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TERMS—Daily.
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SENATOR LOGAN made a great campaign speech at Chicago a few days ago. "It will be serviceably used by the Republicans."

SUNDAY MORNING Sept. 10th, 1876.

The Grangers of California estimate their surplus wheat crop this season at 600,000 tons.

The Maine election takes place on the 11th instant, next Monday, and quite a warm contest is expected.

The Emperor of China has forbidden the emigration of his subjects to Spanish colonies, because the coolies in Cuba are treated too better than slaves.

Another man, whose memory ought not to be permitted to perish, is gone. He lived near Fredericksburg, Va., and his father was hoked out of a water melon patch by George Washington.

KOSOVOPOL, the science of dog, is the new word coined in Germany, and the new branch of learning that is illuminated by the erudition of that country. A work on the subject has just been published in Stuttgart.

BECK and mutton cost about three cents a pound in Serbia, a turkey fetches a shilling, a pair of fowls may be had for six cents, and a draught ox only costs from \$10 to \$15. Native tobacco and wine are similarly cheap, but bad.

SINCE the war in Spain ended, 15,000 soldiers have been employed in fighting locusts. In the province of Badajoz alone, the locusts killed weighed 1,500,000 pounds. Vast quantities have also been destroyed in other sections of the country.

COMPTROLLER Darden gives notice that tax assessors will not make assessments of the unincorporated lands of unknown and non-retain owners, for the present year, nor take renditions of real estate for any other than the present year. No back taxes will be received for the present.

SPAIN'S attempt to govern Cuba has cost her \$500,000,000, not including the expenses of the government of Cuba and the loss of 130,000 men, and still another war loan of \$4,500,000 has been secured, and another installment of troops has left Spain for Cuba, to commence a vigorous campaign. The war has lasted five years.

THE re-nomination of Hon. Gustave Schlicher for Congress gives great satisfaction to our western pioneers and frontiersmen, who regard Mr. Schlicher as a faithful friend, who has not been slow or feeble in laboring for the protection of their lives and property. It is said that no opposition could possibly be trumped up against him in the west under any circumstances. This is a high testimonial to the honorable gentleman, and will be a source of gratification for him to realize.

AMONG the important laws passed on the last day of the late session of Congress is the following: "That notices public of the several States, Territories and the District of Columbia, be and they are hereby authorized to take depositions and do all other acts in relation to taking testimony to be used in the courts of the United States, take acknowledgments and affidavits in the same manner and with the same effect as Commissioners of the United States Circuit Courts may lawfully take or do."

WASH. JONES, of Bastrop, formerly Lieutenant Governor of the State, will run as an independent candidate against D. C. Giddings in the Fifth Congressional District. He is an able Democrat, and will certainly divide the vote if he persists in running. This will help McCornick in, and Texas will reap the reward of Hancock's unwarranted defeat. The Fifth District made a fearful mistake in falling to return Hancock, and may yet regret in sackcloth and ashes its hasty action.

THE State papers are fighting over the question of Judge Upson's nomination as Democratic Elector for the State at large. "D. C. Giddings." The Austin Gazette, referring thereto, properly remarks that the appointment of Upson by Bayard, Chairman of the State Executive Committee, amounts to nothing. It is said, and credited, that Shepard's appointment was simply to give strength to Colonel Giddings in his race for Congress, as Mr. Shepard would in the capacity of an Elector assist him in securing his district.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Rev. Fred Bell, the ex-papist, is going to England to engage in evangelistic labors for a year.

During the present century it is estimated that 200,000,000 copies of the Bible have been distributed.

Much may be learned in the schools of affliction that can be learned nowhere else.

Rev. Dr. Lothrop, now in Europe, has resigned as pastor of the Brattle square church, Boston. He has been pastor of the church 42 years.

Evil speaking will cease just as soon as evil hearing does. In this business the tongue depends upon the ear and its interest.

Salute may have many wants in this life, but in the life that is to come they shall have all fullness of joy and peace and pleasure forever.

The joy of religion; says one of old, are the encouragement of youth and the prop of old age. Without them we sicken early in the midst of prosperity, and with them adversity loses all its terrors.

There is a rapid growth in the Swedish and Norwegian synods of the Lutheran church in this country. One of the synods will celebrate its jubilee in 1878 by raising \$100,000 for its schools.

Dr. Max C. Roosevelt, the New Orleans physician converted under Rev. E. P. Hammond's labors in Washington, is now working among the Jews of New York and Brooklyn and several remarkable conversions have occurred.

The Catholic Pastor, Bishop Hendricks' paper, denies that the Pope ever recognized the Southern Confederacy, and says Mr. Jefferson Davis never succeeded in obtaining more than a polite reply to his fulsome letters.

Two young men were refused admission to a Presbyterian church in Pittsburg, because one was an Orangeman and Odd Fellow, and the other an Orangeman and Good Templar, though each agreed to give up his connection with the orders if they became convinced they were wrong.

It was a beautiful conception of the heaven-venge who said that the day of death which mortals so much dreaded is but the birthday of eternity. But only the soul that is born again of the Spirit here can enjoy the new life of glory that is to be revealed. It may cause sadness to look into the grave of our loved ones, but a look beyond brings gladness to the heart.

There is a silver lining to every dark cloud. To those who cultivate truthfulness and rely on God's promises light comes out of the darkness. But repining and vain regrets filter away our strength and leave us at the mercy of the enemy. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me, said one of old. And is Christ less to us than He was to Paul?

The new editor of the Christian Advocate is kept on the wing pretty steadily. His first week there, of which others are but duplicates, was spent as follows—Arriving in New York from the West on Monday noon he left the same evening for the camp meeting at Chester, Pa., where he preached on Tuesday. Thence, at the earnest request of Bishop Doan, he journeyed to the Rehoboth Camp, on the beach in the extreme south of the State of Delaware, where he preached on Wednesday evening. On Thursday evening he was in the camp at Sing Sing, where he carried out till Saturday morning. Sunday morning found him copying the plight of St. Paul's in this city, and last week he was off again. The Advocate's subscribers are being increased thereby.

There are several distinct kinds of Second Adventists in the United States. None of them are very numerous: As distinct bodies they are dwindling away because of their many past failures in fixing the time for Christ to come again. They have to a great extent given up the hunt after prophetic dates for that event, and one sort of them, the Seventh Day Adventists, learning wisdom from the past, while they do not throw away the prophetic periods, believe they are to be understood; they believe also that those periods have been correctly interpreted, and that they have all-terminated; so that now we have no data from which to reason respecting a definite time for the Lord's to come. This sect has 8,928 members, enrolled in 339 churches, and ministered to by sixty-nine ordained clergymen and seventy-six licentiates. The sect has no settled pastors, and the churches must carry on their work without them, while the ministers are left free to propagate their views from city to city throughout the land. During the summer months they carry forward their work by means of large tents forty to sixty feet in diameter. About fifty of these are now in use. By a plan of systematic benevolence the churches raise about \$40,000 a year. They have a publishing house, missionary, educational and tract societies. They organized as a separate body in 1844, after the great disappointment, when so many of the white-robed fraternity who expected to be taken up like Elijah were left below like the baser sort of mortals.

LEO MILLER and Mattie Strickland still live together, in an unmarried state, claiming that the marriage institution, like every other system of evil, arises from error and an open, fearless encounter with the spirit of progress. This pair, whose residence is at Castle Rock, Minnesota, were recently indicted for "cohabiting and associating together, not being married to each other." Miller defended himself, in this wise, when on trial: "Respect the marriage institution, your Honor, it deserves, and will yet receive, the universal abhorrence and condemnation of mankind. I believe I have shown, beyond successful contradiction, that it is an arbitrary contrivance of man, designed to hold together unwilling beings, which nature has divorced; that it ignores love as the basis of sexual union; that it weds bodies, not souls, and grows in immorality and the lusts of the flesh; that it legalizes and sanctions prostitution; that

it prevents the laws of generation, and thereby fills the world with idlers, paupers, vice, crime and murder; that it degrades women to a condition of sexual bondage; that it is a convenient cover for unbridled lust, hypocrisy and rape, and finally, that it is an ancient system of social slavery, fall of all manner of uncleanliness and wickedness, compared with which the chattel slavery of the world pales into insignificance."

The next thing heard of this man, was that he had either been carried to his tomb, a victim of an epidemic, or changed quarters to the Minnesota State Insane asylum.

THE Sherman Register of the 4th says that "Rev. J. C. Crane, who resigned the charge of the Episcopal Church of this city a few days since on account of falling health, died quite suddenly at his residence on north Travis street yesterday at 11 o'clock. His health had been failing for some time, and he was going in a short time back to Mississippi on that account, Saturday morning he walked down to Brook's pool to take an hour or two for recreation, and while there was stricken with paralysis of the heart, or something of that character, and was found insensible on the banks of the pool and carried home. Medical assistance was at once called, and everything possible was done to relieve him, but he never recovered his consciousness, and died in about twelve hours."

At a regular meeting of Tonkhus Grange 508, of DeWitt county, resolutions were unanimously adopted recommending the appointment of a Grange Agent at Galveston, to be paid a salary by the State Grange for the sale of produce, and the general purchasing of supplies and implements for members of the order, and in, arranging the representative to the State Grange from DeWitt county to press this matter in the State Grange.

M. Flinto, a French scientist, who has spent a long time on the Pacific, says that the ancient Oregon Indian was a cannibal.

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Our certificates, formerly published, (originals of which can be seen at our office) from our local, disinterested chemists, Messrs. Geo. H. Killeyer, A. Nette and E. Dreiss, who tested both oils, and declare our Star Oil

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In addition to the certificate alluded to, we herewith annex a certificate from Chemist Theo. Odel.

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(Signed) THEODORE ODELY,
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THE GREAT HUMORIST'S LAST JOKE—HE WANTS TO BE COUNTED FOR IT

Elmira correspondent of the New York Herald: After a dusty ride of five miles up a hill from Elmira, the Herald representative met Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), temporarily residing at Quarry Hill farm, the property of one of the Deans family, into which Mark happily married. He took me to his studio, an octagonal structure, still further up the hill, and commanding a romantic view of Elmira and its surroundings for miles.

Mark was attired in a summer dress of snowy white, and dissimilar to that worn by Abraham Lincoln when the same correspondent interviewed the great lamented at his house in Springfield, Ill., in the memorable campaign of 1860, when Lincoln was first elected President of the United States.

Herald correspondent—well, Mark, now you are in your cozy and breezy studio, suppose I interview you in regard to your opinions respecting the present political situation?

Mark Twain—Politics are rather out of my line, yet not outside of my interest. I am not much of a party man, but I have my opinions. I should never have pushed them before the public, but if you want to catechize me I will answer, but I want easy questions—questions which a plain answer will meet.

'You shall have them. First, which platform do you prefer?' 'That is easily answered. Platforms are of each secondary importance that I have not thought it necessary to build up a preference. In most essentials the creeds of both parties are good enough for me. But there is something back of the written creeds which is important. For instance, infidelity and repudiation may be glossed over in a creed, but there are a good many erring people who want these and would vote for them.'

'What do you think is more important than platforms?' 'I think the men are. There used to be a party cry, Messrs. not men! This was an honest day. We need to revive that now. When you get below the political scam—or above it, perhaps one ought to say—you will find that the solid men in both parties are equally good and equally well meaning. Both will furnish platforms which the country can survive and progress under. But of what use are these excellent platforms, if the men elected upon them shamelessly ignore them and make them a dead letter? A sound and good Democratic platform was powerless to save New York from the ravages of the Tweed gang; an excellent Republican platform has no more been able to save the country from the present administration's highwaymen than the pasting of the four gospels on a bad man's back would be to save him from the tropical end of eternity. Platforms are not the essential things now—men are.'

'Then how do you judge of your men?' 'Only by common reports and their letters of acceptance.'

'Which candidate do you prefer upon these grounds?' 'Hayes. He takes right out upon the important issues. You cannot mistake what he means concerning civil service, second term, and the honest payment of the national debt. It seems to me that Mr. Tilden means it only because you have got more brains than I have, but you don't look it. Mr.

Tilden is a very able man; therefore I hold that he could have made himself understood. Why didn't he? Because one-half of his party believed in one thing and the other half in another, I suppose, and it is necessary to be a little vague. But Mr. Hendricks is not vague. He is as busy to have the national debt paid.

'Is there a democrat whom you would have preferred to Hayes?' 'Yes; Charles Francis Adams—a true man, a proved statesman. I would vote for him to the minute, I wouldn't need to know what his platform was; the fact that he stood upon it would be sufficient proof to me that it was a righteous one. I want to see an honest government established once more. I mean to vote for Hayes because I believe, from his own manner of talking and from all I can hear of his character and his history, that he will appoint none but honest and capable men to office. I don't care two cents what party they belong to. I never tried to get a political office for but one man, and I forgot to ask him what his politics were, but he was a clean man and a mighty capable. Mr. Tilden is an old politician, dyed in the wool. History has tried hard to teach us that we can't have good government under politicians. Now, we are stuck on at the very best, and the government couldn't be wiser. You know that yourself?'

'People speak well of both candidates don't they?' 'I will tell you how it looks to me. I read a lot of newspapers of both creeds every day. The Republicans tell me a great many things which Hayes has done; the Democratic papers explain why Tilden didn't do a great many things. They keep on apologizing and apologizing all the time. I think that the woman or the candidate that has to be apologized for is a suspicious person. So do you. Now, let me urge you as an old friend to vote for Hayes—a man, yet don't let me apologize for.'

'Well, but what do you think?' 'No, excuse me. You can't get any political elaboration out of me. I simply want to see the right side at the helm. I don't care what his party creed is. I want a man who isn't near-sighted. I want a man who will not go on seeing angels from heaven in such buzzards as Delano, Belknap, Babcock, and the rest of that lot. Long after 40,000 ordinary people have detected and come to hate the man, I want to see a man in the chief chair who cannot only tell a buzzard when he sees it, but will promptly wring its neck. I feel satisfied that Mr. Hayes is such a man; I am not satisfied that Mr. Tilden is. There, now, let us take a smoke. My opinions are important only to me. If they were important to others we would spread them all over the Herald. Here is your pipe. Now we will talk of things less harrowing.'

'Jesse so!'

The Austin Gazette says: The Texas Central is now receiving and forwarding heavy shipments to San Antonio. Austin is eighty miles from San Antonio, and the Pierce road only thirty, but the advantages offered by the Central bring the trade here.

The Central road offers inducements of this character to the Austin merchants. When they show sales to an interior town having special rates, to the extent of this trade the company will allow the merchants the same rates. This will make it to the advantage of the trade of the interior.

The international road, it is believed, will establish their depot near or adjacent to the Central, at Austin, making it probably a union depot. The engineers have been engaged in staking off the line, and purchasing the right of way.

EDUCATIONAL

The Hebrew congregations of Chicago have acted upon the suggestion of the executive committee appointed at the New York convention in May, and are perfecting a plan for improving the existing Hebrew schools and supplementing them with a high school for Hebrew and German.

President J. D. Runkle's recommendation that the Russian system of shop instruction be introduced in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been adopted by the corporation, and the erection of a building was authorized which has already been begun, and will be completed about the middle of September. A part of the building will be devoted to a series of shops for class instruction in the use of tools and foundry work. These shops will be furnished with benches and tools as fast as the plans can be carefully prepared. The shops for instruction in mental working will be a fitter's shop, a forger's shop, a tinner's shop and a foundry. The shops for wood work will be a turner's shop, a joiner's and pattern-maker's shop, and a stucco and bricklayer's shop.

A correspondent of the Democratic Dispatch, Mendocino county, Cal., thus describes a strange fish caught in Little River a few days ago: 'The length of the fish is fourteen inches; the head resembles that of a small Jamates monkey; the nostrils are round, and of the size of a pea; the head has no resemblance to that of any other fish; below the nostrils is a mouth, with a tongue sticking out; about two

inches above the mouth and nostrils protrude a bone, used, I suppose, for defense, and which he turns in all directions; above this bone on the sides of the head are situated two big eyes as large as those of a cat; the body is the same thickness of the head till it gets to the tail; underneath the body it has two legs, which it uses to propel itself along the sand and rocks; the legs have two arms, covered with flesh similar to that of a cat's tongue; the body then terminates in a tail like an eel's. Altogether the fish is a curious object.'

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Fresh Flour.

Fine Liquors.

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This is a sample of many thousands testimonials received, of wonderful cures effected by the Centaur Liniment. The ingredients of this article are published around each bottle. It contains White Hazel, Mentha, Arnica, Rosk Oil, Carbolic acid, and other medicinal herbs.

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Mothers may have rest and their babies may have health if they will use Castoria for Worm-Colic, Worms, Ferretions, Sore Mouth, Croup, or Stomach Complaint. It is entirely a vegetable preparation, and contains neither mineral, morphia, nor alcohol. It is as pleasant to take as honey, and neither gives nor gripes.

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Its value cannot be too strongly impressed upon the attention of those who have been exposed to a taint of improper character. The afflicted are assured that this is not one of the worthless nostrums of the day, but is prepared upon scientific principles, by a physician of thirty years experience. And every one who uses it, will find the peculiar property of imparting a fair complexion and

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BUREAU OF INFORMATION.—AND—EXCHANGE.—OUR OFFICE.—A public market for all persons wishing to buy, sell, or exchange real estate, cattle, sheep, horses, etc.

FINANCIAL.—Additional capital procured for various manufacturing and other real estate exchanges for business and persons with capital, making business, without charge, of approved opportunities.

Every transaction with this exchange entirely and strictly confidential.

Our commissions and charges are paid by the person selling, the buyer or renter or payee.

Information to strangers gratuitously and gladly given.

A large list of property, not mentioned here, for sale and exchange.

Business opportunities.—A business with \$100,000 thousand dollars in volume will pay profits of \$10,000 a year. An investment of \$100,000 thousand dollars, with a practical and experienced sheep manager, would guarantee \$12 per head each year on the money will be made. No risk.

Wanted, a man to put in about \$500 in a first-class business, not as a treasurer and business manager.

Wanted, a partner in a fine paying business, who can command two thousand dollars.

See Note.

400 acre farm, 100 improved, on river, fine pine grove, rich soil, 15 miles from city, for sale.

500 acres, good 5 room house, 2 cottages, 100 cultivated, 100 fenced, springs and wells, corn crib, brush, sheep range, will be sold entire for two thousand dollars.

Tract of land, 400 acres, good improvements 4 miles below city on San Antonio river, can be bought for twenty five dollars per acre. Splendid opportunity for an investment.

400 acre good land for sale on three years credit.

500 acres 12 miles west of Plaza for sale.

1000 acres, 15 miles east of city, water, timber, etc., to sell cheap.

House on Main street, opposite Wallinger's jewelry store, two-story, brick, in good order. Lot is 25 feet by 100. Will be sold at a price to pay well on an investment.

At \$50 per acre for 100 acre tracts of land, east of city 7 miles, on R.R.

Several farms, ranches, etc., for sale.

Engines, several horse, also second hand ones for sale.

600 acre land, 200 in crops, and fenced, home and cabins, 20 miles from city, \$25 per acre.

5 room house, on good lot, location good for a store, house, laundry, etc., for sale. \$1200. This is a desirable property.

A nice little 2 room house and lot, complete for seven hundred dollars.

1500 acre choice land in State will be sold for one thousand dollars cash.

Complete outfit, consisting of horse, wagon, harness, packing utensils, etc., for sale cheap.

Stock of 1000 sheep, 5 miles from city, stocked with cattle, etc., with mules, horses, wagons, etc., ready for service. Plenty fine water, good house. Will sell low.

For Rent.—Warehouse for rent. For rent, a small hotel. For rent, a boarding house. For rent, a house with 5 rooms. Rooms suitable for office or rent. Rooms suitable for sleeping for rent. For rent on shares, 100 acre irrigable land, 15 miles from city, with house and garden, and 1000 sheep. Home for rent, in suburbs of city, good place for business, 7000 square feet.

Stocks.—500 ewes, 1 and 2 years old, for sale at \$10 if sold immediately. 100 heaves and 500 stock cattle for sale cheap. Apply immediately. 4000 cattle for sale. 1500 mutton sheep for sale. Can be bought at about \$10. 20 mule cows for sale. Goats, both Angora and native, for sale. 1500 ewes, well graded, for sale. 1000 mutton sheep for sale. 10000 cows for sale.

MOSS & WEIR, Managers. Office opp. Postoffice.

DANCING ACADEMY.—I would respectfully announce to my former patrons, and friends, and to the citizens of San Antonio generally, that I will reopen my Dancing Hall on Market street on the 10th of September, and there resume the exercises and improved instructions belonging to my profession.

I would further say that said Hall has been under my control since the closing of my school last winter, therefore may be expected to be found in nice and complete order for the reception of pupils this season.

With many thanks for the patronage heretofore received, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same during the coming season.

112-274 A. FRANK C. P. CHESMAN.

—The Central Hotel and Stable on Main Plaza near the old Cathedral in the center of the city of San Antonio, will be under the same control from this date.

The wagon yard will be free to all patrons of the hotel, with corn, hay and oats for sale and stalls to rent. Satisfaction guaranteed.

I. N. BAKER, Manager. July 18 3m.

Clavin's Soothing Linctus relieves Lamé Back.

—Casteria, a substitute for Castor Oil—pleasant for children—For sale at Clavin's.

THE TRAVELER'S COMPANION.—An essential article to have along, and a safe remedy against stage robbers' attacks; also Seltzers, Congress and Empire Waters, at Kinahan & Littell's Centennial, No. 4, Soledad street.

CENTRAL HOTEL BARBER SHOP. Refreshed in good style, and is now ready for the accommodation of the public, at the following rates:

Shaving..... 10 cents
Hair Cutting..... 25 cents
Shampooing..... 35 cents
Shedder.....

H. McGOWAN.

Send your orders for sheet music to Dorman, Holmes & Co., near Commerce Street bridge.

—Panama & Son are constantly receiving the newest styles of hats and keep the best goods to be found in the market.

For Rent.—Dwelling house and furniture, known as the Gen. Reynolds' property. For particulars enquire at the Railroad office opposite the Menger Hotel.

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—For ready made clothing that will give you satisfaction, go to Panama & Son.

DAILY EXPRESS
SUNDAY MORNING Sept. 16th, 1878.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

PRESBYTERIAN.
First Presbyterian Church of San Antonio, corner Houston and Flores streets, Rev. J. W. Hill pastor. Sunday School 9 o'clock A. M., Morning Services 11 A. M., Evening Services 7 P. M., Lectures on Wednesday at 7 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Methodist Episcopal Church, Soledad street, north of Postoffice; Rev. H. H. Threlk, pastor. Sunday School 9 o'clock A. M., Morning Services 11 A. M., Evening Services 7 P. M., Prayers meeting Thursday at 7 P. M.

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Travis Square, northeast of Vance House; Rev. W. B. Richardson, pastor. Sunday School at 9 o'clock A. M., Morning Services 11 o'clock A. M., Evening Services 7 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.
Pastor, Rev. John Grossweiler. Morning Services at 10 o'clock. Religious instruction for children at 2 p.m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC.
First Mass 7 A. M., High Mass 9 A. M., Vespers 4 P. M., English sermon by Father Johnson.

POLISH CATHOLIC.
High Mass only, 10 A. M. The Pastor is absent. No vesper.

CATHEDRAL CATHOLIC.
First Mass 7 A. M., High Mass 9 A. M., Vespers 4 P. M., English sermon by Father Kern.

COVENTRY.
First Mass 6 30 A. M.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH (GERMAN).
Low Mass 7:30 A. M., High Mass 8 o'clock 10 A. M., Vespers 8:30 P. M., Rev. M. Feilich, Pastor.

MISSION CHURCH.
Lavanca street, east of the Mission Store. Religious school at 9 o'clock. Preaching at eleven, A. M., and half past four, P. M., James L. Woods, Pastor.

CITY NEWS.

—Let the bridge question rest.

—Prof. Chessman hopes to get up a large dancing class.

—Another topic—an "old man's Democratic club."

—The Medina river at Castrovilla is about to stop running.

—This furnished room for rent. Apply at this office. aug 30 1f.

—Alternate certificates for sale by sept 8 & w-1w. D. W. HEARD.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A light and substantial family carriage. Apply at Cunningham's Shoe Store. 810-43f.

—That question of the removal of the bridge site to the Abat crossing does not amount to anything, hence there is no use in "feeling" about it any longer.

—The old building adjoining George Dullig's store, on Alamo, between Main street and Alamo Plaza, has been torn down. Mr. Dullig, will have another large business house erected on the site.

—E. A. Rowlands, of the Plaza House of Dorman, Holmes & Co., returned from a successful western trip yesterday. He reports all quiet on the Rio Grande near Eagle Pass.

—Mr. Earhart has well-nigh finished the two large buildings on Main Plaza. His success in this contract has been so great that he offers to compete with anyone in putting up a building on time. Mr. Earhart is a pusher, and is deserving of patronage.

—If you can't be perfectly happy be as happy as you can. Drive dull care away with a will, and struggle on through reverses and disappointments as though they would come as a matter of course. If your horse becomes rickety have a new one built, and get Lador to put a roof on for you. He is a success in that line.

—Mr. Henry Baylor planted some of the Chatham cotton this year, and on some stalks upwards of 400 bolls have already been grown. The species was reported to produce, with careful cultivation, five bolls to the stalk, but Henry says he will be satisfied if he makes three. So would almost any farmer.

CHURCH NOTES.—Fine music at St. Mary's Catholic Church this morning. The Episcopal Church choir has reorganized, and after due practice is established up to its old standard of excellence.

Mr. W. S. Small, the fine tenor-singer, has returned, and will take his post in the Presbyterian Church choir this morning.

—We understand that steps are being taken to organize Republican Ward clubs in the city. A hot campaign is expected with us the coming election. It takes the boys to make things lively, and if the young men of both parties go to work in earnest, invest their full energies in the campaign, humming times may be expected.

—Bids for painting the Court-house were opened yesterday. We only published them to show the saving by inviting bids. One of the bidders' charges was \$440 50 another \$400, another \$327 and a fourth \$210. As Mr. Green, the man offering to do the work for \$227, made the most satisfactory bid in all respects, the work was given him.

—KINAHAN & LITTELL have stocked their Centennial Saloon with the finest brands of brandies, wines, whiskies, ales, cigars and everything that belongs to that class of trade. To satisfy yourselves call and try some of the "Kentucky Club sour mash, bourbon, 7 years old, and rye whisky to correspond.

—"Way down upon the Swanee river, far, far away," sang a gay boating party of ladies and gentlemen as their boat glided by the Main street bridge last evening. It was a pleasant sight, and we stood upon the bridge and listened to the merry voices until the sweet sounds gently died away in the distance.

To Music Lovers.—Prof. Beck's wife, who has been energetically engaged in our city but for a few weeks educating a class in vocal and instrumental music, proposes giving a concert in the Casino in about two weeks, if that building can be obtained for the purpose. The occasion will give opportunity for him to show to what proficiency some of his pupils have arrived. The Beethoven Club, now under the leadership of Prof. Buckowitz, is also said to be on the upward grade in vocal music. We long for the arrival of the appointed occasion of the concert spoken of.

FROM PLEASANTON.—Ellis Edmonds, who returned from attending Court at Pleasanton, last Tuesday, states that everything is quiet and orderly in that locality. The stock men are settling up their business in a peaceful and proper manner, and a reign of quiet seem to be restored with them.

The juries in the several cases tried seemed to be fully awake to a sense of duty, and hence "out of four instances wherein parties were indicted for the verdicts of guilty were returned.

No civil cases of any importance will occupy the attention of the Court the present term.

Enjeo Peter Tunlinson, of Atascosa, and one of the pioneers, is circulating a petition to be presented to the County Court to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within the limits of that county. The law only requires fifty signatures to secure a vote, but Mr. Tunlinson has now upwards of one hundred, and people are still flocking to him to sign the petition.

Only one drunken man was seen by Mr. Edmonds at Pleasanton, and he was indicted for cow stealing.

—We witnessed a disgraceful scene upon Main street the other evening, the principal actors being a drunken husband, with his wife, who had left home to hunt him up, made the object of outrageous abuse. We should have spoken of the matter sooner, but have delayed, waiting for him to sober up so that he could appreciate properly what we have to say about him. The vicinity of the scene was near Main street bridge, east of the river. It seemed that the man's wife had left her home in the southern suburbs to look up the estranged partner of her bosom, and found him settled in a beer-aloon. He called to a passing gentleman to tell him she wanted to see him, and he staggered out to meet her. She walked a short distance from the bar and awaited her husband's arrival. When he came up to her, the first thing he did was to violently seize, shake and abuse the poor woman, the most obscene, vulgar and profane language characterizing his conduct. It was only through the intervention of passers-by that the wife was saved a beating. There are not less than fifty persons who already know of the man's disgraceful conduct upon that occasion, and we hope he will remember the disgrace which it has brought upon him, and that it will act as a warning voice to him to go, and do likewise, never again, for the next time we shall publish his full name.

Editor San Antonio Express:—

Whilst passing over the bridge at the Central Garden, my attention was attracted to a notice posted in a conspicuous place on this bridge, which reads as follows: "Swimming horses from this bridge is prohibited by law." Now, Mr. Editor, can you tell me what object the authorities had in view when they issued the notice referred to? Was it intended to prevent owners of horses from teaching them new feats in the art of swimming, or is the notice there by reason of the circumstance that the water's depth about the bridge does not exceed 3 feet, and hence is too shallow for ordinary swimming? If the latter be the case, the notice should by all means be changed to that effect.

XYZ.

MILITARY MATTERS.—A General Court Martial will convene at Ringgold Barracks, Texas, on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as practicable, for the trial of such persons as may be properly brought before it. The following is the detail for the Court: Capt. Lewis Johnson, 24th Infantry, Capt. A. B. Wells, 8th Cavalry, Capt. E. G. Foster, 9th Cavalry, First Lieut. William Stephenson, 8th Cavalry, Second Lieut. J. I. Kane, 24th Infantry.

Second Lieut. Q. O. M. Gillison, 8th Cavalry, is appointed Judge Advocate of the Court.

—He's gone. He seated himself at Decker's stable yesterday and soliloquized thusly: "Harder luck than ever last time—had to shove up my clothing as security for the rope. It wasn't a good rope either, and was poorly stretched. A crowd came to see, but they didn't come down worth a cent—I cleared just eighty-five cents. I must walk to the railroad tomorrow." And he gathered his wardrobe together, wrapped an American flag around them, tucked them under his left arm, and quietly and thoughtfully stole away.

RAFFLE.—The raffle of the fine team, the property of the late Major Ord, came off at the Menger hotel last evening. The number of chances, forty, sold at \$10 each, were all purchased, and as the majority of those interested were present, the occasion was rendered quite exciting. The animals were won by Capt. D. W. Baker, on a throw of 43, having first bought up a tie throw by Peter Gallagher's representative, Capt. Adams, for fifty dollars.

—A trial of the new hose, linen, rubber bound, recently received by Fire Co. No. 1, was had upon Main Plaza last evening. It stood the most severe tests, full pressure having been brought to bear upon it. The large length of hose received, five hundred feet, will be very convenient to the company, and then this new hose is much lighter and more easily handled than the heavy old solid rubber stuff the company has been accustomed to.

—Next Saturday, the 16th instant, will be the occasion of the anniversary of Mexican independence. Our leading Mexican citizens will manifest their remembrance of the annual recurrence of the day when the patriots of the land of the Aztec removed the yoke of Spanish oppression, by giving a grand ball in the Hall in Wolfman's Central Garden.

—The Sheriff of Uvalde county arrived in the city last evening with two prisoners, charged with horse-stealing. One of the men bears quite a painful wound, the result of an effort to resist arrest.

THE DEPOT TOWER.—A few days ago some ambitious, more than truthful, mortal, heralded the startling news about our streets that the tower upon the Government Depot grounds had cracked from top to bottom, and soon thereafter the Freie Press stated that a man had fallen from the top of the tower to the ground, a distance of between thirty and forty feet, and had himself. Yesterday I paid a visit to the grounds, more to inspect this tower and find definite data regarding its cracking and the fatal fall of the stone-mason. Upon arriving in the presence of the stately structure, we found no crack, we saw neither the dry bones of a defunct stone-mason, much less any evidence of their having been buried in the vicinity, but we did find, shocking to relate, that the tower was hollow.

It has also a number of orifices upon its different sides, large enough to throw so many cats through, and with which exceptions, it is one of the most solid works of masonry on record in Western Texas.

We also saw the face of the tower washed yesterday, which, Capt. Smith informs us, is done to prevent the plastering from drying too rapidly. By drying slowly, the plaster work grows stronger and the hydraulic power of the lime mixed with it is more fully developed.

We may say, in fine, that the tower is now about forty feet high, and already overlooks the country for many miles about, situated, as it is, upon an elevation naturally overlooking the city and vicinity. It is to attain the height of ninety feet, however, which will greatly enlarge the present view.

THE TURNERS.—The San Antonio Turn Verein met at their old hall, Karber's, last evening at eight and a half o'clock, and led by their Music Section proceeded in torch-light procession to their new quarters in Wolfman's Central Garden. On arriving at the Garden, they disbanded their columns, and spent several hours in a happy jollification and rejoicing. We wish this worthy organization of young men much success, and trust that their advent in their new quarters will witness, if possible, a more rapid growth, both in a numerical and financial respect, than attended their stay at their former hall, on Alamo Plaza.

—The Harshens both here continue, to be the favorite resort for those who enjoy a refreshing bath. J. E. Russell is in charge and will treat you well.

A CARD.

Notoriety is given to a pole cat by stirring it up. Such is the fact in the case of one, Thos. F. Brady. We hoped that that detectable individual would not bring our firm name into the matter of his unanimous expulsion from the San Antonio Board of Underwriters, but since he has done so, we pronounce him a FIVE-DOLLAR SNEAK and a liar in saying in his notice to the EXPRESS, under date the 9th, the following: "and sundry companies represented by Messrs. Marshall & Herndon, are companies of this sort," meaning the wild-cat of the "Star Mutual" kind.

Nothing further from us on this subject.

MARSHALL & HENNDON.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

MENGER.

L. Hegyl, J. C. Fisher, Paul B. Woodruff, St. Louis; Louis Elie, New York; John Rutland, L. S. Moore, and lady, Bandera; C. A. Albrecht, Chicago; Frank M. Spencer and wife, children and servants, Galveston; Ed. H. Cunningham, Cibolo; Dave Walker, Austin; Miss Lizzie Lawes, Georgia; Chas. E. Bottsford, U. S. A.; A. K. Standen, St. Louis; E. F. Allenstein, Mt. Airy, N. C.; A. L. Porter, Wytheville, Va.; E. Schmidt, St. Louis.

Chas. H. Goetts, Stoddard Howell, Mrs. W. H. Wood, two children and servant, New Orleans, E. M. Patrick, Saratoga Springs, New York; John W. DeVillias, San Antonio; L. T. Beyer, St. Louis; W. Roberts, G. H. and S. A. E. R.; W. W. Chas, Fossom, Kansas.

CENTRAL.

John A. Addis, Bandera; W. T. Kellogg, New York; E. A. Rowlands, Thos. Abbey, W. E. Ellis, Piedras Negras; Thos. Martin and friend, Martinez; Robt. Miller, Sabine Canyon, Good Paso, Pecos river; G. H. Lewis, Chihuahua; J. W. Hamilton, Bandera, A. J. Galley, Caldwell county, J. J. Crenshaw, A. D. Everett.

ALL SORTS.

Stuck up—Show-bills.

A fox beaver hat isn't felt—but the coat is.

An impossible quantity—too much money.

A joint affair with but a single party to it—rheumatism.

An Irishman's definition to nothing—a fool's stocking with one leg.

Watering places that remain open all winter—the mouths of milk-cans.

Many a foolish fellow, who talks of laying down his life, had much better elevate it.

"Samba, did you ever see the Catalill Mountains?" "No sir, but I've seen um kill pile."

Samba was an eminent tragedian in his day, and in his last act he brought down the house.

It has become a question whether a phenologist can tell what a barrel contains by examining its head.

A Parisian definition of a beautiful woman—the paradise of the eye and the purgatory of the purse.

Mrs. Partington wants to know what kind of drums con-un-drums are. She thinks these are somewhat hard to beat.

The book of most general circulation, and the one to which reference is most frequently made, is the pocketbook.

An Irishman, with a heavy bundle on his shoulder, riding on the front of a horse-car was asked why he did not set the bundle on the platform. He replied: "The jabbers, the horse have enough to drag me, I'll carry the bundle."

DO NOT SING THAT SONG AGAIN.

This beautiful song, by Hugh F. McDermott, praised by the best of poets and of papers, has been translated into many languages and sung the whole world round.

Do not sing that song again,
For it fills my heart with pain;
I am bending to the bias,
And it tells me of the past,
Of the years of long ago,
When my days were young and fair,
And my heart as light as air—
When one feeling filled the breast,
And one image gave it rest,
In the long, long ago.

Do not sing that song again,
I have lived my years in vain,
And my hair is thin and gray,
And I'm passing fast away;
On the dark downward stream,
I'm a wreck of yest'ere's dream,
And it puts me on the rack,
At the weary looking back,
At the ebb and at the flow,
In the long, long ago.

Do not sing that song again,
There's a tear in its refrain;
It brings sadly back the time
When my manhood left its prime;
When the comrades, dear and true,
Closer, warmer, fonder grew
In the hour of friendship's proof,
And their friendship was but show,
In the long, long ago.

Do not sing that song again,
I'm a wreck of yest'ere's dream,
Ah, to sing, ah! I know
It is time for me to go,
And to leave to younger eyes
The mild night 'ry of the skies,
And this mighty world I tread,
And the grander age ahead.

There's mist upon the river,
And there's a brightness on the shore;
And in dreams I pass forever,
While sad music waits me o'er.

ON THE TRAIL.

Our readers will remember an article taken from the Waxahachie Enterprise and published last Monday, headed, "Who's the Mender?" giving an account of the killing of two men in Hall county named Robinson and Taylor, by three men named Thompson, Brown and Turner, and that the murderers passed through Waxahachie on the road to Dallas. This morning a party of five came into town, fully armed and equipped, from Hill county, in pursuit. They reported to Sheriff Mash and at eleven o'clock left for the west, having been convinced that the men they were looking for had gone in that direction. We are very certain that if they catch them they will hold them fast, and they are determined to hunt them down—Dallas Commercial.

The most astonishing cure of chronic diarrhoea we have ever heard of is that of Wm. Clark, Frankfort Mills, Waldo Co., Maine; the facts are attested by Ezra Treat, Upton Treat and M. A. Merrill, either of whom might be addressed for particulars. Mr. Clark was cured by JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

HO FOR THE CENTENNIAL.—Through Tickets to the Centennial have been received and can now be had at the office of the U. S. & A. Railroad, near the Menger Hotel.

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