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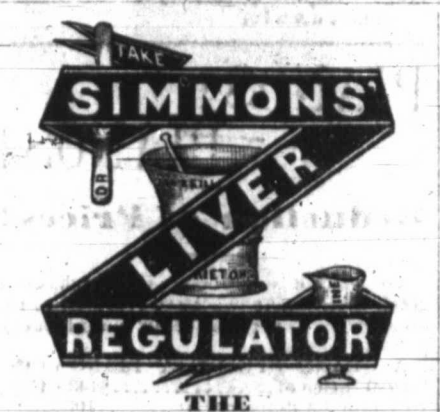
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AUSTIN, June 20.

The condition of affairs at our State Capital is, to use the mildest word, critical. The hostility of the more numerous branch of the Democratic party, (that which includes the Austin Ring and which considers Governor Throckmorton as its standard bearer,) to Governor Coke's Administration is fast approaching to a rupture. When Democrats took it upon themselves to facetiously explain one of the picnics held on the 19th, the anniversary of Gen. Gordon Granger's Emancipation Order, by alleging, that it was to celebrate the expiration of the 100 days, at which Governor Coke had pledged himself to have money from the sale or hypothecation of State Bonds, it was bad enough. When they further accounted for his late law and order proclamation on the ground, that it was elicited by the death of his old horse, it was worse. Governor Coke is receiving enough of ridicule and obloquy from his quondam friends to call for the sympathies of his political opponents and to protect him from criticism on our part just now. If there be any truth in the adage, that the Treasury of a State is the State, Texas is at present in a deplorable condition. Governor Coke's administration, after breaking down morally, has failed beyond hope of recovery financially. Its friends are dispirited, while its enemies are jubilant. It is helpless, not only owing to the feebleness of its organ at Waco, but because it has no organ at the Capitol. Never before was any State Administration reduced to that. Then, Mr. Downs, the editor of the Waco Examiner, the only accredited organ of Gov. Coke in the State, has been indiscreet as well as weak. When he told the editor of the Statesman, in substance, that he secured the nomination for Coke, and besides, first brought Mr. Attorney General Clark into notice, he talked too fast with his mouth,—as the phrase goes. When he signified that the Public Printing was not to be let to the lowest bidder, and intimated that he was to have one third of the profits without investing any capital, for securing it to any firm that would let him in, he showed a sad lack of moral perception. Governor Coke would do better without any organ at all, than with such a one as the Waco Examiner. Whether the Grangers can stand him much longer, remains to be seen.

On conversing with the moneyed men of Austin we found much conjecture extant as to what Governor Coke would next try to do to retrieve his lost ground on the important matter of finance. The general opinion seemed to be that he was wholly unequal to the emergency, into which he had worked himself, and that in consequence he could do nothing that would extricate his administration from the calamities with which it was overwhelmed. One of them said that he had not the nerve to direct the Comptroller to issue a circular, instructing that treasury warrants should be receivable for taxes, although by so doing he could at once make Warrants and the State Bonds, into which they are convertible, worth not less than 95 cents per dollar. Another added that he would not venture to do so, for fear it might cause payment of the accruing salaries of himself and his officials to be postponed. I give these observations for what they may be worth.

When the 13th Legislature—a Democratic body—undertook to exempt 53 counties from all State Taxes, under the pretext, they were frontier counties, Gov. Davis' administration held, that it could not be done, because the constitution declares, that taxation shall be equal and uniform throughout the State. Governor Coke has held the contrary. In consequence, while 53 counties are exempted, the remaining 84 are taxed to pay State troops, ordered out under the pretext of defending the 53!

No wonder our Bonds, when sought to be put upon the market by a member of the Legislature, not a financial man, could not be sold.

When will the Public and General Laws of the last Legislature be published? As nearly every one of them prescribes that it shall take effect from passage, why have they not been published sooner than usual?

Gov. Coke's law and order proclamation will attract much attention abroad. It reminds us of a passage in one of the messages of Gov. Murrah. The man who caught the roguish boy in his apple tree, did not make him come down and amend his ways by throwing grass at him.

The proclamation can only operate to the detriment of our material prosperity; for while it will not in the least prevent crime, it amounts to an official admission on the part of Governor Coke, that so far as protection to life and property is concerned, his administration is a failure. We cannot question the fact, but we regret that our Executive cannot nerve himself to do more than throw grass at highwaymen and murderers. The fact that almost without exception they voted for him, ought not to restrain him from enforcing the law.

When it is made notorious by our Governor, that Texas is without funds, is destitute of credit, and cannot protect the lives and property of her citizens, we are not likely to be overrun by immigrants and flooded with surplus capital.

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COL. R. Q. MILLS, now a member of Congress for the State at large, is proposed for reelection from his District by the Belton Journal. Col. Mills is a worthy gentleman, was a brave soldier and good officer, and we feel great interest in him as an old friend—even if he is too rapid a Democrat.

It is said that Gov. Coke contemplates calling an extra session of the Legislature to consider what is best to be done to suppress violence, murder and lynch law. For goodness' sake let the immortal "Fourteenth" stay at home. The State cannot afford to pay their traveling and hotel bills so soon after their last "excursion" to Austin. Let us have peace awhile. We do not need a Legislature, we need a Governor, who will see that the laws are executed, and crime punished.

At the late Republican Convention assembled at Austin, the following were elected: Chairman of the Executive Committee of each Congressional District, with authority to call nominating conventions: 1st District—William Chambers, Wallaceville, Chambers county. 2d District—A. G. Stobaugh, Honey Grove, Fannin county; 3d District—H. L. Ray, Dallas, Dallas county; 4th District—Thos. L. Greer, Bosque, Bosque county; 5th District—W. J. Phillips, Austin, Travis county; 6th District—S. G. Newton, San Antonio, Bexar county. A new Chairman of the 6th District will have to be appointed in place of the lamented Col. Newton. Who are the members of the State Central Committee?

A Bloody Administration.

"He that soweth the wind shall reap the whirlwind." This is the declaration of Holy Scripture. It expresses a divine law, as immutable as the law of the tides and the seasons. We are afraid Gov. Coke had either forgotten, or had never studied this law, or did not believe in its power. He knew well that Texas was overrun with desperadoism, bloodshed and murder, much of it caused by political hatred and proscriptive, when Gov. Davis went into office. He knew well that Gov. Davis went into office with an honest and earnest desire to suppress these evils, and that all his measures were taken accordingly. Yet Judge Coke, regardless of the good name and welfare of the State, used all the influence he possessed, and exerted himself to the utmost, to defeat the honest efforts of Gov. Davis, and to continue the reign of violence and blood, in order that it might be charged to the Davis administration.

But Gov. Davis, notwithstanding the overwhelming opposition of Coke and his cohorts, and notwithstanding many mistakes in appointments, and much mismanagement of subordinates, succeeded to a wonderful degree in enforcing the laws, in arresting and punishing criminals, and in establishing social and domestic peace and tranquility.

Gov. Coke, during the canvass in which he was elected, did everything in his power to bring odium and infamy upon the measures and exertions of Gov. Davis for the reputation and peace of the State. He denounced him as a tyrant, an oppressor, a military dictator, and did his utmost to excite the populace to the bitterest hatred and fury against the only Governor Texas ever had who possessed the courage to sacrifice himself in the discharge of his duty.

During the last canvass, Governor Coke alluded to the following incident in his own town of Waco. A Lieutenant of the State Police was seated in the chair of a barber,

while the barber was serving him. A man rode up, dismounted, went in, and shot the officer dead without notice or warning. A fouler assassination was never committed. Gov. Coke, in his speeches, on several occasions, alluded to this matter, and, in relation to it, said: "When this happened, many of the people of Waco felt good, and, fellow-citizens, I felt good too!" Now, can anything but bloodshed, murder, and lynch law be expected under the administration of such a Governor? Has he not, himself, publicly approved of assassination? Did he not make himself particeps criminis with the assassin in question? Was he not accessory after the fact? Did he not pander to the desperado element during the canvass, and did he not get the vote of all the bad men in the State who had swarmed here after the State Police force was disbanded? And are not his desperado friends carrying out his own publicly avowed sentiments, in filling the land with bloodshed, murder, and lynch law? Suppose Davis had been backed by the people as Coke was when he first came in. The State would have been entirely freed from thieves and murderers, and not a county would have been disgraced by lynch law. The Houston Telegraph used to call Davis "the heavy-handed Governor." Yes, and the State sadly needs his heavy hand now. If the people of Texas had a vote on the question, they would put him in Coke's place tomorrow. Coke is not a mere failure; he is bloody, and the curse of blood follows him.

It floats its banner at the head of its columns inscribed with these historic names: For President, Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio; for Vice President, Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware. Col. Mosby has commenced his campaign in Virginia for Congress. A few days since himself and one of his opponents had a very animated discussion at Salem, Fauquier county. It was rather interesting—one party used a carriage whip and the other a cane. Old Virginia blood was aroused. The discussion was interfered with by friends. If the campaign continues in this Old Virginia style it promises to be interesting.

ROME, June 15.—The American pilgrims are highly pleased with their reception here. The Pope has blessed the banner sent by the students of the Georgetown College, at the seat of Government of the United States, which is to be presented at the shrine of the Virgin at Lourdes. Some of the pilgrims are going to Venice to attend the Catholic Congress now in session there.

Telegraphic.

The Mexican shot at Mountain City by Crane is dead. Nine freight cars dived off the train to Austin—one killed. The Democrats at Austin make the Marshall's election a partisan one. No clue to the assassin of Farmer at Bryan. At Trinity, on the G. N. railroad, Chas. Morgan robbed the "section boss" of \$1,000. The U. S. Senate has passed the \$60,000 appropriation for Galveston Harbor. C. D. Anderson, of Texas, had his disabilities removed. Bill passed the Senate for the introduction of shad into the Gulf. Chas. Morgan, thief, turned up at Loveland, with a colored "pal." West Virginia wants a re-sale of Harper's Ferry. BOSTON, June 20.—The schooner Cora Bell, at this port from Ellsworth, Me., reports that at eleven o'clock Thursday night, when 105 miles N. E. of Cape Ann, she ran into the ocean telegraph cable, losing her anchor and ten fathoms of chain. LONDON, June 20.—The Times Paris special says the debate on giving the government power to nominate mayors will take place to-day, as the Legationists have promised to support the government. The latter may have a small majority when the measure comes to a vote. Lucien Brun informed the committee of thirty yesterday that the Legationists intended to again introduce in the Assembly a motion in favor of the restoration of the monarchy. PARIS, June 20.—It is reported that the Government has consented to accept an amendment to the municipal bill extending for two years the operation of the present law, which provides for the nomination of mayors by the Government. PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—A meeting of the Philadelphia Book Trade Association was held to-day at noon, the object of which was to enter a protest against the enactment of a reciprocity treaty with Canada by the Senate. Under this treaty, Canada merchants dealing in any manufactured articles can import from England or bring them from any other country, and, after handling, can ship them to this country duty free. A series of resolutions were adopted expressing alarm at Canada, under the provisions of the treaty, becoming the great entrepot for the reception of goods, from all parts of the world, to be legally smuggled into the United States; and stating that the treaty inaugurated free trade, and involves the necessity of collecting the entire revenue of the government by internal taxation. The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

General News.

JEFF DAVIS reached New York on Sunday from Liverpool, and left the same evening for his home in Tennessee. BISMARCK'S daughter carefully collects all caricatures of him, and the Prince enjoys them hugely. LITTLE ROCK, June 15.—Dr. S. J. Crittenden was shot and killed by a man, named Hall, in Conway County. Yesterday a sheriff's posse searching for Hall found him, and a fight ensued. One of the sheriff's posse was killed and another wounded. Hall was wounded and captured.

Texas News.

A young man named H. L. Alton shot a negro woman in her house at Huntsville, was admitted to bail pending the result of the shot, forfeited his bail and made his escape, after the negro woman died, on the 14th. An unknown man in pursuit of a negro who had possibly committed some offense, came upon him at Major Petree's place, nine miles from Huntsville, and killed him instantly. An escaped convict named John Henry, who was caught piling ties on the great Northern Railroad track, was killed while endeavoring to escape from the guard. Gideon Lowe committed suicide in Ellis county last week in grief at the loss of his wife. Young Rowly, 18 years of age, killed young Black, 16 years old, near Mountain City, between here and Austin, a few days ago. Near the same place a drunk man named Crane was shot and dangerously shot an unoffending Mexican. The Tribune says that a home protection club has been formed at Oakville. The Mexicans are threatened with extermination.

LIST OF LETTERS.

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Notice of Dissolution THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Ph Conrad & J. E. Gildea was dissolved on the 5th day of January, 1874. The debts due to said firm are divided, and all liabilities of said firm will be settled by Ph. Conrad. SAN ANTONIO, June 18, 1874.

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ABSOLUTE DIVORCES OBTAINED FROM COURTS, of different States, for desertion, &c. No publicity required. No charge until divorce granted. Address, M. HOUSE, Attorney, 12-6-74-dly. 194 Broadway, N. Y.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY AT AUCTION

Wright & Co. ON Wednesday the 24th day of June 1874, at 11 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 Wipf Property, situated on Flores street, bounded on the East by said Flores street, on the North by property of F. Katsch and on the South and West by property of the Heirs of Marian Rodriguez, dec'd. 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. 11-6-74d

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AN adjourned meeting of the Agricultural, Stockraising, & Industrial Association of Western Texas will be held at the Hall of Fire Company No. 1, on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock.

As business of great importance will be brought before the meeting, a general attendance is requested.

R. EGAR, Secretary. **J. T. BRACKENRIDGE, President.** 24-6-dtd

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MRS. COL. THOS. G. WILLIAMS deserves great credit for the kindness and attention she manifested for the sick lady, Mrs. Holmes, who died yesterday morning, and was buried this morning. She not only ministered to her while living, along with Mrs. Clements and others, but she took great pains, and spared no expense, to see that she was decently and genteelly buried. In this, also, she was assisted by her amiable daughter. And too much praise cannot be given to Sister St. Pierre, the Mother Superior and her assistants, in charge of the City Hospital, for the faithful discharge of the painful and very disagreeable duties of preparing the body for burial.

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SISTER ST. PIERRE, the Mother Superior of the Sisters of Charity who have charge of the City Hospital, took us through that institution this morning, and gave us an insight into its management. We found everything clean, neat, comfortable, and the whole institution admirably managed. There are not many sick in the wards, and they all appear to be doing well. There are thirty orphan girls, many of them quite small, who are taken care of and educated by the Sisters. They are of various nationalities, American, German, Mexican, Polish, and perhaps others. We happened in at the time when a large class of them were engaged in needle work, in which they are fully instructed. Others of them were engaged in their devotions in the chapel up stairs.

Sister St. Pierre is a large, fine looking French lady, young in years, but with a matronly and commanding appearance, and seems devoted to her good work. The citizens of San Antonio should see that this hospital, particularly the home of the orphans, should be amply supported, and be made the pride of the city.

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

RESOLUTIONS OF THE SAN ANTONIO BAR IN RESPECT TO THE MEMORY OF THE LATE COL. S. G. NEWTON.

The Bar Meeting called on yesterday, met again this morning, when the committee appointed to prepare resolutions expressive of the sentiments of the meeting in relation to the death of Col. S. G. Newton, reported the following, which were adopted:

WHEREAS, it has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst our esteemed brother, Col. S. G. Newton, in the very meridian of his usefulness as a citizen and lawyer, therefore, be it

Resolved, 1. That while we bow in humble submission to the inscrutable decrees of Him who is "too wise to err and too good to be unkind," we yet sadly and deeply regret the sudden demise of our esteemed brother and friend, with whom we have been so long and pleasantly associated in the walks of professional life.

2. That in his death not only the bar, but this entire community, have suffered an irreparable loss.

3. That we tender to the bereaved family our heart-felt sympathies in this their sore affliction, and trust that He who "tempers the wind to the shorn lamb" may bring comfort to their sorrowing hearts.

4. That the Judge be requested to order these resolutions spread upon the minutes of the District Court, and that the Court adjourn for one day out of respect to the memory of our deceased brother.

5. That the members of the Bar and the officers of the Court wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

6. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded by the secretary to the family of the deceased, and to the city papers for publication.

Judge Ware, in the absence of Judge Noonan, took the bench, when the order requested was made, and the Court adjourned.

KARBEK'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 dtt

ARRIVALS.—By the Austin stage— Capt Stone, Jno C. French, Rev J. B Willis, Mr Roberts, Mr Almond, L. Zimmermann, G. B. Cochran.

DEPARTURES.—By the Austin stage— Mr Lyn, Chas Harney, Wm Kerley, J Fedder, J Hucker.

By the El Paso stage— A C Camp, B H Mealy, E Meyer, Andrew Wallace.

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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 strengthening; 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 impervious life and health in swampy districts and new clearings. So the masses say, and so they have been saying for the last twenty years.

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