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OFFICIAL YOTE OF GALVESTON COUNTY.
Galveston, Feb. 19—Galveston county pulled 4.650 rotes, only 1,128 of which yere Republican and ZO12 for the countinations. Nearly 3,000 votes would have been polled for the constitution had the regular tickets been differently printed; 733 include went in with both for and against the conscitution on them, and were acquated blank.

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St Louis, Feb 19 — Closing arguments have commenced, and will probably close on Monday night. The Court was crowd-

A LIGHT PINGERED LEGISLATOR.

Richmond, Feb. 19.—R. D. Ruffin, a colored member of the House of Delegates from Dinwiddle county, was expelled from that body to day for allowing his fingers

to day. The sudge in his charge to the jury, commenced by saying that a small man, shut up in a room with a stalwart giant who was about to strike him, was justified in using a pistol under the cir-

Loans, increase, three-rightles of a mil-

Suit was commerced against Syracuse, Barmingham and New York Railroad for balf a million claims for internal revenue

The bondholders of the New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Railroad Company may bere to day and reorganized into a new company named the New Orleans and Texas Railroad Company. They will meet next Friday to complete the organization and elect officers.

New York, Feb 19—James Gillespie, aged four years, died to day from injustes-received by being placed in a stove by his father, Robert Gillespie, who has been arrested. The boy had committed some of fouse.

Washing ton, Feb 19 - Dier telegraphs

to Pierrepont from St. Louis that he is satisfied he judged Sherman too harshly.

Frontier members of Congress seem nuar-impusty in favor of the transfer of the In-dian Bureau from the Interior to the War

Internal revenue income to-day \$287,-660. Month to date \$5,091,063. Fiscal year to date \$72,709,123. Customs, to-day \$6109,73. Month to date, \$9,906,727. Fiscal year to date, \$95,278,593.

The Dispatch will tow a monitor from Fort Royal to Kep West.

8t Louis, Peb. 13.—A large delegation left this city for Washington to secure the Democratic Convention.

Paughkespair, N. T., Fab. 19.—Three coal boats, laden with 40,000 tons of d. al sunk near this city to day, caused, by ice

San Francisco, Peb. 19.—There was

battle fought yesterday between the Sonora revolutionists and the State troopses Clames, in which the State troopwere routed.

FOREIGN

MIDNIOHT DISPATCHES.

ANOTHE CARRIEST VICTORY.

Hindaye, Feb 19—The Carlists claim a great vice or an implicit of the Alfonsists. They made an afteck on Estella and Santa Barbara, along the whole line, inflicting great losses and taking 1000 preserved in asserted that the definite way resocupted Zarar and the coast.

Another Winslow Para Worslow and her son and sister are here. They flave only about one hundred deliges, and seem to be in great temble.

The British Siring Auxillian Pascas has been abandoned at sea. Her cres at Falmouth.

BESTGNATION, CO. SOLL EL

Col. Geo. B. McCartel has tendered his resignation as Chief of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. It has been accepted. Col. McCartel has several times asked to be relieved, but remained in office at the earnest solicitation of the Secretary of the Treasury and the President. The Committee from the Treasury appointed by the Secretary to examine the affairs of the Bureau have completed their work and reported accounts in all respects correct.

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Paris, Feb 19—Henri Joseph Quillmau

CARNIVAL Names, Peb 19-Victor Emanuel is here

St. Petersburg, Feb. 12.—An official name has been issued, furbidding women to exercise the functions of harristers.

Rome, Feb. 18.—Gen. Menabria has been

THE MARKETS.

Galveston, February 19.

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of to be; fair to fully fair 6; to the; prime to choice 7 to 7 de; atrictly prime 7½ to 7 de; MOLASSES—In fair demand; prime 40 to 45; strictly prime to choice 44 to 50c FLOUR—Fair, superfine 34; XX 34 25 XXX 34 50 to 86 50; choice 26 to 27 50; OATSI—Steady; sales of St. Louis at 45

STOCKS-Dull and steady.
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SUNDAY MORNING, Feb. 2015, 1876 an Ord, Crook, and other general offi-Committee, are strongly against the pro-posed reduction in pay, forage, etc., of the army, as proposed by General Banuag's bill, and give reasons why the question should not be interferred with.

of numerous letters from the business menof the country indersing the bill introdecet to the House by him, and referred
to the Bankingland Currency Committee
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private, payable in gold, unless otherwise

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State, and make the best bendway it can marry her mother's husband, which is the Deak harmonized his country after an unsame thing in principle.

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It is only because marriages between

of 158 State. The new Constitution was besten at every important city of the State—Galveston, Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Marshall, New Brantifest, and, we believe, Waco. Yes flier was no organization of the Republican and the intense and the reverse of the Constitution, and the intense and the reverse of the Constitution, and the intense and the reverse of the Constitution and the intense and the reverse of the Constitution. The State seeds the resuscitation and spirit of the case it was regarded as certain of adoption. Moreover, Lieutenait-Gevernor Hubbard's orfer as we can indeed, the first process that the constitution is a fair of the Republican party, but it needs it under a new regime. The State seeds the resuscitation and spirit of the Republican party, but it needs it under a new regime. The state seeds the resuscitation of the Republican party, but it needs it under a new regime. The state seeds the resuscitation of the Republican party, but it needs it under a new regime. The state seeds the resuscitation of the Republican party, but it needs it under a new regime. The state seeds the resuscitation and sufficence that the new constitution is a fallen at least a third, present the new constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least at third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least at third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present and planet. The following from the austing present is not constituted to offer an openitor of the result of the second present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third present the new Constitution is fallen at least a third, present the new Constitution is fa

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ANTONIO AND WESTERN TEXAS.

that Mr. Pierce has succeeded in negotiating with European capitalists a loan of two millions of dollars for the completion of his railroad to San Antenio. This omes to us from the banker and capitalist in this city, through whom the heaviest | of this measure as calculated to form a noncy transactions of the raffroad here are made, and whose confidence in Mr. Pierce's bonds when it fell due recently in New York, amounting to \$30,000. This is Geo. W Stackenrikge, Presi-000. This is Geo. W Brabkearing, President of the Pirat National Bank of San Autonio. We use his name without his know-fedge and against his wish, because of the 300,000 people had been added to her popto inspire confidence, hope and courage among our citizens generally. Of course, road to San Antonio, and renders the nutter a certainty.

ng him that the road would be pushed forward as rapidly as possible from Rock-dale to Austin, and thence to Sau Autonio and the Rio Grande. This is in harmony with the statements of Mr. Plumb in this and of city on his recent visit. He is the agent And the flag of our Union forever. Mexico. That road is compelled to begin ability against this Union, but he was for work at the Rio Genude within a given time, and it cannot begin until the Inter-national railroad is completed and sunning to that river, so that it may get its iron, supplies, and other tailroad material and ilities over that line. And now the Austin Statesman nava that

a gentlemen from Williamson county re-ports that a large force of men and teams are gathering up about Rockdale and that work is to commence in good earnes; on the twentieth of this mouth, and this is corroborated by the Rockdale Messager, Mr. James Parton, who the celebrated siswhich stated a week ago that thirty miles, ter of the late N. P. Willis, as her second of the road was to be completed in ninely khahand, has recently married his stepdays. There is this that gives some cer- daughter. The marriage took place in tainly to the building of at least a portion Massachusette, and immediately after the of the road-the Caire and Fulton, Iron Mountain sand Illinois Central railroads are as much interested in the extension of State. He as once took separate lodgings the International this way as is the International itself, for whatever benedte the sure for an act of relief. If it is not latter will be of equal benefit to the others. Of course, until the extension is made, the again performed in the State of New greater bulk of the freight and travel from York, where there is no statute prohibitpass over the Texas Central and the Misson, a "big gun" of the Illinois Central, was in Austin last week with Mr. Hays, of the International, and from there they went to Williamson county, where Mr. Johnson made a teavy land purchase.

Johnson made a fleavy land purchase.

So, things begin to look a little bright for our fine old city. We predict that the effect of all these things will soon be seen in an increased interest in the North, in San Antonia and Western Texas, and in an increased influx of capital and Immigration. Especially will this be the case if we are well represented at the Cantennial, and get our lossil fire-eaters to quit is busing the people of the North.

vice of the Expanse, or let it alone, just father's wife." as it pleases. But it is the very time for e announce the triumph of the that party to re-organize throughout the y in Servin. The appointment State, and make the best benderay it can marry her mother's husband, which is the Deak harmonized his country after an onothe Skupo- of having too large a majority, just as the a, stiffing with closed doors, re- Republican party, under military rule and and unnatural, that the innocent familiar- than separate independence could have chilina, sitting with closed doors, resolved upon war in the spring, and appointed a communication to watch over
the Government, rules taxes and advance
and issue paper utoney on the outbreak
of war.

Government Core and the new Constiution were beaten at Austin, the capital

titled to his seat. The report will narrate aid condema great francis, but not sufficient to overcome 96,000 majority, by which Specifican was returned.

United States, be declared that he regardmore perfect Union, and as conducing to ulation by immigration, most of them importance of the information, because he ulation by immigration, most of them deserves the oredit, because of our desire from the Merthern States. The centernial meetings of last year had been productive of much good. These meetings were productive of fraternal feeling; they doubt as to the speedy completion of the removed all animosities which might exist between the sections, and in this atpeet a million and a half was cheap. He believed this a messure in the interest of Confederacy. But when he took the oath at that deak to support the Constitution. he meant it. The people of the South

wanted poace. He was lot

A Union of litates none can sever,
A union of hearts, a union of heards
And the flag of our Union forever. He had sincerely long it to the best of his ability against this Union, but he was for it now. Let the people of the North, the South, the East and the West come together, and more will be done to remove the asperities engendered by the last war than in any other manner. Representing them in any other manner. Representing the south of the Revolution, he claimed the men of the Revolution, he claimed the right to be present at this relebration.

FANNY PERMS HUSBAND

ceremony was performed he found out od to Western Texas must necessarily ing such a marriage. In some quarters Mr. Parton is severely criticized for this that if he had had any respect for the Beritical law he would have refrained from such an act. It says also that the union he contracted would be repuguant to any pure-minded man. The laws of all civilized countries prohibit marriages bewhere the kinship is in the ascending or descending line. Affinity, or relationship by marriage, is here reckoned as equivaleut to consangularity or blood connection.

Over eighteen hundred years ago the Apostle Paul wrote to the Corinthans:
"It is reported commonly that there is fornication among you, and such fornica-

very pear relatives are

Let the Chairman of the present Excentive Committee invite and a friendly Minnie and Mand, whose attractive lished committee invite and a friendly Graphs have hing up in public places for several days past, advertising the arrival of these beautiful and accomplished not reuses, will arrive in the city by to nights stage, and appear at Alamo Literary Kall on to-morrow night. Their action is landed in the highest praies by the main prese of the country, and from what we have seen and heard relative to their perfect and condems great frauds, but not unflected to everence 25,000 majority, by the transfer of the coverence 25,000 majority to the coverence 25,000 majority to the city of the coverence 25,000 majority to the city of the coverence 25,000 majority to the city of the city of

NUEVA LAREDO, Pebruary 9th, 1876. tor San Antonio Express: There are in this town several well known horse and cattle thieves, having in their possession horses with American brands, and for which they can show no bills of sale or other proof for their having come honestly by the horses in fact, they make no such pretentions. I have applied to the authorities here to reclaim the horses as being property stolen from American citizens, but was informed that I could not recover the horses without power of attorney from the owners. That they would take the horses and keep them thirty or forty days, and if I could in that time have power of attorney to recover the animals they would be delivered up to me, if net they would be returned to the present owners and I would have to pay the cost of keeping them. Not knowing the The same gentleman not long since reexcited a letter from Mr. Moses Taylor of
New York, one of the leading capitalists
awning the International railroad, informof the stock men in your country will send me power of attorney to recover any horses with their brands, found on this side of the river without bill of sale, I will take great pleasure in re-claiming any stolen houses brought here, and will forward the same to the owners

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JAMES J. HAYNES, U. S. Com'l Ag't, Nueva Laredo, Mex.

Via Laredo, Webb Co., Texas. Western papers please copy.

COL. THOS. G. WILLIAMS, long a citize of San Autonio, the Statesman informs us is now residing in Austin, his family befor himself, and will apply to the Legisla- ing there, while he is in Mexico as Special United States Indian Commissioner, He granted he intends to have the marriage reached the city of Mexico on the twentysecond ultimo from Chibushus, for the purpose of communicating to the Mexican covernment sertain facts concerning the government sentain facts concerning the Mescalero Apache Indiane living upon the borders of Chahnahas and Taxas. Colonel Williams is a graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point, and served in the United States army on the Texas frontier until the commencement of the civil war, when he resigned and joined his fortunes with the South. Since the war the gédéral government has availed itself of his ablitice in confection with Indian affairs on the border. Colonel Williams aucceeded, when most persons predicted he would fail, in removing 600 (nearly all) Kickapoo Indians that lodged in Mexico, who gave the authorities of inearly all) Kickapoo Indians that lodged in Maxico, who gave the authorities of both republics a great deal of trouble, to their reservation in the United States, where they are now living contentedly.

man of the world. Kousuth, striving after the unattainable, left his country in tion as is not so much as named among chains; Doak, content with the practical, the Gentiles, that one should have his left her free and happy. Kossuth retailed the continuous states of the content of Mr. Parton did not marry his "father's he had attempted; Deak will always be wife," but he induced Mics Eldridge to loved and honored for what he has done,

when it had been rebuilt by lienry W. Withred and brother. There was a sumptions entertainment, and the host had at his right hand Edward Everett and at his left. Mr. Gwin. Mr. Everett responded when the health of Mr. Willard was proposed, and spoke of the house as one in which he had passed some of the happinst years of his life. Originally, he said, the building was divided into separate houses, and he was with his family the occupant of one of them for several successive seasons. In company with his measurates he had there the honor of entertaining at one and the same time, John Quincy Adams, and the same time, John Quincy Adams, Chief Justice Marshall, Jedge Story, Mr. Calbour, Mr. Clay and Mr. Webster. Al-of them had departed, but he would name another living, and not unworthy to be accognized with them, Washington Irving.

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and successful revivalist, is going to work in the Northwest.

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Mr. Gladstone having been asked to write me introduction to a prince cosay on the satisfact of "Sunday: Its influence on Health and National Prosperity," expressed his belief in the authority of the Lord's Imy, and its infinite, value as a day of rest, for he had, in the course of its physical and mental benefits.

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can Sunuay school Union in the Valley of the Mississippi, reports that under his direction dury ries, and the authority of Congress ing a period of thirty years, 24,600 is requisite to have a railroad built Sunday schools have been organized over it. This authority has once do, visited, and aided, 176 mission been granted to the Texas Pacific

In the New England Conterence of the Methodist Episcepal Church there is a rule to the effect that any Minister who, being in authorately sound health to excertise his ministry, goes into security avecations, is dropped from the roll. Brother Winslow, who recently left for Holland, owing over \$500,000, was under this rule, dropped asserting and the somewhere between the years ago, when he engaged in shoemaking, editing, financiaring, The Bishon of Nince Market and Foundation in the lapsed lands.

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RAILROAD BE BUILT WITH OUT SUBSIDY?

The annual meeting of the Southcra Methodist Bishops will be held
at Nashville on the first Wednesday in May

Mrs. Fisher has been holding
successful meetings at Monticello,
N. Y., and Mrs. Van Cott, at Newburg, N. Y. Miss Smiley is now at
Snudusky.

The Colored Methodist Episcopal Charch in America has now
four Bishops and a membership of
200,000 in me Southern and Western States.

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Cheist. He ugget futbers and mothers to pay more attention to tring up their children in the long of God. Teachers of Sabbath-schools should attend revival meet-

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Paso and this distance is to be re- CHEROKEE INDIAN MUDDLE WASHINGTON, Feb. 9, 1876.
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Internal Episcopal Church, Soledad street, and of Postoffice; Rev. Homer S. Thrail, ato. Sunday School 9; o'clock A. E., Moras Services II. A. N., Evening Services T. P. M. Str. Mark's Episcopal Church, Canvis Square, Mark's Episcopal Church, Canvis Square, orthoast of Vance House; Rev. W. R. Richelson, Rector. Sunday School, p) o'clock A. M. Morning Services II. o'clock X. E., Evening Prvices 7; P. M.

METEOROLOGICAL. Sax ANTONIO, February 19th, 1876.

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> DR. PETTERSEN, Observer

CITY AND COUNTRY DOTS.

From advices received at our office ast evening, the Democratic majority of Wilson county is about 750;

Another sign that we are going to wa Immediate railroad connection with the outer world, is the opening of a new variety theatre. It is situated in the old Plaza House building.

Those joyoualy disposed young mechan-ics gave another of their Tavorite hops at Meyers Hall, Friday hight. The streets were very muddy, but still the attendance [was: good, and erjoyment reigned.

-A young man, a typo, in employ of the Herald office, was arrested and incarcera-ted by Sheriff Bonnett insteading on the strength of a dispatch received from some place in Minnosota, where there are erim inal charges pending against him.

- We are informed that General Ord will return to his command on Monday. In this connection, we also learn that the operal will very probably organize ther acousting party to consist, as a shole, of two regiments of cavalry. shall speak more fully and positively when we find out more about the matter.

-Any one knowing the whereaboute of my hashand, Jos. O'Brian, will confer a favor upon me by notifying him that I stopping at the Central Rotel. He name to Sau Antonio about two weeks ago, and was to await the arrival of myself and

children. Mas. Honore O'Brien.

We understand that quite a number of ballots were deposited at the election with the names of both the Democratic and People's candidates for County Commissions upon them. If this is the man, it yet remains undecided as to who are elected to that office, for the County Court will certainly cast out all make ballots as do not show that a definite and definite and the county court will certainly cast out all make ballots as do not show that a definite and definite and the county court will certainly cast out all make ballots as do not show that a definite county for the county court will certainly cast out all make ballots as do not show that a definite cause of the county coun

lie generally that they have refitted and street, near the Courthouse with the best Polite attendants always on hand, and a nice free label set every morning at 10 ye feb 2011 w.

-Leave of absence for one month is hereby granted Acting Assistant Surgeon D. S. Smart, U S Army. Fort Concho, Texas.

The Quartermasier's Department will forward by express, from Austin to Dalias Texas, such public funds as the Chief Paymaster of the Department may tern over for that purpose.

the following places:

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Clark's Barber Shop,
Central Hotel Rarber Shop.

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-We received by yesterday's mail s opplem served in the Gulf cities. Order copy of the first number of the "Stylus," am in any style to suit your taste, and a monthly magazine devoted to literature. descen. Oysters farnished to families at hy Messra. Marana Rowe & W. P. Messra trusted to the probabilities of curviving. Comb. The magazine is gotten up in good style and is well printed. It contains a policy taken and addies and bride. Anyone having matter, contributed by the family. reading matter, contributed by some of the best writers in the State. Contributions, such as romances, stories, and arsticles relating to science and art, are solicited, for which liberal prices will be
paid, if thought suitable. The subscription price of the "Stylus" is \$1 per year in

We cannot hositate in commending this enterprize of Mesers. How & McComb to the favor of one editions. The effort to establish a home periodical of the character of the "Stylus" is deserving of all unpto sal favor, allie ener too gall

EDITORS EXPRESS: It is in the sasure of local reports, that

he space allotted to them prohibits en-tering into the details of the questions under discussion, and thus the reader is but too frequently induced to form an erro-

different papers of the proceedings of the last City Council, in reference to the croetion of two bridges, causes me to make the above remark. To correct this erroneers impression, nothing will be neces-eary but to publish my Minority Report. and a letter which corroborates one of the allegations made in said report. If your space permits, I hope you will be kind enough to comply with my desire. Very respectfully, E. DEGENER.

San Antonio, Peb 19, 1876.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Cannell of San Antonio :

The undersigned, disagreeing with the majority of the Joint Finance and Improvement Committees, begs leave to submitt the following Minority Report: It must be conceded-

It must be conceded—

1st. That the crection of two pridges, one at the foot of Arsenal street, the other at the foot of Fourth street, are highly desirable, the former even a necessity.

2nd. That, however, an expenditure of such magnifiede, should not be invared without a thorough investigation of the financial condition of our city. Be it therefore.

RESOLVED, That final action on the subject be postpened until after the publica-tion of the Mayor's exhibit of receipts and or the purpose of not loosing any time; be it

further RESOLVED, That the City Engineer be instructed to furnish two asparate plans and specifications, for mason work and fillings for the two bridges, and that action on the same be taken according the usages of the City Council. My objections against the report of the

majority are the following : 1st. The plans and specifications of the City Engineer were furnished merely for the purpose of ascertaining the proper sites for the location of the two bridges. sites for the location of the two bridges. Being preliminary estimates, only, they were not submitted to the Improvement Committee for investigation.

2nd. The reputed difference of \$3000, between the estimates of the City Engineer and those of the Company with whom it is proposed to enter into contract, are amply accounted for hy the leaser work the latter offers to parform, to wit;

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A width of only 28 feet, instead

the citizens of San Antonio.

4th. The proposition to contract with strangers, without giving our own citizens and taxpayors a change of putting in a bid, aye, even caveloping the whole matter in the veil of secresy, implies the allegation that the City Council consider our builders and architects incapable of recomments. performing the work.

I am not willing to subscribe to such a

All of which is respectfully submitted. E. DEGENER Chairman of Finance Commit

CENCINNATI, Dec. 31st, 1875. Hon J. H. French, Mayor of the City of San

DEAR SIR-Enclosed you will find a slip out out of the Cincinnati Trade List giving an account of the fall of one of King'sbridges over the Goadalope, Texas, near you. This makes three of his bridges that have fallen within three weeks, one till it was almost time to think about Manager Saturday evening, et 7 at Pitteton, Pennsylvania, and one at o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Gossweiler, Mr. Meadyille, Pennsylvania.

JOHN WHERE to Miss Sormes Err, both We send you this as we suppose the wear; good goods and very cheap, go to of this city. The ceremony was performed at the new residence of the contraction will have so compete with for your work. ing parties, about three miles west of We dely any company to point to any the city, on the Castroville road. Quite failure of ours, and we have been build--The Morning Expenses is for cale at a number of the friends and relations of ing bridges since 4842. Hoping to hear

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likely to live to a good age. But some of them can count on the future, or neglect

for long life. He came, also, of stock. His father still lives in a wise old age, and other near relatives are retain But in spite of a robust frame and hered-ltary tendencies to long life, he died in middle age, from a cold sequired by ex-poture.

Office opposite Por

state that there will be a lecture delivere at the Alamo Literary Hall, at 2; o'cloci this evening, in the interest of the Your Mon's Christian Association. All are on

CHESTER PARTICIPATE

-The General Tom Thumb troups which exhibits at the Alamo Literary Hall the last of the moth, is said to be Hall the last of the tnoth, is said to be composed of the biggest little dwarfs now

-The Literary Society are talking of mpesching their president, Sam Maverick, for not having returned Mr. Alf Burnett's Bible, with commendatory promptsess. Serves him right.

-Our Nimrods are improving the last few weeks of quall hunting season, to great advantage to themselves, but to the great disadvantage of the unfortunate patridges A party of young gentlemen went out yesterday and kitled, in all, nearly ninety

- The Ice men in the north, are greatly oncerned on account of a scarcity of the rop this season, due to the mildness of the winter. We are not, thank fortune dependent upon any freak of the weather for this comfort and luxury, but can be supplied at any time and under all cir

-At the services to be held at the Lit rary Hall this attergoon, remarks will be nade by a number of our citizens, in fa vor of the establishment of a branch of the Young Men's Christian Association of America in this city, and the different shurch choirs will discourse suitable

A general invitation is extended to the public generally to attend and learn the objects and nime of such associations, and what stops are necessary to the successful institution of so worthy a society in our city.

-"The Rivale" being prepared by the San Antonio Dramatic Association, will not be presented this month, as was the intention, but will necessarily be postponed until after lens. We regret this exceedingly, as we had looked forward with very pleasant anticipation of the presentation of this Drama. The cast will, however, be all the better prepared, on account of this dolay, to appear with success, and we predict for them a crowded house, when they favor the public with their outer

-We give place to-day to documents explanatory of Alderman Degener's comes on the troubled bridge question, now inviting the attention of our citizens. Mr. Degener fears that the brief local reports of the Council proceedings, published in the daily-press of San Autonio, have left nity of a thorough explanation, that we yiald our space to his ec this issue. We believe that the minerity as well as the majority of the con have acted conscientiously in the matter, but think that there are errors on both sides, which another and more dispassion ate meeting of the Council will be able to remove, and thus bring about a proper settlement of the question

-The Arbeiter Verein gave a very fine masquerade ball at their Hall last night. The attendance was immense, and the happy assemblage, we dare say, never appreciated a more enjoyable occasion in San Antonio. The costumes were excellent. We must admire the paine which our German citizens take in getting up their costumes. They can immitate some really peculiar characters with greater our citizens, and good representations of eccentric creatures met with in the world, are always appreciated above everything else at'a masquerade ball.

The music was as good as any one could wish to dance by, and the supper, which was prepared by those skilled culinary artists, Mr. and Mrs. Blasini, was certainly very fine. Mr. Blasiot and lady are real champions when it comes to getting up a fine supper.

The dance, which was participated in with untiring energy, was kept up unbreakfast, and even at its close the well the scene of their gaiety and enjoyment We congratulate the Laborer's Associa tion on the perfect success of their ball, and wish them an equal, though more remanerative sucress, in their honest toils through life.

- Alf Burnett and Company gave a parting-salute at the Literary Hall last evening, to a very large and select audience. The public generally have been perfectly delighted with these laughable petertainments, and Mr. B. takes with him the best wishes of afun-loving comm the best wishes of a un-loving community. He has left a whole with in a good humor, and many a lean, akalezon-nort-of-a-man has attended his performances and come away wonderfully "phattened," 'Tis an old and tribs anying, and worthy of all acceptation, that "a little non-sense now and then, is reliabed by the best of men." The post, oyidently, had never attended one of Mr. Burnett's enjoyantments, or he would have included the Indian, too, as they assemed to fully appreciate and histority.

seemed to fully appreciate, and heartily enjoy, this famey sear's fameyions.

Miss Nash's resitation, and the readition of Mrs. Caudle, are affertable and the high esteem in which she is held by our citizens was shown last evening by frequent and continued applause. Her resitation of The Beautiful Snow, 'scapper-feet and touching, and by request, heartily special and touching, and by request, heartily appealed by avery indy and gautleman present, she repeated the Masonic poons, "We meet open the Level and we part upon the Square," Mr. Burnett, has, in Miss Nach, a support in his entertainments, highly appreciated by his San Antonic andreaces.

Of Mr. L. Percy Williams we can say his favor, and we regret that we have not space to mention his mirth provoking musical performances at great length.

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