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# TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Associated Press Disputcher

DOMESTIC.

NOON DISPATCHES.

Concord March 16—Returns from 234 towns give Cheney, Republican, 41,240; Marcy, Democrat, 37,474; Kendall and scattering, 419; which makes Cheuey's majority 3,347. Ten towns are yet to be heard from, the vote of which last year gave Cheney 514; Roberts, Democrat, 602; White, Temperance, 80. At the latest count the House stands, Republicane 307, Democrate 178.

Demograte 178

\*\*REWELL'S BLOCK IN PLANES.

Nashua, N. H., March 16—A fire in Witop,
N. H., desteayed the railroad building and
Newell's block, and was still spreading at
last accounts. Assistance has been sent
from here and Milford.

BAILROAD CONVENTION Cincinnati, O., March, 16—A convention of railroad officials, representing the principal railways of the United States and Canada, was held at Gond Hotel yesterday, for the purpose of arranging the summer schedules. Last summers acheouse was adopted with a few numerical

SKEDADEED. Chicago, March 16-Hoyt & Bridges, who were indicted for whisky frauds, have gone to London, Canada.

RASCALLY RAILBOAD Baltimore, March 16—At Woodstock, Shenandoah County, Va., yesterday, the Coroner's Jury in vestigating the cause of the death of the victims of the Nafrow Passage Bridge disaster, on the Harper's Perry brabch of the Baltimore & Chio E B on Monday night, March 6th, rendered a verdict that they came to their death by the bracking of the narrow passage bridge, esused by the unsoundness of the timbers in the bridge.

DEMOCRATIC FINANCIAL PLANK. Washington, March 16-The Democratic caucus, after voting on numerous proposi-ria, a, adopted the Payne bill by a large authority, at midnight. WAR IN HAVEL

New York, March 16—Yesterday Mr. Frenton, Minister of Hayti, received a dispatch from Kingston, Jamaica, to the effect that Jacmel, is Hayti, had gone ever to the relief party, which is headed by General Cavale. The Minister instantly gave notice to Consul-General Von Bockelm not to clear any more vessels for Jacmel and farther orders.

mel until further orders.

It is reported that General Cavale landed on the 7th instant with 25 prominent revelutionists from the steam yacht Octatia, late the Fraguay. A few weeks ago the left Kingston and went to the Island of 8t. Thomas, where the revolutionists joined her and proceeded on their way to Jacuse.

EXCURSION TO GEORGIA. Atlanta, Ga., March 16—About four hundred excursionists are here from the West. The reception was at Delavin's Opera Hense. Speeches of welcome were made by Gov. Smith and others.

Washington, D. C., March 16—The Committee on Poreign Affairs will resume the examination of the Emma Mine scan-dal next week. It is expected General Schenck, with other parties, will testify on the subject. The committee to-day made public their correspondence with the temetary of State. The Democrats are in careus to-night on finance.

FALSE.

Cedar Rapids, Ind., March 16—The re-port seat from Davesport that the Union Savings Bank had failed in untrue. STATE CONVENTION.

nd, March 16-The State Con nervative Committee met to-night and fixed the 24th of May as the time and Richmond as the place for holding the State Convention to nominate delegates to the National Convention, and to re-

organize the party.
GOEDON'S MEVENUE PLAN. Washington, March 16—Senator Gerdon, it is understood, will go before the Committe of Ways and Means to morrow to urge his plan of revenus reform, by organizing a new partisan excise corps, to hold office during good behavior, and removable only for inespacity or bad conduct. It is also understood that the Association of Spirit Dealars and Manufacturers will enstain this plan.

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New York, March. 16.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of the State of New York, the resignation of the old board of directors was accepted, and the following new board appointed: Auguston Bolmont, B.J. Raison, G. F. Talman, D. D. Worth, Laurence Turniere, John R. Marshall, Daniel Drake, Smith & Adrian, Is'er and Henry Morgan. Belmont was elected President. The new board will meet to morrow to reorganize affairs, and give a bond to the Comptreller. The surrance and the bank's assets will be applied to the liquidation of debtts. Depositors, representing about a million dollars, will allow their deposits to remain sixty or ninety days, to enable the bank to realize on its bills receivable and loans. The firstitution will resume bills at an assign day.

\*\*Resume the United States.\*\* The bill regulating the counting of cleck was discussed. There were also long discussions of the bill to provide an appropriation for the deficiency of the House was invention, but no action was had.

The subscommittee on ventiling the House, reported that it was impossible to force into the House of Michael all persons except those, who have the privil-special to exclude all persons except those who have the privil-special to exclude all persons except those who have the privil-special to exclude all persons except those who have the privil-special to the complete, and such as may be admitted on cards of mounters. A debate sprang up. Mr Harrison, of Illinets, advocated it on the glound that the genularity and such as a proposing to draw a line between classes of American people.

\*\*Affine The first transfer of the ball was worse than the ball of the hill to provide for the ball wa

### FOREIGN.

NOON DISPATCHES.

ITALIAN POLITICS. Rame, March 16—It is thought after the finance statement is presented to-day, Prince Mipister Minghetti will demand a rote of confidence. The Cabinet will re-sign if the vote is refused. Public opinion is against the present government.

London, March 16-It is estimated that fully twenty coal lades barges foundered in the Thances during the gale restorday.

Toris, March 16—The insudations have atoused work in the government tobacco factory, and in the foundaries of Alfortyfile. Two innuded houses are flooded at St. Maunes. On Sunday the gale caused a frightful destrection of life and property.

Eleven persons were killed in Cluny.

The bridge of Ausherlitz is closed and

reported partially given away under the EGYPT AND ABYSSINIA

Alexandria, March 16—fu the recent battle the Abyssinians numbered 60,000, and the Egyptians 20,000. In consequence of the Ring's suing for peace to the Khedive, Yorch Mazurrah left Suez on Tuesday with a Cispatch to Hassan and Rocteb Pascha. The Abyssinian war is considered ended.

MRS. CARL SHURZ DEAD. London, March 16-The wife of ex-Sena-tor Carl Schurz died here to-day of peur-peral tover.

Queenstown, March 16.—The British ship Eumades, Captain Back, from Port Royat, S. C., for Greenock, capsized on the 12th of March. The second mate and seven of the crew have strived at this place. The remainder of the crew and Captain, 12 in all, were drowned.

DROWNED AND DIED. I,iverpool, March 16—The British ship Grets, Captain Macarty, from San Francisco November 25th, arrived here to-day. She brings a portion of the crew of the British ship Great British, Captain Ohilcotte, from Daboy, January 22nd, for this port, abandoned at sea in a sinking condition. Eleven of the crew of the Great Britain were drowned and four died from exposure.

STORM AND THOUBLE. London, March 16.—One more failure in announced at the Stock Exchange. The market is flat and dull, and but very lit-

market is that and dull, and but very lit-tle doing to-day.

Telegraph lines northward are still de-ranged, and the dispatches are more or less detayed.

### DOMESTIC.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

MORE ABOUT BELKNAP. New York, March 16.—A special to the New York Herald from Biamarck, D. T., says that undeniable evidence will be sont from here to Washington in a few days, proving that within one one week days, proving that within one one week after Belkosp's installation as Secretary of War, he began a scheme for the sale of all the prominent traderships on that frontier, and that they were eventually disposed of for money. The dispatch eays that the evidence will show that one Senator, one ex-Senator, both from the same State, the latter now a Governor of a Territory, and an ex-Governor of a Territory and so ex-Governor of a Territory in the War Department, and an ex-Territorial Marshal have been implied ed. Presper M. Wetmore is dead.

ABSCONDED. E. Defrest and Wm. B. Bulilor clerks of the Insurance offices of Chestin & Boardman of Troy bave absouded with \$11,000, Speculations at fare led to

The costs of Tweed's six million dollar sait were saved to-day, with some interest yet to be computed; they are between twelve and thirteen thousand dollars, exclusive of one per cent, allowance, which will amount to about sixty thousand dollars. TWEED'S SUIT.

BANK APPAIRS.

The new directors of the Bank of New York, elected Lawrence Turniers Vice President, and appointed a committee to investigate the affairs of the bank and report as soon as possible. Said committee required an extension of sixty days which has not been alread by the says whi which has not been signed by the tessary number of creditors, and hibber

THE RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS. Providence, R. L., March 16—The Democratic State Convention met to-day. Gen. Geo. Lawis Cooke was nowinated for Governor, and delegates were elected to the National Democratic Convention.

Washington, March 16— Senate—A resolution was introduced and placed on the calendar providing that proceed on the calendar providing that proceedings and debates shall appear in the record as ac-tually delivered, grammatical errors ex-

A resolution was adopted requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish the Secretary of gold and silver in the United States, from 1845 to 1873, inclusive, also, of the amounts of gold and silver produced in other parts of the world in the same time, and estimating the gold and silver now in the United States.

The bill regulating the counting of elec-

are of the hall was worse than that of an emigrant ship.

Mr. Hoar, of Mass., remarked that he had come here eight years age the youngest member of his delegation and now he was the senior member of the delegation. In that period seven members of the delegation had died. Report committed.

### THE MARKETS.

Galveston, March 16 GOLD.—Closed at \$1 134@\$1 144.
SILVER—Closed at \$6,58 al 145.
EXCHANGE — New York — sight to remium. New Orleans—sight par to to GOVERNMENTS - Dull and strong; new 50 1645, Quiet and sready; Tanness

MONEY—Gold \$1 14 \$2 \$1 142; sight drafts to premium. Sterling commercial \$5 42 to \$5 43; bank \$5 56; to \$5 58.

COTTON—Demand active and running largely on the lower grades, sales \$,300; prices advanced, good ordinary to strictly good ordinary 9;cal0\$\(\text{c}\), to w midfiling to strictly low middling 11\frac{1}{2}11\frac{1}{2}\$, middling to strictly middling 12\frac{1}{2}cal2\$\frac{1}{2}\$, good middling to middling fair 13\frac{1}{2}cal2\$\frac{1}{2}\$, good middling to middling fair 13\frac{1}{2}cal2\$\frac{1}{2}\$, good middling to middling fair 13\frac{1}{2}cal2\$\frac{1}{2}\$, good middling fair 13\frac{1}{2}cal2\$\frac{1}{2}\$, constwiss, 6,507, continent 500, Great Britain 4,220.

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OATS—Steady; sales of St. Louis at 42 to 44c.

BEANS—steady, 90c.

BRAN—Good supply and sales at 80c.

HAY—Dull; prime 16c; choice 20 to 24c.

PROVISIONS—Dry salt meats, sales at 8½ to 9c. Bacon; shoulders 47c; sides 70c.

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ana, 4jo to 6fo.
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16c to 18c. WHISKY-Dull and lower; rectified 108 to 111.

New York, March 16.

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STOCKS — Active and atrong, except
We tern Union, which is lower,
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GOVERNMENTS — Dull and quiet; to 111.

new fives 118;
TATES—Bonds quiet.
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saving commences with the construction of the roadbed and continues throughout the whole system, both in construction and operation, and is perpetual. In a word the small cost of the narrow gauge, ita light operating expenses and small inter- obess military officer, of the highest standcest account enable it to enewer the uni-ing, well acquainted with the army and the service, and with a bigh sense of the portation, and hence its rapid increasing fally for local purposes. It is peculiaradapted for side lines, coal roads ind local development, where the stand-

The first battle of the great political campaign of 1876 has been fought in New Hampahire, and won by the Bernsblicans. The next battle is to be fought in Connections which is also a doubtful State. Both parties are lighting hard for the vices.

GEN. MCCULLOCH-MR.

VAN NOSTRAND.

Prof. Van Nostrand, who has been for many years Superintendent of the State Deaf and Dumb Asylum, at Austin, under both Republican and Democratic administrations, has recently been removed from friend and fellow-soldier, General Henry that splendid soldier and gentleman, Gen. Tom Harrison, of Waco, we feel like thing for General McCulloch when he had opportunity.

ust and our utter condemnation of the atrocious sentiments of the Gonzales Inquirer-Index in relation to this and kindred matters. The Austin correspondent of the Galveston News speaks as follows in regard to the supercedure of Prof. Nostrand :

"Here is a man educated from his youth "Here is a man educated from his youth to the care of the deal and dumb, comes to the State a young and enthusiastic teacher of this unfortunate class, and for twenty years—until he has grown gray in the State's service—he plods away, building up this institution—for when he was first appointed no asystm existed—and now when it is perfect in its whole, as in all its details, and its founder should feel proud of his work, and look forward to its certain usefulness throughout ages as doe certain usefulness throughout ages as due in some part to him, it is wreated from him and placed in the keeping of a politicias more in accord with the people than [New York Correspondent Philadelphis he."

We know nothing of the history of Prof. Nostrand, nor of the causes of his removal, and shall be ver, sorry to learn that One of the best known among the such injustice as is above alfoded to has visitors there for the past several been done him. But the fling at General there will not be sufficient to develop the McCelloch is entirely groundless and out German, of fine intellectual presence various sections of rich, beantiful, and of place. But now hear the Inquirer-Index, and decent, though shabby, dress. saithful country lying in every direction a paper that since its re-organization by He has been engaged on special araround this city, and constituting one of the combination of the two Gonzales ticles for the German papers here, papers into one, and the strengthening of always arriving at the library withits editorial corps, has promised well for in a few minutes after it opened, and its section and for Western Texas. It remaining, immersed in study, until

the germ of all party rancer, political pre- the floor. The interested broup scription, and the misgovernment and which gathered around him came corruption which have cursed this country. It is the same spirit which to all a very short time the unforth ages, has led to the oppression of the weak hate gentleman was starving. What by the strong, lighted the fire of person could be done in deference to the tion, and married the history of religion sufferer's self-respect was done. He and of government by making them his- was conveyed to a hotel and meascaponding saving is effected in the tories of the stake and of the scaffold, and ures taken to insure his comfort conscience. Such sentiments are in viola- man proverb holds: "Der kunst peht The narrow gange, weighs from publican government, for they make is a government of party instead of a government by the people, and establish the principle that the minority have no rights

> Such sentiments, and the pelicy tound. November 5, 1810. His father was ilon, for they force the minosity to feel filled several terms in the State mens by their enemies and not by his son Alphonso inherited his their fellow - patriots, intended for father's mental keenness, with an

for their protection and prosperity. caused the American ectonics to throw off years old, teaching a district school, their allegiance to the crown of Great at such a time as his labors could soot of repairs is largely reduced. Its Britain and struggle for their independ- be spared from the farm, in order machinery and rolling stock being smallence. And we here declare, emphatically that he might accumulate the means and in the size of repair shops, station—bound in true allegiance to a government bound in true allegiance to a government beautiful. ary and shop machinery for repairs. In in which they are permitted to have no be entered the Freshman class in the track department, one man can handle a cross tie. The standard gauge requires two men. Two men can handle a
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Judge Tart, the new Secretary of War, is highly spoken of by the press generally. The appointment of General Sherman to that position, however, would have given more satisfaction to the country. A first ing, well sequented with a bigh sense of the been twice elected to the bench—
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appointed by the Governor to fill a vacancy. Among the rising young lawyers of the City more great nation. Such a man fills the war great nation. Such a man fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service, and with a bigh sense of the dependent of the fill the service and the fill the service nations. The idea of placing a civilian, unacquainted with military life, as the chief of old, gray-headed and distinguish. and gauge, from its greater cost, beavier unacquainted with military life, as the chief of old, gray-headed and distinguishand necessarily higher rates, would render improvements of this character impracticable. The saving in interest account in favor of the cheaper road is a
large and important item, for whether it
be large or small the patrons of the road
have it to pay.

Some of the Dest Known cases, in
volving disputed points of law,
which have in the last twenty years
been brought before the States
Supreme Courts.
In person Judge Tait is nearly
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shave been settled long ago. Belknap was
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an efficial imbecile, as well as an official corruptionist. What the army has suffered through him admits of no excise.

This storm king seems to be raging with ancommon fury on the European continent. England, France and Germany were visited on the thirteenth by terriffer winds and floods of rain,

WE seem to have done the San Autonia Expanses an injustice in counceting its editorials against the Texas Pacific to the recent visit of Hantington's agent. We accept the disclaimer under in a recent notice, and assure the Expanses that note rejoices more heaftly at the assurance given than ourselves.—Austin Gagette.

We commenced writing against the Tom Scott road before we had ever heard of Mr. Huntington or his road, because office by Governor Coke, and our old we wanted a road built through the heart of Texas, that would unite all our rail E. McCulloch, has been appointed in his roads with the main trunk, and develop stead. We know of no man in the State the trade of the State for the benefit of over whose good fortune we feel more in our own parts. Moreover, as the Gazette clined to rejoice than over that of Henry must see, T.m Scott's road could do no McCullock. Nor do we know of any man good to San Antonio and Western Texas; in the State to whom a public trust could nor can it do any good to Austin. But be more safely committed. Neglected and the Hantington road will unite San Auto-over-slaughed by the tongue-warriors of nio, Austin, Heuston, Galveston, Waco, his party, and men far inferior to him ad. Dallas, and all parts of the State, with all vanced and promoted, as in the case of our lines of railroad, in the shortest trunk line between the Pacific and the Gulf. We trust our contemporary will be able to thanking Governor Coke for doing some ace this; and help us in the great work. It does not require four hundred millions of dollars from the government, as Ton But we commenced this article for the Foott does. Tom Scott's road is the ene arpose of putting on record our protest my of Texas, and will be its ruin, if suc cessful. The politician of this State wh touches him is downed, and should be.

W: M. Sedberry, aged sixteen, was ac eidentally shot and killed by another youth, named O'Neal, last Sanday night week, eight miles South of Gonzales. In are now prepared to fill all orders for rethe absence of Mr. and Mrs. Sedberry, pairing and tuning Pianos promptly. they were playing with the guns, which they supposed to be empty, and this was the tatal result. Playing with guns supwith kerosine oil, slav their thousands. and the work goes bravely on, without any power to stop it.

A STARVING SCHOLAR.

A sad case of destitution came to light at the Astor Library to day.

months has been a middle aged it closed. One peculiarity in his "We are not aware of the real cause that influenced the Governor in making the removal. It may have been these given by the correspondent. If so, we consider them aufficient. The former consider them sufficient. The former slone being, in our estimation, good ground for resinval. We are bitterly opposed to any Radical holding position under a Democratic administration, no matter how insignificant. The party will be held responsible for the acts of its appointees. Hence we believe in estatining no one in position who is not fully in sections with a feeble joke and began working. For several hours he maintenance with the party and its principle.

Such sentiments as the above are believed as the properties of the crumb by crumb. This morning when he entered, one of the Libra Trians (Mr. Leonard) remarked that he was paler and more nervous than usual, and said as much. The gentleman passed that he was paler and more nervous than usual, and said as much. The gentleman passed that he was paler and more nervous than usual, and said as much. The gentleman passed that he was paler and more nervous than usual, and said as much. The gentleman passed the remark of gentlem

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SECRETARY FAFT.

[Cincionattl Inquirer.] Judge Taft is of straight out was born in Townshend, Vermont, ed, but an uneducated man, and his son Alphonso inherited his branches of learning. He is ac-It was this sort of government that cordingly found when only sixteen quires two men. Two men can handle a narrow gauge rail, whereas it requires from five to six men to handle a broad gauge rail, whereas it requires from five to six men to handle a broad gauge rail.

We find, then, that the narrow gauge for a bad man in preference to a good man, provided the bad man and the voter for a bad man in preference to a good man, provided the bad man and the voter for a bad man belong to the opposite party.

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lawyer, his success being not less due to his great abilities than to his interest and integrity. He has

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new in this city, to whose opinions and influences he has lent a most willing earlie deciding all questions affecting the management of the army, and to such an extent bas this cable of intriguers succeeded that no deserving or meritorious officer can hope to succeed in any place or accomplish any object requiring the approval of the Secretary of War nuless the influence of this cable oan first be secured. So much is this true and so impressed are army officers serving away from this city of the necessity of toadying to this pernicious element which has crept into the service ander Belkuap that before making an application or recommendation to the Secretary of War it has been deem ed generally best, if success has St. Louis, where as little considerable desired, to first address one of the ring here and secure his influences in the matter. It is not known who compose the entire Ring, known more, Belknap determined to throw who compose the entire Ring, known averything into Sheridan's hands as the Army Ring, but the princi in army matters, or who have ever cultivated had occassion to desire a measure THE IMMENSE INPLUENCE OF SHER passed or an object gained at the War office. Babcock, of course, from his character as shown to the public, but not to the jury, and, ez officia, has been a fellow member with Belknap, sharing on more than requal terms with that bloated corruptionist fue patronage and influence of the War Office. Following these two well matched leaders, there has been a number of less prominent persons, each of whom had his part to play and in return was allowed a voice in determining questions pertaining to the army, and at times were permitted to pick be a once transferred from St. Germany, under the lead of such a up such crumbs as might tall from Louis to this city, where they man as Bismarck, be is attempting the overloaded tables of Belknap and Babcock. The two most prom-

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THE PRIME PAYORITES. of the now disgraced Secretary are two officers of the rank of major both on duty now and for years past in this city, both belonging to the staff corps of the army and both having shared to the fullest degree the favor and smiles of their fallen. chief. They will both be recalled to the memory of the public as the two officers who were sent in a government vessel a couple of years ago in charge of presents intended for the Mikado of Japan. One of the officers is a member of one of the scientific crops; but the records of the War Office will fail to show that he has engaged upon any scientifiedaty other than the science of seeking out and obtaining what may be termed soft places. Among showered upon this follower is the distinction without merit of a place on the Centennial Commission, a serving here who, aside from any sover how to put thousands of dollars into, his pockets by robbing wants of the service.

soldiers on the frontier, could have discovered any peculiar fitness or qualifications in the officer referred ficking in the government patronto for such making favoritism. The age was continued. The post warnings given the shameful trailing in the government patronage was continued. The post traders of the Upper Missouri received no notice that further tribute would not obtain if it was in the power of Belknap to bestow. The amount of money Unule Sam has been called upon for the defray the expenses of these funketting expeditions of the thiering Secretary would go far toward the maintenance of a small garrison. If either of these court tavorites desired an order issued over the signature of Belknap they had but to ask and it was of the Bing to have it so.

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which he had for money in the day of April they will discharge all their editors and reporters and begin the publication of the Bible as a news matter for their readers. Such attories as that about Mrs. Poliphar, Solomon and Mrs. Urish and the like will be toned down as much as possible, and the word "alleged" interpolated, will be made. When the Bible is exhausted they will publish the will be under the will be made to

responsible position in connecti with the Centennial has been gra Contennial until his staff promises to equal in dimensions that of the Gen-eral of the army. First, there is Major Lewis Merrill, whose appoint ment to this duty was almost the lest act of the thieving Secretary, and when Merrill is recalled as the officer whose.

NOTORIOUS TRANSACTIONS IN

SOUTH CAROLINA, by which, it is alleged, he put his hand in the South Carolina treasa-Bayard has often exposed in the Senate, it will be seen that birds of a feather still flock together. An-Hancock and McDowell combined. although both are Major Generals, was not equal to that ut either of these two junior officers. Other staff corps had their representatives n the army and navy, but Belknap, Babcock and the twin Majors, with occasional suggestions from General Horace Porter and General Rufus Ingalls, were

THE MOVING PPIRITS of the capital. The head of the Adjutant General's office, an antiquated and partially fossilized remnant of the regular army as it existed before the war, and whose ability in running a back street Sunday school is far more marked than his aptitude for military atfairs as they exist at the present day, has been a most useful impliment in the hands of the ex Secretary in promoting, without murmur or protest, the wishes of Belknap. The scarvy manner in which Belk+ nap heaped indignities upon the General of the army are fresh in the public mind. Little by little Belknap assumed to himself the a disreputable trafficker in Indian degisions of all questions and the exercise of all authority which by law and the demands of the service belonged to Sherman, until the lat. General Custer refused to receive ter was actually forced-although other causes were given-to remove his residence and headquarters to here and throughout the country everything into Sheridan's hands which was possible, ignoring at as the Army Ring, but the princi which was possible General of the pondent indicted... It is needless to persons here who take any interest Army. In this way began and was say that one of the Grand Jury persons here who take any interest Army. In this way began and was

> IDAN with Belknap, a condition of affairs which did not seem to displease Grant. No one has ever believed or hinted even that Sheridan's influence with Belkuap has been used

complishment of this desired end, Czar is also taking care of his interters of the General of the Army to ly fearful of the growing power of should never have been permitted to go. Then authorize Gen. Sherman to reissue the order he refused years ago when he first 'assumed the duties of General of the Army, and by which the Adjutant General of the Army, the Quartermaster General of the Army and all the heads of staff departments were apnounced as his staff officers and required to receive orders directly from him. This order was not liked by the Secretary of War, as it tria dominates in Dalmatia, on the would interfere with many of his Adriatic Sea. A Hobenzollern pet schemes. He, therefore, obtained a revocation of the order General Sherman shorn of all pow be difficult for the Czar to sink er, and of little more service to the a mine that they will not discover Army than a fifth wheel to a wagon. and countermine. The wheel of Then follow this up with a law or circumstances brings about strange regulation requiring all officers now in Wasnington, except chiefs of departments, such as the Adjutant General, Quartermaster General, &c, to be sent to other stations, while other and uncontaminate officers from the latter be ordered to the rewards which the latter has duty in the various departments here. This would give a much board appointed to represent the Connection or influence with the United States by the President No- Army Ring, have never served at body but the man who could disstations at which they were likely stations at which they were likely to obtain a knowledge of the real

He refused to break the law, even in a Pittal when commanded by the Washingually surrounding himself with a tou Ring, and he promptly sent a land-office corps of assistants for duty at the report of the outrage and a protest subscribers. to General Terry, the department commander, at St. Paul, and General Terry not only sustained him,

agents the Indians were starved, swindled and maliciously slander-Among the establishments run by the Grant Ring were Standing Rock, Fort Berthold and Fort sand in the South Carolina treasa.

Ty and carried off \$20,000 of the Stevenson. Belknaps fellow towns. State money for doing that for men, the Leighton Brothers, of which the general government paid him and whose conduct Senator Bayard has often exposed in the Buford, Fort Peck, Fort Belknap and other posts along the Missouri River. Between these points other major added to the staff of steamboats having government the ex-Secretary's favorite is a contracts transferred their cargoes, nephew of Senator Morion, who sold Indian supplies, and assisted was appointed upon the principle that "if you scratch my back I'll and Belknap in carrying on their scratch yours." The influence of shameless robberies for months and shameless robberies for months and years. Orville Grant traveled through the country at government expense, remorselessly levy-ing an exorbitant tax on every post within his control. The most stealing was one at Fort Peck, called THE "ROBBERS' ROOST,"

and there the prices were most ex-horbitant. Secretary Belknap made a grand tour down the Missouri River last tall, and among citizens and army officers it was understood that he was looking after his mercantile blackmailing operations. There is some reason for believing that Orville and Belknap have worked together in prostituting the patronage of the tradership establishments of the army. When Belknap reached Bismarck, the terminus of the Northern Pacific Railroad, the conductor had to SHEET-IRON, hold the train that he might conclude his extended interview with Raymond, a leading trader and member of the Grant Belknap Ring. The Secretary of War of the United States had time to visit supplies, but he had not time to investigate the stealing of 4,000 bushels of Indian grain which from the Ring contractors. General Terry was there, and he said that Custer did right, but the august and high toned Bellsusp disdained to look after such is triffing Ithing as a \$10,000 ateal. His legal friends in Dakota were highly incensed because the Herald gave a few facts about it, and when the Grand Jury met they had the corresmanagers was one of the Raymond & Grant partners. And now the President is surprised at Belknap's

A narrow strip of only two hundred and twenty five miles divides The Russian and English territory in Central Asia. Steadily and constantly has Russia worked down from the North, ustil almost all of Central Asia not actually covered by the flag of England has been absorbed by her authorities. And As the first steps toward the ac- while thus operating in Asia the pass a law requiring the headquar ests in Southern Europe. Naturalto draw a cordon around Constantinople by obtaining power in Servia, Bosnia, Montenegro and Herzegovina. Bismarck has not failed to apprehend this strategic feature of the case, and has placed Austria in the projected path of the Czar, and is ready to back Francis Joseph when the proper moment comes for positive action. The German foothold in this section of Europe is in the Danubian provinces, while Ausmatia. These men act as sentinals from the President, thereby leaving of Germany in this case, and it will events in the history of nations as well as men, and the real check upon Russia may come in Europe from Germany, and not in Asia from England. The Czar has two powers watching him with sleepless vigilance, and it will require all his power and cunning to escape being wounded by either one or the other horn of the warlike or diplomatic dilemma.

PITTSBURG JOURNALISM.

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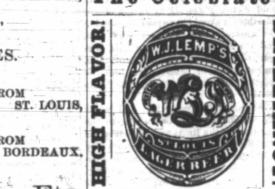
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-Dr Beall has removed his office to the nance office of Mr. T F. Brady, oppo--We are pleased to learn that the Oakvilte troubles have, subsided, and quiet is a ;ain restored in Live Oak county.

-Our Agent, Mr. D. J. Jones, now at Fort Clark, is said to be quite boatile. He visited San Felipe a few days ago, and the Mexicans stole his horse-therefore his present indignant feelings.

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Trustees of the Agricultural, Stockraising and Industrial Association of Western Texas, it was ordered that Mr. Goo. Caldwell, Tresenrer, call in all assessments now duep and notify all these in arrears to call and pay up at his office imme-

The annual premiums have been ordered kept open until May let, 1876.

-The effort to establish a new military sompany, is, very properly, meeting with great access. While we are ready to do grace to Military Plaza, that the city all in our power to encourage the move, paid virtually \$445.32 in excess of the we at the same time trust that the pres-one-third it should have paid to get rid-of ent members of the Alamo Rifle Company will adhere strictly to their own or. and was the only contributor his lowganization. A little competition would spirited neighbors should at least, then, do them good, and with another compa and occasion to bestow upon him the ny, a rivalry would spring up which worthy distinction of a public benewould encourage the companies to labor factor, probably call itself the "San Antonio

ST. PATRICK'S DAY. To-day is one of the greatest of days to every true Irish-Catholic. It is the day of the cestival of St. Patick, the Patron Saint of the Emerald Isle. St. Patick is supposed to have been born near the present site of Kilpatrick, at the city affairs, they rather seam to be offermouth of the Clyde, in Scotland, in the year 372, and to die at Down, Ulater, in 464. There are many stories and accounts spects, all agree upon the point that Pat us by. rick was one of the ablest and purest men the world has ever produced. In Ireland. a country so noted for its moralists and for the accommodation of the public, at the ite atatesmen, he stands above all others, and we might go even farther - even defy Great Britain to produce his peer in

But we will offer no extended hulogy on the life of this great patriot and priestwe will simply give a few historical facts relative to his career.

When Patrick was sixteen years of ago, six months, when an opportunity offered, he was sgain carried into Irish captivity. Being of an extraordinary intelligence, com ea missionary to their country. So, returning to Scotland, he began to orepare himself for his future great labors, was ordained, and finally consecrated Bishop. He entered his chosen field of labor about the year 432, presched it the ... gospel with such extraordinary effect that, although not the first to introduce Christianity into that country, the whole world, and partionisrly the frish people themselves, have always given him the credit of its general conversion. He is said to have baptised the kings of Dublin and Munster, and the -A couple of gontleman can procure a seven sons of the King of Connought, with fernished room in a very pleasant part of the greater part of their subjects, and be-the city, by lequiring at this office. 10tf fore his death to have converted almost the whole Island to the Cathelic faith. He not only converted, but fixing his the tropolitan are at Arnagh, he appointed other bishops to come after him, and did which he had planted.

The spirit manifested by the Irish naincore. Everything nest and clean and tion in remembering, with all the love at-class in every respect. You gan get and arder of their race, even until to day, Bassian, Vapor or Salphur Bath there. the highest encomiums of the press, and the admiration of all true people That the great priest, for his good works, deserves the thanks of the Irish, no one can deng-nor can anyone, contradict the asseveration that the Irish are a people, capable, above all others, of appreciating good works, and of manifesting such ap-

HOTEL ARRIVALS

W F Ford, Fort Clark; L C Harrison Honey Branch: James H. Hands; Uvalde; Dr Simmons, New Fonntain; G. W. Chesher, Mexico, I. Martin, Piexampon, E. Wolf-ter, Prio Gity; Lot Johnson and wife, Judge Johnson and wife, Benton City; George Wilson, River Bond, Colorado; T. A. Melkinney, J. P. Lefore, Win Lefore, J. H. Drake, N. Warren, E. H. Overall, W. F. Sharp, Coleman county; J. O. Juvenal, Wil-Hamsport, Indiana; W. E. Cook, Austin.

MENGER.

marks and suggestions yesterday on the Among the numerous other question Military Plaza and its improvement met akked, are the following : with an almost unanimous approval. We "Would it be reasonable to expect are happy to learn that it is the ardent healthy locality, with some wood, and desire of Mayor French to create just well watered ? The way we look at it is such a Plaza as we yesterday argued for. this-it we could once get started, and But there seems to be a lack of the get a village located with a show of sucproper spirit with many of the property coss, hundreds of good men and their fami owners on the square, who manifest no lies would follow us and settle. Again disposition to aid in such a good work. would we be well received ? Being from For instance, in the removal of the old Spanish officers' quarters, Dr. Kalteyer was the sole person who stepped forremembered that any improvement, such as grading or paving a street, or the present removal of the old military building, when of particular or direct benefit to any citizen or citizens, demands an encouragement of the work in a payment of two-thirds of the cost of sheep, make butter or choose for market, naking such improvement by the persons receiving a direct benefit. The each of the party having some money." saloon, "The Metropolitan" No. 51 Main Linn property, occupied by the old milstreet, in good ranning order. He keeps itary building a direct benefit. The each of the party having some money."

There never were questions propounded itary building, was condemned and which could more easily and agreeably be its removal, all the property on the northern side of the Plaza is directly en- locality in Western Texas. It is the nanced in value, while the worth of the healthfulness of the section, particularly At a recent meeting of the Board of property on the southern side of the that just about us, which draws hundreds square is scareely affected. It is not just that citizens living east of the river health resort for the afflicted people of the

should pay in taxes for special improvements on the western side; and hence the justice in the demand of the city that at least two-thirds of the cost of a public improvement of any immediate benefit shared between the holders of such prothe nuisance. Dr. Kalteyer paid \$888y-

more earnestly toward improvement. But this matter is settled, and while The Alamo Rifles should dearly cherish the city claims to have an eye to the the sweet memories of chivalry and mili- purchase of the Russi property, it seems fary distinction which surround the name also disposed to put up a temporary city of "Alamo,"-a prouder name than is calaboose on a portion of the ground beborne by any other military company ing cleared of the old military building. in the State. The new company will We trust but little expense will be undergone in this enterprise, for the old county jail would serve well as a city prison when a new jail for the county is built, and which, by the way, should be from every State in the Union and all promptly attended to

> not out of time. At this juncture of our people ed just at the proper hour.

The future of San Antonio should be viewed as the future of a new city. We immigrants. Our city and county are just of his early life handed down to us, must therefore take time by the forelock, which, although they differ in some re- and improve its moments as they pass Express, on behalf of every honest-mind-

The Military Plaza is one of the historically interesting spots of our city. About the year 1740, the Indian tribes were expelled from power here, and the place occupied by the Spaniards. As to what became of these Indians, and the not state in this article. Most of the Spanish buildings which stood upon Military Plaza, and some still standing, were built before the year of 1750. The old building just being removed by the city was the officers' headquarters, white about sixty yards just opposite to the countries of the property a band of marauders carried him a cap old building just being removed by the Received. That we, as a body tender two to Italiand, where he remained about city was the officers' headquarters, while and he made his escape to Scotland, the front, stood a long building, the barracks home of his parents. Shortly afterward, of the private Mexican soldiers, Where our present county fall now stands, there was a building used as a military after viewing the moral deprayity of the prison, the early prison for offenders of Irish race in that day, he resolved to be civil laws having stood on the ground now occupied by the large market-house. This western section of the city was formerly called San Fernando de Austria, in honor of the marriage of a Spanish Prince with an Austrian Princess Many have probably noticed, in passing a monte pio shop on the west side of the square, a keystone supporting an arch over one of the doors, upon which is carved the Austrian easign, and the numerals, 1749. Bits is the year in which the building was constructed. Military Plaza was the Spanish military headquarters, while Main Plaza, San Antonio then being the capital of the Texas Republic, was the headquarters of the civil government. The Governor's residence stood where Messrs. Schmitt & Co and Altgelt & Portis' places of business now are, the reception house being Water streets, straightenel, and even about twenty steps to the front. A street or alley-way then passed just to the mant in the hands of the Improvement right of the Central Hotel, "El Casa Committee The amount of improvement Real," or City Hall, occupied the eastern prayed for is really a small matter-not side of Main Plaza—the present office of Messrs. Adams & Wickes, being the only small a matter entiraly to trouble the City remaining portion of the council chambers of the municipal government of early ty were only imbued with the spirit of im-San Antonio.

San Antoulo.

These points of early interest deserve to be remembered, and we hold that the best way to preserve a distinction for them is to erect fine buildings, structures in accordance with the demands and progressive spirit of the times, on the foundations of, er in the near vicinity to, where the founders of our city built the public buildings need by the civil and military authorities of San Fernando de Austria.

The world was not made in a day, nor can a first-class city be made of San Antonio in a day. But we are hopeful of the success of such great public interprises as we suggest, which only need be invested with thought and energy to effect a consummation. We are a city of 20,000 inhabitants, stendily marching

losses should any occur, mehil-lw NOTICE ... A called meeting of Anchor Lodge No. at half-past seven o'clock, for work in R. H. NESI, W. M.

New Advertise

tling within twenty miles of Ban Antonio

the North, and from Massachusetts, would

there be any prejudice against us, if we

minded our business, and became an in

"If we can be satisfied upon these gene

ral points, and are successful in holding

together the families which now propose

We desire to farm, raise cattle or

or do anything to get an honest living;

and no matter how bitter a partizan he

may be, if he keeps within the limits of

We would urge upon our Massacl.metts

friends to come to Western Texas, and

settle as near San Antonio as possible

They will find lands naturally adapted to

the callings they seek to pursue, and a

productions. We have many Massachu

setts people living among us, and people

parts of the world, and we have never

The following resolutions were unaut

Lodge Scal attached.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the Ean Antonio Express, Western Stock Journal and San Antonio Herald.

Resolved, Tuat spread upon our minutes, Bespecifully and fraternally, J W Heathcook, Resolved, That these resolutious be

We tender our thanks, friend Tom, for

thing probably to little hi

(Communicated.)

diate vicinity, have petitioned the City Council time and again, for years past, to

have Goliad street, between Alamo and

now a petition to that effect is laying dor-

over 120 feet long by 6 feet wide-too

Council with, if the owners of the proper-

But as this is not the case, unfortunately,

we are obliged, in self defeuce to call

The London Assurance Corporation,

Established in 1720, \$14,500,000 Gold Funds, has come to our city to de busi-

ness, and placed the Agency with Marshall & Herndon, General Insurance

Agents. An existence of 156 years should

satisfy all that the old Company is still

sound and ready to receive risks and pay

upon the city to do it.

The citizens of Goliad street, and imme-

this Aftar thon didst give us, and ask

the blessings of the Divine One to croan

thine efforts with success.

Pleasanton, March 14th, 1876.

Ed. Wynans, W.J. Miller,

J R Sweeten,

a finger to injure him.

United States.

JUST RECEIVED 300 Bales Sheep Dip Tobacco

WAGNER & RUMMEL

\$5 to \$20 per day at home. He runson & Co., Portland, Maine mehsdaw

TALUABLE CITY PROPERTY 

AUCTION! For one third Cash, balance in one

ON PRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 13th, and 14th, A. D., 1876,

purchased by the city at the very reasonable price of \$2000 currency. It was pondent. In regard to a healthy locality, purchased to be cleared by the city. By its removal, all the property on the there is no such thing as an unhealthy

" " 9, " 12345678

Situated on the Mission Road below the Mission Store or Deemaziete property.

Also Lots 1 to 16, in Block 2; Lots 1 to 16 in Block 3, and Lots 1 to 14 in Block 4 But the writer asks a very queer ques tion, especially so to the people of Wos Section No. 1; Lote 1 to 16, Block No. 1; Lote 1 to 16, Block No. 2; Lote 1 to 16, Block No. 3, and Lote 1 to 8 in Block No. tern Texas, a people whose cosmopolitanism is as peculiar to themselves as any other special trait of character they may possess. What our people admire most Block No. 2; Lots Nos. 1 to 16 in Block 2 s bonest industry, and people from any is honest industry, and people from any part of the world can come among us and at quee constitute, in every respect, a part of our population. Yes, the Woodburn colony can come to Western Texas, and Muench's residence, running back to Alacolony can come to Western Texas, and mo Ditch, about 20x70 varas. Also sev we guarantee them just as good treatnicht as they could expect anywhere. As of San Antonio. All the above property for political prejudices, a man has a right to exercise such with as perfect a freedom can be seen and all desired informati in Western Texas as in Massachusetts, will be given at our office.

H. F. & W. H. YOUNG, WEST TEXAS LAW & LAND OFFICE, the law, no one will ever think of lifting m15d30t Commerce St., San Antonio



MOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

heard a marning from one of them as to-

with the state of trustes, that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Bexar aforesand, shed in the city of San Antonio, and fronting 16; warse on the west side of South Flores Street, a short ed man in San Antonio and Western Texas, extends to the Woodburn colony a friendly hand, and bids them a bearty diatance below the Military Plaza, and running back for depth 24 varas, more or less, it being the upper portion of that property sold to said Hamver by John Kisling, by deed recorded in Book V. No. 1, page 81 of the records of Bexar county, to which reference is made, &c. And mously adopted at a stated meeting of

ate gife, with the assurance that we will ever be reminded with gratitude of his generosity upon beliefding the three great lights resting upon his beautiful gife.

Resolved, 'That that the accretary be instructed to furnish Brother O'Bryan with a copy of these resolutions with the Lodge Seal attached.

Tuesday, the 4th day of April. A. D. 1576, in accordance with the terms and "stips latious contained in said Deed of Trust. WM. H. TOUNG, Trustee. San Antonio, Texas, March 13, 1876. 20

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE!

Wirkunas, Manuel Serna, Sr., Manue A. Serna, Rita Sersia de Callaghan, Mar-garita Serna, and Jaan Callaghan, to as-cure the payment of their certain promis-sory note for \$500 Silver, in favor of II. Tournat, dated Jane 19th, A. D. 1875, and duo December the 19th, 1875, did convey by Deed of Trust, duly recorded in Book Vol. No. 3, on pages 269 and 261 of Bexar County Records, unto Win. H. Young, County Records, unto Wm. H. Young, Trastee, all that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Bexar and in the city of 3an Antonio, on the Weat side of the San Antonio river, extending from Soledad street on the East to Acceptia street on the West, opposite: F. D. Fayille's residence, fronting

East to Accquin street on the West, opposite F. B. Fayille's residence, fronting twenty (20) varus on Accquin and Soledad streets, bounded North by property of Lane, South by property of Beitel.

And whereas, furthermore, Manuel Serna, Sc., and Aistonio M. Berns, for the perpose of scenning the payment of their certain proreissory note for \$100 Silver, in favor of said H. Tournst, dated Sept. 6th, 1875, did also convay by Deed of Trust, duly recorded in Book Vol. No. 3, on pages 26 and 295, of Bexar County Records, unlessid Wm. H. Young, Tenstee, the above mentioned and described premises.

And whereas, there is still due and unpaid upon the said two notes above mentioned have made default.

Now, therefore, L. and Trustee, hereby give notice that by direction of said Tournat, I will sell the above described premises at public outery, to the highest bidder for cash, in acid, lefare the Court House door of Bexar County, between the hours of ten and four velock, on Tuesday, the 4fh day of April,

Tuesday, the 4th day of April,

in accordance with the terms and stips lations contained in said Deed of True San Antonio, Texas, March 13th, 1876.

IVERY, SALE AND PERD STARLE PLEASANTON TEXAS. W. R. CROUKETT, Propriete

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