good day!

The Frontier Battalion—Its Officers.

The following is a list of the officers of the frontier battalion as far as appointed: John B. Jones, of Navarro county, major.

Company A—John R. Waller, of Erath, captain; J. A. Wright, of Comanche, 1st lieutenant.

Company B—G. W. Stephens, of Wise, captain; S. G. McGarrob, of Collin, 1st lieutenant.

Company C—E. F. Ikkard, of Clay, captain; G. W. Campbell, of Montague, 1st lieutenant; J. P. Beavert, of Jack, 2nd lieutenant.

Company D—C. R. Perry, of Blanco, captain; W. Ledbetter, of San Saba, 1st lieutenant; Geo. Freeman, of Gillespie, 2nd lieutenant.

Company E—W. J. Malby, of Burnet, captain; J. G. Connell, of Brown, 1st lieutenant; J. M. Elkins, of Coleman, 2nd lieutenant.

Company F—Neal Caldwell, of Kerr, captain; Pat Dolan, of Uvalde, 1st lieutenant; F. H. Nelson, of Kendall, 2nd lieutenant.

HEARTH AND HOME, June 20, is a beautiful number. It has now consolidated with the Graphic.

Telegraphic.

Judge Ireland has authorized the call of a Democratic convention in the 5th District to nominate a candidate for Congress. Austin is mentioned as the place, September 2nd as the time.

It is feared at Austin that the notorious John Wesley Hardin and his friends will rescue the seven cattle thieves on their way to De Witt. It is positive that Hardin is in the neighborhood for he was seen by the squad from Waller's company while bringing the cattle-stealers to Austin, and was pursued and shot through the shoulder by one of the rangers. He discharged his revolver a number of times at his pursuers.

It is said that State Financial Agent Moody has not failed in his negotiations for the sale of State bonds.

The "lawlessness and crime" men have stolen Gov. Coke's one-eyed, bob-tailed, fat pony.

It has rained from Hempstead to Sherman on the line of the Central road, and crops are fine.

Turner Bros., New York bankers, have suspended.

Robert Shears, two miles from Brownsville, Texas, has been assaulted and driven from his rancho by Cortina's men, and troops have been sent to protect him.

The son of Harper Bros., N. Y., John Harper, is suffering from paralysis.

The lower house of Congress has passed the bill making Mormon polygamists ineligible as delegates to Congress.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The Senate spent the day on the currency bill, and finally agreed to the conference report by a vote of 32 yeas to 23 nays.

The report will be given preference in the House to-morrow, but a long debate there is not expected. The passage of the bill is conceded. Very few, however, profess to believe the President will sign it, but a large majority confidently expect a veto.

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Dr. Bille wishes to call particular attention to his new discovery, by which he can, by the help of microscope and chemistry, discover if there is any syphilitic poison in the blood, which is of the greatest importance, as persons having had venereal diseases often believe themselves cured, and the poison still remains in the blood to break out sooner or later. Dr. Bille has resided in New Orleans for years, is endorsed by the best citizens there, and by his skill, knowledge and successful cures has obtained a great reputation as a specialist.

DR. BILLE

Has arrived in Austin and is located at the

RAYMOND HOUSE,

Where he will be pleased to see those seeking his services at home, as his stay will only be short.

Consultation strictly confidential, in English, German, French & Scandinavian.

10-5-74-d3a

City Lots For Sale.

THE Turner's Lot, situated in Ward No. 4, opposite Mr. Wall's property, comprising four city lots, fronting on three streets, with good fence and a stone building, is for sale. Apply to

A. SIEMERING,
President S. A. Turner's Assoc.

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H. MACCORMACK W. H. HUSTON.

MACCORMACK & HUSTON,

LAWYERS.

Room No. 1, over Gamble's Book-Store.

Special attention given to examination of titles.

Notary Public at office.
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FOR SALE.

A NICE dwelling House, a good well and stable on the premises, on market street, right within the city. The house consists of four airy rooms, and the kitchen two rooms. Deed guaranteed.

For particulars enquire at my above residence, or at the Express Office.

4-6-74-d11a M. T. JESSE.

Hugo & Schmeltzer,

Staeck's Building, Commerce St.

Wholesale & Retail Grocers,

Keep always on hand a large and complete stock of

Flour of various Brands,
Rio and Java Coffee,
Crushed and La. Sugars,
Coarse and fine Salt,
Rice, Beans, Potatoes, etc.
Genuine & pure Cider Vinegar,
Candles, Astral oil, & Gasoline Fluid,
Choice Brands of Whiskies,
Brandies, Wines and
Stomach Bitters, etc.

ANHEUSER AND-UHRIG'S ST. LOUIS BEER,
Best genuine porter and Ale, etc. etc.

All grades of
CHEWING AND SMOKING TOBACCOES,
Segars of all brands and qualities,
together with a full stock
of all other articles
in their line.

Owing to the present hard times we will sell at lowest figures. Large inducements to cash-buyers and a liberal discount on gold payments.

Special Notice to Sheep Raisers!

We have on hand a large lot of LEAF TOBACCO, which, according to a late decision of the Revenue Department can be sold to sheep raisers for dipping purposes without paying special license on the same.

LONE STAR

VINEGAR FACTORY,

WAGNER & RUMMEL,

PROPRIETORS.

Price of Vinegar.

Wholesale.....25 cts. @ gallon
Retail.....40 " " "

WARRANTED STRICTLY PURE.

Certificate.

I have tested your vinegars and find that it is free of all poisons and recommend it as the most wholesome vinegar.

Geo. H. KALTEYER,
Chemist.

The Dodge Mowers, Reapers and Self-Rakers.

THESE MOWING MACHINES are the strongest build and most durable of any sold in this market. A new supply just received and for sale by

L. HUTH & SON,
Market Street, San Antonio.

UHRIG'S

ST. LOUIS LAGER BEER

from the celebrated

CAVE BREWERY,

equal to any imported beer, always on hand and sold at liberal prices.

RHOBIUS & CO.,

SOLE AGENTS.

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Our entire Stock consisting of a good assortment of

DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS,
SHOES,
HATS,
NOTIONS,
The sale will only be for 60 days.

Must be sold out in sixty days without reserve.

SELLING AT COST.

LOUIS BERNARD,

42, Commerce St., San Antonio, Texas.
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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

LOCAL NOTES.—A young man on horseback looked into the Express office this morning, and called out to the printers, "Want to buy any corn?" The reply was made, "This is a printing office, not a livery stable; we use brain power, not horse power." He saw the joke, laughed heartily, in which about a dozen bystanders joined, and they rode on. But he is the right sort of a man to sell corn, or anything else, for he calls and solicits at every house.

It is **city**, we think, that the new building on Main Plaza about to be erected at the north west corner, where Acquia street leaves the Plaza, should be a one-story building, as we understand it will be. Think of a new one story building on Main Plaza just as the railroad gets here. It is out of all character. It ought to be four stories at least.

It is now rainy, damp and muddy in every direction, where a day or two ago it was parched, burning, and intolerably dusty. And it looks more rain might fall any moment.

PASSENGERS by the Austin stage say that it rained yesterday on all the road between here and Austin. The road is very muddy, and very heavy for the horses. From all we can learn this rain has been pretty general, and a good crop season is now pretty well assured all over Texas. It looks very much like it would continue to rain for some time yet, if not during the whole of this moon. It would do no harm to have a great deal more rain than we have received, for the ground had got very dry, and much of it covered with cracks. A rain every day for a week to come would do great good.

The lawyers in the District Court, the witnesses, and the jury had a very exciting and, to outsiders, a very amusing discussion yesterday over what looked like a blue and speckled cow-hide, very dry and stiff, which was exhibited in court. The question of moment was, whether or not that hide had a brand representing the letters L. B. and a half circle over it. The witnesses swore it had been there, but it was hard now to make it out, unless the hide could be soaked.

READY made clothing in style and make out to be surpassed, always on hand at PANCOAST & SON. 14-3-14f

THE SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS this week we have been unable to write up, on account of press of other business engagements. The Flores street white school, and the Rincon street colored school, both had very satisfactory examinations yesterday and to day.

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

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.—The regular monthly meeting of the A. S. & L. Association, will be held at Firemen's Hall, Saturday evening the 20th inst. All new, as well as old subscribers, and the public generally are invited to attend.

J. T. BRACKENRIDGE, President. ROBERT EAGER, Secretary. June 19-dtf

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

ARRIVALS.—By the Austin stage—Mr. Parada, S. Rinker, P. Villegrand, S. Orasco, Master Lovie Gillespie, J. Bacon, Mr. Faily, Rev. Father Bufford, J. Bagkowski, A. E. Camp. By the Columbus stage—G. W. Hooker, A. Ross.

DEPARTURES.—By the Austin stage—A. Guthke, M. E. Burnett, Col. F. Barnes, Mr. Bailey, Lewis Hancock.

By the Eagle Pass stage—G. W. Hooker, A. Ross, M. Krakau, Miss Annie Harmon. The Austin stage which was due here last night at 12 o'clock did not reach here until 7 o'clock this morning.

GENUINE India Fish Hat to be found at PANCOAST & SON, can be sold low

THE STOCK JOURNAL, published at Pleasanton, says, very truly, that the stock-raising interest is in a transition state, that driving to Kansas is about ended, that packeries will be established at home and that railroads to San Antonio and the Rio Grande will soon cause cattle to be shipped instead of driven to market. But that paper is somewhat in doubt as to whether all this will prove more profitable to the stock raiser and to the country than the present state of things. We think there can be no doubt that the new state of things will be by far the most profitable. It will cause fine stock to be raised instead of long-horns, and the difference in the profit will be like the difference between the raising of mustangs and that of raising the thorough-bred horses of the "Blue Grass" region of Kentucky. And then agriculture will flourish all over the region now devoted to the cattle range, and beautiful homes and a highly refined population will take the places of the rude and scattered ranches, and the herders and drivers of cattle. It will be a much better state of things every way. The Stock Journal quotes a sale of blooded cattle at Chicago which illustrates our view. There were 80 head, and all belonged to Col. Wm. S. King, of Minneapolis, Minn. Geo. R. Robins, of London, paid for a fine bull \$14,000, being the highest price ever paid for a bull in this country. Hon. John Wentworth bid \$13,000 for the same animal, but old England beat him. The sale went on until the whole 80 were sold, aggregating the handsome sum of \$127,706.

KARREN'S GARDEN is now open to the public at all times of the day, and will be illuminated every evening. Ladies and gentlemen will find all kinds of accommodations and good, cool beverages of every description. 23-dif

PANCOAST & SON are constantly receiving a good assortment of cloths, cassimeres and chevots for custom trade. The New Braunfels cassimeres for sale.

Arrivals at Menger Hotel.

June 18, 1874.
Dr. J. W. Brown, Caney, Matagorda Co.
Wm. C. Child, Wharton;
H. C. King, Boerne;
W. V. Henderson, Boerne;
Geo. Flew, Leon Springs;
M. A. Lee, Leon Springs;
J. C. Andrews, Atlanta & N. O. Short Line R. R.;
James A. Gresham, New Orleans;
Wm. T. Birdsall, New York.

June 19, 1874.
A. Ross, Wharton.
G. W. Hooker, Wharton.
Jas. T. Ward, Lamar, Mo.
Selim Rinker, Galveston.
C. P. Dailey, Stringtown.
Jul. Bankowsky, Houston.

Plain English.

There is no good reason why an English speaking people should be doctored in Latin. If we should describe the properties of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters in the jargon of the profession, not one reader in twenty would understand what it is good for. We prefer to say in simple words that it possesses the qualities of regulating and purifying qualities of the highest order; that the vegetable ingredients of which it is composed are eminently wholesome and salutary, and that the stimulant which is combined with them is the purest that can be manufactured. We prescribe it, not in garbled Latin, but in the good old mother tongue, as a remedy for languor, debility, nervousness, indigestion, liver complaint, fever and ague, constipation, rheumatism, and low spirits, and as a preventive of every disease produced by foul air, whether it stagnates in crowded work-rooms or imperils life and health in swampy districts and new clearings. So the masses say, and so they have been saying for the last twenty years.

DR. SCHECK'S PULMONIC SYRUP, SEA WEED TONIC, AND MANDRAKE PILLS.—These medicines have undoubtedly performed more cures of Consumption than any other remedy known to the American public. They are compounded of vegetable ingredients, and contain nothing which can be injurious to the human constitution. Other remedies advertised as cures for Consumption, probably contain opium, which is a somewhat dangerous drug in all cases, and if taken freely by consumptive patients, it must do great injury; for its tendency is to confine the morbid matter in the system, which, of course, must make a cure impossible. Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup is warranted not to contain a particle of opium; it is composed of powerful but harmless herbs, which act on the lungs, liver, stomach, and blood, and thus correct all morbid secretions, and expel all the diseased matter from the body. These are the only means by which Consumption can be cured, and as Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Sea Weed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills are the only medicines which operate in this way, it is obvious they are the only genuine cure for Pulmonary Consumption. Each bottle of this invaluable medicine is accompanied by full directions. Dr. Schenck is professionally at his principal office, corner Sixth and Arch Streets, Philadelphia, every Monday, where all letters for advice must be addressed.

Nutrate a Piece of Bread or Meat with gastric juice, and it will dissolve. This is digestion. Add to such a mixture a little alcohol, and it will not dissolve. This is indigestion. Beware, then, of tinctures, or tonics, or decoctions containing spirituous liquors. Shun all rum "tonics," and rely solely on DR. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, the finest digestive invigorant known, and free from the fiery curse of Alcohol. 6-2-4w

The American Sardine Co's Boneless Sardines are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines. 26-2-4ty

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY AT AUCTION

BY **Wright & Co.**

ON Wednesday the 24th day of June 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. we will sell to the highest bidder the following City Property, viz:
All that tract or parcel of Land together with the building and all other improvements thereon, known as Joseph Wright Property, situated on Flores street, bounded on the East by said Flores street, on the North by property of E. Kabeiger and on the West by property of the Heirs of Maria Rodriguez dead. The building is entirely new and spacious, built of hard rock, and formerly occupied by the city officers of San Antonio.

Title indisputable. Parties wishing to purchase can see same by calling at our office. Terms Cash. WRIGHT & CO., Auctioneers. 11-6-74d

OFFICE OF THE Western Texas Insurance Company, San Antonio, June 6, 1874.

The following statement of the affairs of the Company is published in conformity with the requirements of Section Eleventh of its Charter:

Capital	302,500.00
Surplus	24,050.94
ASSETS:	\$327,150.94
Bills receivable with approved securities	137,700.00
Loans on real Estate	69,790.00
payable at 30 days notice	5,900.00
Cash in the Bank	8,775.55
Office	2,062.77
Accrued Interest	2,637.49
Due from agents	340.55
Office furniture	842.48
	\$227,150.94
LIABILITIES:	
Losses adjusted and not due	\$1,500.00
JAS. T. THORNTON, President.	
E. A. FLOTTAN, Secretary.	

WAGNER & RUMMEL.

PATENT FRUIT JARS

WHOLESALE GROCERS, PROPRIETORS

LONE STAR VINEGAR

PLACK HORSE TOBACCO FACTORY.

Sole Agents of the
BERLIN TIVOLI BEER,
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ELEPHANT BITTERS,
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PANACA "
CENTURY BOURBON WHISKY
CABINET RYE "

Price of Vinegar:
WHOLESALE 25 Cs. @ Gallon.
RETAIL 40 " "

SCHEIHAGEN & HEUSINGER,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Hardware and Agricultural Implements.
Agents for the



CELEBRATED MOLINE PLOWS,
MANUFACTURED BY DEERE & CO.


Carriage Material, Iron, Steel, PAINTS, G. S. GLASS, CEMENT, CLOCKS &c.

J. H. KAMPMANN ARCHITECT & BUILDER.
Is prepared to contract for all kinds of Mason Work, Stone cutting, Carpenter Work, Plastering and Painting.

J. H. KAMPMANN'S NEW DOOR, SASH AND BLIND FACTORY
The undersigned having completed his new Factory, in which all wood to be done Machinery and Steam power, is prepared to make at the shortest notice: Doors, Windows, Blinds and M. sashes of every description. Riping and Planing Lumber, Making 1 inch and 1 1/2 inch Flooring, and all other articles connected with the Carpenter Business. Seasoned Lumber, White and Yellow Pine and Louisiana Gum Cypress constantly on hand.

ALSO SAWING ROCK BY STEAM POWER
ALL ORDERS WILL BE PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
OFFICE—On Nacogdoches Street, Near the Alamo.
March 12(d) J. H. KAMPMANN


LEROUX & COSGROVE,
No. 54 & 56, Commerce st.,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
DIRECT IMPORTERS & DEALERS IN
HARDWARE
of all descriptions.
CUTLERY, FIRE ARMS;
The Winchester Rifle and Carbine,
Smith, Wesson and Remington
Five and six shooters,
The Robertson and Cowhunter's
Rifle, Remington Breach
Loading Shot Guns,
And a variety of Pocket Deringers.
Winchester, Smith Wesson and
any other carriages you may
call for,
SPORTSMEN'S OUTFITS,
FISHING TACKLE, RODS, &c.
Ammunition of all descriptions!
The Avery, Deer, Pony and
John Moore Plows,
And a stock of
EXTRA POINTS
For all Plows,
PAINTS and OILS,
VARNISHES, &c.,
Window Glass,
GLASS-WARE,
CROCKERY,
LAMPS,
CHANDELIERS,
GAS-FIXTURES,
Also the
IMPROVED ARSAND BURNER,
Which can be fitted to any common or
Fine Lamp.



HARDWARE CUTLERY **WOODEN WARE**

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS
Of all description
submerge, Force and Cistern
Pumps.
IRON & LEAD PIPE,
RUBBER HOSE,
HOSE OF ALL SIZES,
CLEANING & HAND SAPOLIO,
Fratts Astral and Radiant Oil
Always on hand.

IRONING MANGLES, WRINGERS,
Wood and Willow ware of all
descriptions,
Ladies Sewing Machines in large variety,
Mocking Bird, Canary, Robin,
and Breeding Cages,
Washing Machines,
UNION & TRIUMPH
WASHERS.
We would call attention to the
TRIUMPH WASHER,
It is the best and cheapest in the
market.
ONLY THREE DOLLARS.
WE WILL GIVE IT ON TRIAL,
AND IF NOT SATISFACTORY,
NO SALE.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF
COOKING STOVES



The Cotton Plant,
Sunny South,
Bell of the Alamo,
Southern Bell,
Grey Jacket,
New American,
Live oak &c., &c.
A full supply of Paster & Heating Stoves,
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WIRE, SHEET IRON
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