



BRISTOW AND KENTUCKY.

The Express is not the champion of any man for the Presidency, but it endeavors to show the strong and the weak points of the platform and candidates of each party, as far as they are developed, that our readers may be able to form a correct judgment of the situation and progress of the canvass.

Mr. Bristow is the only Republican candidate who has the prestige of carrying the State in his favor. Kentucky is a Democratic stronghold, and it is confidently asserted that he will carry it if nominated at Cincinnati.

As to Kentucky, a correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette says that the recent Convention there contained many Republicans who have never before taken an active part in supporting the party even by their votes.

The inspiration of Bristow's non-partisan attitude by thorough organization and hard work, would effect this result: Kentucky furnished to the armies of the Union 60,000 soldiers.

A NEW STATE CAPITOL.

The State Gazette has an excellent article on the subject of building a new State Capitol at Austin. We are glad to see the matter agitated, but we hope that when it is built it will be equal in architectural taste, style, beauty and grandeur to any State Capitol in the Union.

The General Conference of the U. S. Christian Advocate at New Orleans, heretofore edited by Rev. Dr. H. B. Swain, has been edited by Rev. Dr. H. B. Swain, heretofore edited by Rev. Dr. H. B. Swain.

The preliminary report of the committee on the subject of building a new State Capitol at Austin, Texas, is published in the Express.

INFLUX OF POPULATION AND WEALTH READY TO POUR INTO THE STATE AS SOON AS WE GET A FEW MORE RAILROADS, AND A BETTER STATE GOVERNMENT.

SENATOR Ball's bill for a general free school law, provides that the County Commissioners shall be constituted a board of School Directors; children between the ages of nine and fifteen to be of scholastic age. The State Board of Education not to appropriate school fund to counties to be paid to the county treasury; assessors of county taxes to take scholastic census every year, before the 1st of July.

REV. W. G. Veal, a notable and highly respected Minister of the M. C. Church, has been elected to the position of the Dallas papers, is involved in a serious difficulty. The charges are similar to those made against Mr. Beecher.

THE SHREVEPORT TIMES says that Capt. James B. Phelps, General Traveling Agent for the Red River Transportation Company, has given an interesting piece of information in regard to the shipment of cattle from Texas to New Orleans.

A REPORTER of the Baltimore Gazette one day last week, interviewed a number of prominent members of Congress and politicians, among them Hon. John Hancock, who said that as far as he could learn, the people were impressed with the idea that Tilden is strongest man.

MONSIEUR BARR, with new style frames for sale cheap by BRADSHAW, BIRD & CO. 93 & 95 Commerce St.

CENTENNIAL SALOON.

This splendid and favorite resort for those who desire the best of everything has been refitted with all the modern appliances known in the saloon trade.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS, CENSUS QUARTERS OFFICE, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, MAY 26, 1876. Owing to the informality of proposals to furnish pens at this Depot, which proposals were opened on the 22d inst., the Department commander directs that new bids be received at this Depot.

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Will the firm at this city please publish the results of the tests made in a case of our Star Oil, sent to New York for that purpose, a few months ago.

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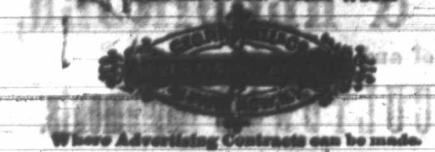
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STUART'S FIRST RAID.

At daybreak the Confederate cavalry... Stuart's first raid... The Confederates proceeded to cut...

HANOVER COURT HOUSE.

where two squadrons of the 5th regular Cavalry were performing picket duty. The first squadron, surprised by the appearance of the Confederates...

JACKSON WAS TO FOLLOW.

a few days after with his army. Stuart, who remained all the night in front of a light Cavalry General, determined to carry out a plan much more hazardous in appearance...

ceeded towards the Chickahominy. At daybreak the Confederate cavalry... Stuart's first raid... The Confederates proceeded to cut...

GRASSES FOR BANKS OF STREAMS.

A subscriber, Haydensville, O., asks what grasses are best to prevent washing of the banks along rivers and creeks, and where he can get seed of Reed Canary and Reed Meadow grasses...

BISHOP BURELL.

On Sunday, May 21. The celebration of the 50th anniversary of the ordination of Archbishop Preyer commenced today. Just preceding a large number of friends gathered in the morning...

PHENOLOGIZING A MINISTER IN TEXAS.

A blind theologian lectured the other night at the Christian Church. There was a large crowd of ladies and gentlemen present. At the close of the lecture, a committee was appointed to select candidates for examination...

ety; he has a fine moustache head, and while he would make fine blacksmith, he would not make a preacher.

MATERIAL FOR A NOVEL.

[From the New York Herald.] The following general alarm yesterday sent out by Superintendent... 'Look out for him! He's a Russian, twenty-year of age, medium height, fat fair complexion, light hair...

INTERLOCUTOR.

Who's that showy fellow with the blue and white coat, and a big people in the ribs? Interlocutor: Oh, that's the Duchess of Baywater. She was Lady Gwendolen Beaumont, you know, Interlocutor (with warmth): Ah, to be sure, that accounts for her well bred ease, her aristocratic simplicity of manner, her natural and straightforward...

CENTRAL HOTEL BARBER SHOP.

Re fitted in good style, and is now ready for the accommodation of the public, at the following rates: Shaving... 10 cents. Hair Cutting... 25 cents. Dressing... 15 cents.

ALAMO LODGE NO. 4, F. & A. M.

Holds its regular meetings on the third Wednesday of each month at 8 o'clock p. m. in the hall of the Grand Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F. Building.

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Holds its stated meetings on the 1st and 3rd Saturday in each month. F. M. C. NEWTON, Sec. R. A. COMMANDERY NO. 1, K. T. Holds its stated convocations on the 1st Saturday in each month.

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**DAILY EXPRESS**  
CITY NEWS  
SUNDAY MORNING, May 26th, 1917.

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**

**PRESBYTERIAN:**  
First Presbyterian Church of San Antonio, corner Houston and Flores streets, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m.; Morning Services 11 a. m.; Evening Services 7 p. m.; Ladies' Convention at 7 p. m.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL:**  
Methodist Episcopal Church, Soledad street north of Postoffice; Rev. Homer H. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m.; Morning Services 11 a. m.; Evening Services 7 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m.

**ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL:**  
St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 2735 Soledad street, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m.; Morning Services 11 a. m.; Evening Services 7 p. m.

**GERMAN LUTHERAN:**  
German Lutheran Church, corner Alamo and Tenth streets, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m.; Morning Services 11 a. m.; Evening Services 7 p. m.

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC:**  
St. Mary's Catholic Church, corner High Mass and Tenth streets, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday Mass 10 o'clock a. m.; High Mass 12 o'clock noon.

**ST. ANTONIO CATHOLIC:**  
St. Antonio Catholic Church, corner High Mass and Tenth streets, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday Mass 10 o'clock a. m.; High Mass 12 o'clock noon.

**CONVENT:**  
First Mass 6:30 a. m.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH (GERMAN):**  
Low Mass, 7:30 a. m.; High Mass and sermon 10 o'clock a. m.; Holy Communion 12 o'clock noon; Vespers 7:30 p. m.; Mass of St. John the Baptist, 9:30 p. m.

**METHODIST CHURCH:**  
Ladies' street, east of the Mission Street Sabbath school hall post office, Rev. W. W. Threlkeld, pastor. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m.; Morning Services 11 a. m.; Evening Services 7 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m.

**CITY AND COUNTRY NOTES.**

The Ternet party set for last evening was postponed. Too much rain.

Jalisco and ice cold milk punches are a favorite beverage at the Continental. Fine cigars, too.

No word has yet been received from the committee sent to Galveston by the San Antonio Construction Company to meet Col. Pierce.

Mr. N. J. Congrove returned Friday night from his Philadelphia trip, and gives glowing accounts of the proceedings at the Centennial.

Three Mexican beggars were making their rounds yesterday, soliciting alms. It is said that they have been taken to the poor-house, but it is surely the place for them. Let this street-begging be entirely stopped.

The programme and price lists of the next fair have been published printing by Messrs. A. Stemming & Co., and will be ready for distribution in eight or ten days; the pamphlets having, meantime, to go through the hands of a binder.

STARRED.—Nicolas Larra, a Mexican, got into a difficulty with a man by the name of Clark, at the bar where Market street and Main Plaza, last evening, and received a severe but not dangerous blow across the forehead. Clark, it is known, is waiting the result of his wound.

The Bath House, we are pleased to learn, is already doing a good business. It is a pleasant place to bathe, very thing is neat and clean and is cheerfully patronized. Mr. Russell is in charge and will give every attention to patrons.

Information from the West is to the effect that the rains continue, the farmers are all despondent and that of hope for their crop, and that the rains and streams are swelling in every direction. The only failure is in the wheat crop, which did not yield so abundantly as was expected.

While but little rain fell immediately about the city yesterday, it is heavy cloud banks should not be so far away from the city as they are. The heavy clouds in the vicinity of the head of the river, causing considerable extra water to flow down it. At 9 o'clock the stream was overflowing the banks at mill-bridge.

If you wish to dress well, the first thing to be done is to see that your clothing fits you well, and the surest way to insure of the latter is to have your suit made by a first class tailor. All recommendations in this regard are given by Mr. George Hillman as the right man in the right place. He has a good variety of styles to suit you to select from, and will take pleasure in showing them.

THE BARRACAS.—We call attention of business men to the advertisement of the above, for sale by Mr. Bryan Little, of Houston, Mr. Little's oil of Mexican origin is one of the best little known in the State. Yesterday he disposed of 3000 pounds of wheat, this morning, Messrs. J. Green & Co., being the purchasers. These goods were introduced into this section from Washington county, Pennsylvania, and are doing well for him.

The Young Men's Christian Association is holding a prayer and praise service, interspersed with short addresses and Scripture readings, this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the "Little Church" near the Mission Street, in the Fourth Ward. Rev. Mr. Woolfs, pastor, of the Presbyterian church, presiding. The public are invited to attend.

The Saratoga bathhouse is becoming a favorite resort with bathers.

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**AGREABLE!**  
The report of the State Comptroller reads as follows: Texas Banking and Insurance Company—paid capital \$300,000; gross assets, \$750,000; income, \$112,320. Houston Insurance Company—paid capital, \$300,000; gross assets, \$350,136; income, \$55,901.

**MARSHALL & HERNDON, AGENTS.**  
THE ALABAMA GOLD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.  
This company, of which Gen. Stephen D. Lee is the Superintendent of Agencies, has the following splendid record: On Jan. 1st, 1916, it had in assets, \$826,469 87. Re-insurance or solvent fund at 4 per cent, 469,615 32. Balance of previous fund, 549,191 65. Capital stock paid in, 900,000 00. Stock quoted on Wall Street at 130 per share of \$100, and not a stock note yet. Surplus as of February balance, \$250,000 00. Losses paid in the South in 8 years, 500,000 00. Losses paid in Texas in four years, 100,000 00. Has only had two law suits, involving \$10,000, in 8 years. This company is working in the North, and is therefore subject to the same tests as Northern companies, and the above figures are correct, and the above surplus and assets and the business investigation and inquiry through channels, as in the management of its officers, and its present condition.

**NEITERS**  
and other kind of Mineral Waters, manufactured by FRANK W. WALSH, Rank St., San Antonio, may 13th.

**PROPERTY FOR SALE!**  
The buildings now occupied by C. F. Klein and Whitely & Cunningham, on Main Street, with a front of about 90 feet, and depth of 90 feet, will be sold at reasonable terms. Apply to F. GUILBERT.

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