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General Items. Hepworth Dixon, in his New America, sketches a most charming pair of young Americans whom he has met conquering a home from very scanty materials—amidst the most discouraging difficulties.

tracts heretofore made in favor of J. J. Hinds, P. Laughlin, J. W. Delaney, Wm. Welles and W. C. Iddings, these being the names contained in the proposals fraudulently imposed upon the Department by the complicity of clerks at the last regular letting.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

There is a general opinion in favor of the erection of water works. In order to soften the heart of the editor of the Herald, it has been suggested that he be offered the B-rotta. Dried buffalo meat from Fort Concho, a considerable quantities, has been received by Merritt & Bro. You should bear in mind that, while the Lectures to-morrow evening at Casino Hall will be very interesting, it will also be instructive and amusing to all. CHANGE OF FARE.—The Stage Line sends its passengers through to Luling for \$7. currency. There is no opposition in price. COST OF THE ONE TRACK RAILROAD.—It is claimed that the cost of the one-track railroad for track, depot, switches, and to equip the road will not exceed \$6,000 per mile. GOVERNMENT AUCTION SALE.—On the 13th of this month, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the Alamo Plaza, Uncle Sam will auction 69 mules, a lot of saddles, wagon-covers, etc. A chance for bargains. WE DO NOT wish to make a martyr of Mr. Freisleben, his good nature and trustfulness no doubt have led him into difficulty. Nor do we wish to see him impaled upon the indignant pitchforks of the city council, merely to censure him. Censuring Freisleben will not cure the damage done. THE public feel outraged at the manner in which the contract work is being done for the city. The Earhart job, as represented by the Report of the Improvement Committee, is a bare faced fraud, and if it were a private individual instead of the corporation, Mr. Earhart would not find it such plain sailing. WOOL SALES TODAY.—Mr. F. Gross purchased a lot of 10,000 pounds, being a part of the fleece from the locks of Messrs. Griner & Miller Uvalde, at 24c. This wool was with the exception of 300 fleeces of Mexican sheep, equal to Mr. James' wool. This purchase goes to the New Braunfels mills. THE removal of Mr. Prescott as the shipping agent of the Morgan railroad meets with a protest from all the merchants who ship goods by that line. Mr. Prescott is held in such high esteem, and has given such general satisfaction, that the merchants even talk of taking their freights elsewhere if he is displaced. IF a searching investigation could be had into the history of the Aleman ditch enterprise, it would be developed that Freisleben was drawn into it against his judgment; it was a little election dodge, and Freisleben through his party zeal was induced to lend his sanction to it. It will never be a success and besides the \$25,000 it has cost already it will cost \$50,000 to pay the private damages. A LADY BURNED TO DEATH.—A Sad Fate.—Mrs. Archer, wife of Mr. Eugene Archer of Uvalde, and the daughter of our worthy old citizen, Frank Paschal, Esq., was burned to death last Saturday night. Mrs. Archer was about retiring for the night, her husband being absent from home, and as she blew out the Kerosene lamp it exploded and in a moment she was enveloped in flames. A little girl who was in the house with her, ran out and gave the alarm, and a neighbor came in and bore Mrs. Archer to an opposite dwelling, and then returned and rescued her infant. The house was destroyed, and Mrs. Archer died from her injuries. Mrs. Archer was a native of San Antonio, and a very estimable lady, her fate was very melancholy, and our community sympathies were for her afflicted relatives in their bereavement. WATER STREET.—Mr. Braden has begun his work on Water Street and is pushing it with his usual energy. Water Street is greatly in need of macadamizing, as much as any other street in the city, and as we live in that vicinity we favor the improvement; but we hope the contractor will be required to comply strictly with his contract; that instead of cobble stones and dirt, he will be required to put gravel upon this street. Mr. Freisleben may not know what gravel is, but surely our public improvement committee do. Let them examine the material Street Commissioner Duffy uses for gravel, they can get an idea from him. If Mr. Braden can't supply him with his contract let him give it up. The city can do the work properly and for less money. And another thing, is this work being done in accordance with the provisions of the charter? The people are waking up to a realization of how all this contract business has been done, and the City Council must comply with the charter. Explanation. Messrs. Editors: Articles appear in your paper reflecting on my conduct as a policeman. I claim the right to state the facts. I was not present at the difficulty between Guerrero and other parties, but was on duty, in my beat, No. 2. About 3 1/2 p. m., Dubiel came to me with a warrant issued by the Recorder for the arrest of Guerrero, and said the Recorder told him to hand the warrant to the first policeman he met in beat No. 2. I happened to be the one he first met. I then hunted for, and found Guerrero on Main street. He said he could give bond, I went with him nearly a mile to Mushell's store to get his bond, and Mushell not being there, we searched for him and found him on Main street; but he would not sign the bond, but advised Guerrero to go to jail. Then I had of course then to lock him up. As far as an investigation is concerned, I am ready to state that at any time. Your reporter should try to ascertain the facts before he makes statements so damaging to the character of honest men and faithful officers of the law. JOSEPH HALAMANTIA, City Policeman.

WATER WORKS' MEETING.—This morning the committee on the part of the City Council met with a number of our prominent citizens, at the Menger Hotel parlors, to confer with Mr. Lockwood upon the Water Works' proposition made by the New York National Water Works Co. There were present, Aldermen Hahn, Smith, Dashiell and Muesch, and Messrs. H. B. Adams, J. H. Kampman, F. Kaiter, Dr. Geo. Cripples, J. T. Thornton, F. Girard, H. P. Howard, F. Gross, Dr. Peterson, H. Gronet, and other gentlemen. A very comprehensive discussion was indulged in by several of the gentlemen, all favoring the construction of water works, if they could be constructed within the means of the city. Mr. Lockwood modified the original proposition, eliminating the guarantee on the part of the city of any net profits to the company and reducing the subscription to \$25,000 in city bonds. The remarks made by Drs. Cripples and Kaiter were, in our opinion, of the weightiest character, bearing upon the health of our city, and the startling statements made of the impure character of the water used by the poorer people, and the expense attending thereto should be the most convincing argument in favor of a speedy erection of water works. The following resolutions were adopted by the meeting: Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that it would be desirable to have water works established in the city, provided they can be constructed and maintained at a cost within the scope of our financial ability. Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the proposition of the Water Works Company be entertained, except that portion requiring the city to take stock to guarantee the amount net in coin, and the paying of fees to the company. Resolved, That a Committee of Three be appointed by the chairman to confer with Mr. Lockwood and ascertain, if practicable, to have the proposition so modified as to meet the views expressed in regard to constructing works. Amended in increased committee to seven.

The following gentlemen composed the committee: Aldermen Dashiell, Hahn, Muesch, and Messrs. Cripples, Adams, Kampman and Gross. The meeting then adjourned to meet again to-morrow evening. The committee to convene in the morning. SPRING and summer hats in all the latest styles just arrived at PANCOAST & SON. Menger Hotel Arrivals: W. A. Wallace, Cibola; S. R. Spencer, Frio; L. S. McKicken, Cold Springs; W. E. Friedlander, Fort Clark; J. J. Barton, Uvalde; Wm. L. and Wm. H. Hunter, Goliad; J. D. Reaves, Memphis, Tenn.; L. Claessen, New Braunfels; W. Garrett, San Augustine; Van B. Ruth, N. Orleans; Mrs. Robertson, Austin; C. W. Phelps, K. A. Smith and wife, Austin.

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