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Home and Foreign.

DOMESTIC.

MONEY

Galveston, Jan 30—Gold 107½. New Orleans, Jan 30—Gold 105½. New York, Jan 30—Gold 105½.

WASHINGTON.

Washington, January 30 — Manager Barnes, of New Orleans, delivered the disparches required of him to Morrison's Louislana committee.

Sepator West, was examined to day. He was asked to divulge the key to the cipher which he refused to do unless he was allowed to take out private telegrams which permission was refused, and after some unimportant interrogatories, Senator West

was discharged. Senate—Mr Wright, of Iowa, submitted a resolution that the Senate proceed in accordance with the provisions of the electoral count bill, to appoint by a viva voce yote, five Senators to be members of the Commission in said act provided for. He gave notice that he would call the resolution up for consideration at 3:30 p.

resolution an horizing and directing the President of the Senate to appoint two tellers on the part of the Senate to perform the duties required by the electoral count bill which recently passed. Agreed to. Mr Allison, of Connecticut, submited a

resolution providing that the proceedings before the Commission authorized by that bill be printed in the Congressional Record from day to day. Laid over.

Mr Hamlin, of Maine, submitted a reso-

Agreed to.

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Hone—The House passed a bill abelishing the police board, the President's objection notwickstanding.

the Commission concludes its Ishars by the 14th of February, the time allowed, it will have done good work, and it must be continued constituted agrees by that time.

WASBINGTON ITEMS

Littlefield is before Morrison's commit-

tee purging himself from his contempts.
Kellogg is before the committee on
Privileges and Powers.
Kenner testifies that Wells and Anderson opposed Dr Kenuedy as the lish member of the board. He don't know why. Kenuer knows Hayes carried Louisiana by.

right-of way to Hot Springs railroad over the Hot Springs reservation.

The Springs reservation chance to chance the following many to the light springs of the vote.

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The Miss adopted, appointing fifty special policemen for duty at the Capital during the counting of the vote.

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of the vote. Adjourned. прияц. The bill for the payment of \$500,000 to

Payne, Hunter, Abbott, Carfield and Hoar were elected members of the Grand Commission on the part of the House. CAPITOL ITEMS.

Four batteries of artillery, recently ordered here, have been ordered back to Fort Monroe. It is thought that other troops will leave shortly.

A.F. Britton succeeds Murtagh on the Police Board.

Police Board.

There is no doubt but that Judge Bradley has been elected as 5th Judge of the Commission. The fermal annuuncement. will be made to morrow,

tives on the Grand Commission was unan-imous, except in Garfield's case, who lost thirty votes, mostly from members declining to name him. The judges have seift to the House and Senate, under seal, their appointment of the 5th judge. The general impression favors Bradley.

Kenner will to-morrow produce his

private memorands of proceedings in secret session in the Louisiana returning Congressman Field, who is conducting the examination, is gleeful over his

progress.
Littlefield, in purging bimself of contemps, testified that he did make the changes in the Vernon parish returns by order of J. Madison Wells. He refused to forge the name of the supervisor, and it

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOY FOUND.

AN ATTEMPT TO POISON A FAMILY. Eijzabathiewn, N. J. Jan 30—Heurietta Grinnell attempted to poison her employ-er's family by putting arsenic in milk. Five are sick, but none are dead. PARDONED.

St. Louis, Jan 30—McDonald, who was convicted for whiskey frands, has been unconditionally pardoned, and released from the pesitentiary.

of the Apalachicola River.

FUREIGN. ENGLAND.

A SEVERE STORM -EASTERN NI WS. London, Jan. 30.—There was a severe gale in South and South western England yesterday and last night, accompanied by rain and sleet, which caused considerable

rain and elect, which caused considerable derangement to telegraph lines. The weather is now fair again.

A Ragnsa dispatch to Reuter's says the British, German and Italian Consuls will proceed to Cetting to-day in order to induce Prince Nicholas to make peace with the Porte, if the latter will cede to Montenegro the twelve districts demanded. Montenegro has consented to allow Turkey to sond twelve tons of provisions into Nicchi during February.

The Porte publishes the following in a semi-official manner:

semi-official manner: "If no unforseen accident occurs to dis-turb the disposition which animates all the Powers, we may hope that in the course of the next month such assurances will be given which will satisfy the strong another bears 8.2% & 40 varas; thence N 950 varas, as take and mound, the S W corner of Ne 79, frow which bears a live oak 8.55 degrees W 15 varas; as take and mound, the S W corner of Ne 79, frow which bears a live oak 8.55 degrees W 15 varas; as other bears 8 18 degrees W 15 varas; as other bears 18 degrees W 15 varas; thence W 19 varas to the place of beginning. Which deed the recorded in Bear records in Yol No 3, on pages 195 and 197; and also in Medina county records, Book A, Yol 9, on pages 433, 434, 435 and 436, which reference is made for a more fail description and for terms of said deed; and Whereas, said deed was made in trust to secure the payment of the premisery note of A Siemering.

#### ROME,

Rome, Jan 39-The Pope is preparing an encyclicle in protest against clerical n. to-day.

Mr Edmunds, of Vermont, submitted a at the Consistory, which will be held some time in March.

AN ONEROUS UNDERTAKING.

The Grand Commission, as it is termed, will enter upon its mission of solving the Presidential problem immediately. There will undoubtedly be many points of disseven to ave dollars per thousand feet. Parties de pute and many questions will arise depute and many questions and liberal determin Mr Hamin, of Maine, submitted a reso-lation instruction the committee on Rules to enquire and report what, if any, rules should be adopted for admission of persons to the capital during the counting of votes for President and Vice President, and that the committee confer with the committee on Rules of the House of Representatives. | crimination will hardly be possible. If

Mr Stephens rested reasonably well last aght and is more comfortable this morning than for several days past.

A leading Louisiana Republican says neither West nor Casey understands the President to say that if would be improper to change the statu quo in Louisiana pending the electoral count.

The President stated yesterday that he would not take any action regarding either party in Louisiana, as it would be prejudging matters of the electoral yote, If trouble occurs he will supercede the status by military government with Angur at the head.

The Supreme Judges are in council. They

a settled question by that time.

As to what the result of the Commission ovill be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be, we can, of course, not venture to predict. Whatever it is, though, the nation will be teamor one of the clamor one Oliver P. Morton, are liberal and fair-minded men, who will exert their utmost their and predict to regularly character, with the eactor one of the clamor one of the clamor one of the clamor one of the clamor one a settled question by that time.

The Supreme Judgesere in council. They will select a fifth at adjournment. The has \$15,000 in bad debts in New York.

THE Prince of Orange, son of the Queen of Holland, lately gave a supper

to the leading actresses in Paris. Miss Kinglate, the plece of the Crimean historian, has just made an aristo-

cratic marriage. The bridegroom is the son of Earl Fitzwilliam. THE Duke of Edinburgh wears, it is solemnly rumored, a bracelet on one

wrist-a chain cable of gold-and is striving to set the fashion of such deco-

DANIEL PEACOCK, a Norwich sexton has shuffled off 9,152 persons during the course of his sextonship, and yet he hasn't come to judgment himself.

M. FANCHER has invented a machine for driving horses by electricity. A The vote in the House for representa- child, by this means, can drive and curb South Side Main Plaza, the mest fractious animal.

Ar Santa Barbara, the winter watering linen dusters are worn, and, says the Press: "Over a dozen divers were have accommodation to guests." ing a good time this morning from the spring boards and ladders at the new bathing house. The water is as warm as it was last August."

BOTH shores of the Monongahela river, from Pittsburgh almost to the head of navigation, are reported to be strewn with the wrecks of steamboats, empty barges, coal tipples and frame house flats. In the Ohio river the channel at Brunot's Island is obstructed by thousands of bushels of coal, the removal of which, it is said, will require months. . The dam-New Nork, Jan 30-The boy Kane has age to the docks and wharves along both been found. He was left by the man after the rivers is very great. A coal shipper stealing his overcoat. estimates the total loss between Pittsburgh and Cairo at \$12,000,000. There has also been great damage caused by floods in the Ohio and its tributaries.

THE Boston apple woman is not affected St. Louis, Jan 30—McDonald, who was convicted for whiskey frauds, has been unconditionally pardoned, and released from the pentitunitary.

Eavanuah. Jan 30—A special to the sembly passed a bill to pay the Dem' Presidential electors.

A resolution was introduced askin Trustee's Salc.

Whereas, on the 21st day of December, A. D., 1874, A. Siemering executed to C. Upson, a deed to the following described properly to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to a certain lot in the city of San Antonio, containing 25 acres, on the west side of the San Pedro Creek, and numbered on the maps and records of the Surveyor of said city of San Antonio, 175. Also a tract-of land situated and bounded as follows: In Bexar District, Medina county, on the waters of Lucky's creek, a tributary of the Frio, about 155, miles N. 61 degrees W. of the town of Castro-

Whereas, said deed was made in trust to secure it payment of the promissory noise of A. Siemering Co., made to E. H. Cushing, on which note is still-dithe sum of \$805.44, dated Dec. 16th, 1874, with late est at 12 per cent, per annum from said last date; at Whereas, said A. Siemering & Co., has made dault in the payment of the balance due of \$405.4 and interest thereon; Now, therefore, by direction said E. H. Cushing, and by virtue of the terms of sa deed of trust, I, the trustee, hereby give, notice that will sell, at public auction, the above described process, in front of the Courthouse door of Bexar courty. Texas, on the 21st day of February, 1877, to 11.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

JACOB GEISMAR.

Judgment. We await with interest their action. They are to give us a President, the nation having failed to regularly choose one last November.

Worth, the Parisian costumer, says he has \$15,000 in bad debts in New York.

Wm. M. Evarrs, the distinguished advocate, rtised 2,000 bushels of corn last year.

Gen. E. Kirby Smith is now a member

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CONFIRMATION.

Washington, Jan, 30.—Settle, Jadge of the Northern District of Florida.

The Senate Committee on Public Lands, reported favorably on the bill granting a right-of-way to Hot Springs rearration.

The Senate voted unanimously for the Senate voted v

Also, a special class will be given by Dr. De Conta-lor, for all those who wish to learn the French and spanish Languages. Jan 23 su we & fri ly

### Masquerade Ball.

The Turners' Masquerade Ball will take place at the Jasino Hail on the 3rd of February 1877. Tickets it se had of the Committee at \$100 per each person on the committee at \$100 per each person on the committee at \$100 per each person of the committee at \$100 per each person of the committee at the committee at

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A WORD TO CATTLE-RAISERS.

The decline of cattle-raising in Western Texas, and its growth in Wyoming and Colorado, demands more than passing consideration. The Texans introduced, principally, the stock upon the plains of the Great West, but it fell into the hands of men who were alive to the value of the avocation of cattle-raising. The drovers of the plains are now devoting much of their attention to "breeding up." Large numbers of thoroughbred bulls have been introduced, the old Texas steck is fast disappearing, and the young, improved halfbreeds, which make choice beef, and are far more marketable, take their place-As a result, there is an increasing demand for the plains cattle. This seriously affects the Texas drivers, who are forced to herd their cattle the season round, awaiting profitable purchasers.

Five or six years ago, cattle were herded on the plains only in sufficient quantities for a limited local demand, and the business did not attract much attention. It has now, however, grown to such importance that it is considered as profitable raised, multiplies fast and is of better, a business as gold or silver mining. Hence vast amounts of capital are being invested for the market than the Texas; the drovers in the business. Large numbers of monare old hands at the trade, give a good eyed men from the Metropolitan cities, in deal of attention to improving the breeds search of health, have gone to the plains and are carrying on their business in a of the Great West, invested in cattle ranches, and are receiving the double returns of restored health and multiplied ducats. Shipping dressed beef is now American Desert" as the Texas of the being carried on, and with an increasing future. The only salvation for our cattle extent. The past few years have, indeed, raisers is to improve, to breed up their largely changed the beef supply of the East, which, instead of increasing from Texas, the best and most is obtained from the old buffalo ranges of Western Kansas,

Colorade and Wyoming. in these respects, the great and profitable There are more cattle now on the plains business in which they are engaged will than ever before. Large numbers from the Texas "drives," instead of being marketed at once, are driven westerly over the the only real advantage of being nearer ranges to feed a few months before being market, if they do not bestir themselves. sold. Generally, cattle winter well, without The stock business of Western Texas shelter, or much, if any, feed beyond what must beresfter be conducted upon fair, they get by grazing. Last winter was progressive, intelligent business prin open and mild, without any hard storms vere weather. But the wint refore that was unprecedentedly cold, and thou sands of cattle perished. On the average the stock men take the chances, and come out without much loss from exposure.

lican and Circinnati Gazette show an The plains cattle men are not wholly intense soreness over the result of the dependent on the ups and downs of the compromise measure, in so far as its uni Eastern markets. Some of them have a versal approval is concerned. The Repubregular demand for their beeves from the lican calls it "the bill of surrender," "the markets of Denver, Cheyenne and the astute terms of capitulation to the reballarger towns of Colorado and Wyoming. yell," &c., and sees in the compromise the and large numbers fare driven into the certainty of a decision in favor of Tilden. mountains to supply the miner's camps. The bill is called an unconstitutional and The sales to butchers in Denver last searevolutionary measure by the editor of the sen amounted to \$159,000, and to the Republican, and the character of the mountain trade \$165,000. During the past-Supreme Court Judges, aiways considered summer there has been a brisk demand from the San Juan country, and from the are now discerned to be crorrupt and their new towns in the Black Hills. There has ruling unworthy of reliance upon. been a good deal of risk and much loss in trying to drive cattle into the latter and in the face of the endorsement of the region, owing to the frequent Indian raide bill by three-fourths of Congress, the and stampeding; but where a man could President himself, and almost the entire get through eafely, he had no trouble in American nation, it is about as grovelling disposing of his beeves at a high price. and unworthy a spirit as could be mani-Fat cattle are worth 8 cents per pound on fested for a little pettifogger of an editor the hoof at Deadwood. At the older to denounce it in this form and abuse the settled towns along the line of the railcharacter of the patriots and statesmen ways in Colorado and Wyoming, the price who framed it and will enforce it. A of beef is moderate, but high enough to more eminently just and patriotic measure give a good profit to the drover. At never coveted the consideration of a Denver the price is from 21 to 3 cents. It nation. The editor of the Republican is retails in the butcher shops at 10 cents maddened to a destruction-to a consignfor round and 15 for sirloin. The market ment to his proper place among the inis easily affected, in an upward direction, significants of the buman race. Let him by an overabipment to the East, leaving but bide the time. the supply of marketable beeves short, or by a stampede in the winter. Very often a cold, windy snow storm will be followed by an advance, as, for instance last spring, when beeves advanced to 5 cents per pound on the hoof, and for some Mexico, and one of the Presidential aspi-

try, and excommunicated by the prepondto 25 cents per pound. erance of sympathisers for Diaz, is now in But at the low prices for beef cattle now America drumming for soldiers. There prevailing the plains drovers have no very are thousands of men here who would the Texas drover and entails upon him leavy losses has very little effect upon the Colorado drover. The cost of raising beeves, and the losses by stampede, thieving and Indians, are not hearly so great as in the Red River country. The discouraging outlook. What depresses time, probably, for the conquest of Mexico Colorado drover can at any time get his by fillibusterers, and if the idle men of the beef, fat and sleek, into the Kansas City country "see anything" in it, they may market, right off the range, in five days' time, and thus take advantage of a rise. make the effort. On the other hand, the method of marketing Texas cattle is to drive them across the country, north, to the Kansas Pacific had finished putting "a shine" on a No. 33 boot hung to the end of a Cincinnati and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe zailroads, taking generally two months' time, and then holding them, at considerable expense for food, at the shipping points

A hurried glance at how the Texas his foot upon the toy until process are fared in this way may be until he was so weak he couldn't speak, until he was so weak he couldn't speak.

districts and spread the most doleful MR. LINCOLN was one day during the accounts of the prospects for the coming war called upon by a woman, who, pushseason's trade. If the times are dull and ing aside other visitors, made a very low the drover bard up they have all the courtesy to the President, and, as gradually courtesy to the President, and, as gradually better chance to frighten and squeeze him. rising, began in a loud voice: "Mr The result is large contracts for beeves, to | Lincoln, my grandfather fought in the be delivered at such a time to certain Revolutionary war, my father fought in shipping points. Whole herds have, the war of 1812, I have a brother now during the past few seasons, often been fighting in the Federal army to put down bought up at \$3 per head, or culled out at | this wicked rebellion, and I want a commission for my son." Mr. Lincoln looked \$5 per head. This is from 25 to 30 cents per 100 pounds gross. From the year up with a smile. "Why, ma'am, you belong 1865, when what is known as the annual to a fighting family. You have done your Texas cattle "drives" began, until this share. Go home and learn the art of year, the business has been a series of ups peace." and downs, more particularly the latter.

Take, for instance, the experience of 1866,

when the Southwest was undergoing the

pinch of hard times. Everybody was

anxious to sell. Money was scarce. Some

who could count their long horne by the

tens of thousands could hardly raise cash

enough for their ordinary wants In fact;

a man's poverty was almost according to the size of his herd. The "drive" of 1963

into Western Kansas numbered 260,600

head. The draver went forward with

visions of better times and big pay for his.

beeves, but was destined to meet with

uplocked-for difficulties. Bands of out-

laws infest the "trail," and if they could

not by some means make away with the

drover and steal the whole herd, would at night time stampe 'e the cattle in every

direction, and seeize the opportunity to

gather up and barry off what they could.

Hie losses were fearful, and many of the

rising cattle kings were "snuffed out." In

later years the Texas drover has been put

turning them into sections where food is

During the past eight years about

3,000,000 Texas beeves were put upon the

market. In 1873 450,000 hoad were

handled, the cost value of which at the

shipping points in Kausas was only

\$5,000,000; and when finally sold to

butchers and packers, \$12,000,000. This

grasshopper plague depressed everything.

There was no feed, and so the drovers

purried to market, the supply being so

quality and generally in better condition

methodical, business-like way, and have

good markets at their command, all of

which seems to point to the "Great

stock. They have the advantage of mild

winters, and much less expense in earing

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short and dear.

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ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

[New York Correspondence of the Troy Times] Anonymous letters also circulate extensively in this city, and may be divided into several classes. For 9 Rampart Street, Below Canal, instance, there are business communications, or those at least which where the invites the afflicted to call, with the assumed have business objects in view and have business objects in view, and which the authors desires tol keep secret until more direct measures are reached. Business men desire generally to feel their way, and often employ anonymous messences Others are warnings sent ur good faith, dare not show their hand. These are frequently received at the Coroner's office, and always command attention. Some important investige. tions have been occasioned by just Treatment by Correspondence. such notices. In cases of crime, ancaymous messages abound. Near ly a half dozen were received by the police at the time, the Nathan horfor was under investigation. A very curious instance of this kind was furnished by the famous Web. ster and Parkman murder. After Webster had been arrested the Sheriff received a letter intended to throw suspicion in another direction. It was signed 'Civer," and was written in a very course band. The prosecution proved by experts, that it was Webster's transwriting, and it was supposed that a pointed stick had been used instead of a pen. A still more remarkable anonymous communication is identihed with the New York crime. 1 refer to the letter received by Sheriff Harty of this city, while John C. Colt was under death sentence. It contained \$5,000 in bank notes, and promised a farther remittance

of double that sum on condition

that his confact was only intended

to blind the public According to

this theory, Hart actually convived

at the prisoner's escape. The watch-

admission of a large-number of fire-

men The undertaker's wagon was

there with a coffin. The theorists

say that during this confusion Colt

was allowed to escape in a fireman's

dress, and that a corpse was carried

into the cell, which was near the en-

trance. This theory I do not accept,

LAST INSTANCE, The last auony mous letter that has appeared in criminal affairs has had the effect of delaying the sentence of a convict. I allude to the Bland chard case at Newark, in connection with the Brock murder. An attempt was made by such a trick to avert a criminal charge. But it will be unsuccessful. Anonymous letters may prove daugerous to their authors, and in one instance such a writer was in this way brought to the gallows. This was the result in the case of John Stephens, who was banged in the Tombs for wife-murder. The victim, who had been poisoned, was buried with-out suspicion. Stephens' motive was to marry a young woman, who lad, however, another and a more favorite admirer. In order to break up the match, Stephens sent the lover a number of anonymous slan ders on the woman's character. The object was attained, but the latter, in revenge, raised suspicion against her assailant. She recognized Stephens' handwriting in these at tacks, and the result was his conviction and execution.

Cartain lectures are sometimes called street music.

Some Scotch theologians are discussing the question whether Eve quarreled with Adam or whether she was not really a sweet tempered person. The truth seems to be that she was of a quarrelsome disposition; a sort of a ribbon man.

When Dio Lewis reached Boston from California and asked a waiter for the hair of the dog that bit him, and she handed out a bowl of mush and milk, he sat down and wept when he remembered Zion.

Detroit Free Press: Many of the white men in California will not sit at a hotel table with a Chinaman, but tollow him two miles after dark to borrow money of him.

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DAILY EXPRESS WEDNESDAY MORNING, Jan. 31, 1877.

CITY NEWS.

-See notice or Trustee Sale by Judge C. Wanten-to purchase, half cash, a lot

for \$300 or \$400. Address F. M. Jones,

through Postoffice. -We have the finest stock of Woolens for our custom trade ever brought to this market. Give us a call. Pancoast &

-Mr. Schleyer was fined \$15 for firing off his pistol on the streets Monday evening. It is wonderful there are no more accidents of a serious character from the number of such cases that occur. -The San Pedro ditch is to be cleaned

out, and the Ditch Commissioners notify parties interested that for a period of five days the water will be shut off to facilitate that purpose.

COUNTY COURT .- Late last evening the jury had not come in, on the horse race case. Several pension cases were before Court yesterday.

-Tom Kingcade, one of the parties who was making himself happy dashing about the streets on horseback on Monday, was fined vesterday morning \$50 by the Recorder. He settled up immediately. His partner is under bonds.

-One Mandiville, alias Troy, with his other alias unknown, charged with the theft of an ambutance from a Mr. Batelle, while awaiting examination before Justice Cotton, attempted to give leg bail. Happily, Constable Bader, who is fleet of foot, was near at hand, gave chase, caught up with him, and returned him to the Police Court. His case will be examined to-day.

THE THEATRE. - The entertainment last night by the Templeton Alliance was extremely interesting. The Pieces rendered were "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room," and "Contentment is Better than Riches." To-night, "East Lynne," a charming drama, will be played. All should avail themselves of the opportunity to see it. It may not be repeated by the company during their present visit.

MASONIC FUNERAL NOTICE.—The members of Alamo Lodge No 44. A. F. & A. M. are notified to meet at their Lodge roomat 3 o'elock p. m., to attend the funeral ceremonies of Bro. Anton Kamp, deceased. The officers and members of Anchor Lodge No 424, and all Master Masons in good standing in the city, are fraternally nvited to attend. F. McC. NEWTON,

TO-NIGHT! - "What's up to night?" will transported to San Antonio, would be the be a question many will propound through proper time for a demonstration. We the day. Let the answer invariably be, 'Prof. Buckowitz' Grand Concert, at the the polishing work along the route is Casino." The best musical talent in the finished. city, after careful and long practice, will be displayed to-night. All purchasers of ickets must produce their ticket, with Remaining in the Postoffice at San Antochecks for reserved seats, at the entrance door. Be on band early, and secure good January 30th, 1877, and received prior to Lanuary 30th, 1877, and 1872, a

icle, published at Sutherland Springs, Birchfield, Gues Wilson county. It is edited by E. R. Tarver, E-q., who, from his salutatory, appears to have a just respect and appreciation of the great brotherhood of which he has become a member. We hope his paper will flourish. Every community is benefited by a local newspaper, and it should by the endcavor to encours Crisp, E. age and sustain one.

posite the Menger Hotel, and enquire of THE CONCERT TO-NIGHT.-The concert by the pupils of Prof. Backowitz taks Erben, Franz place to night at the Casino. For some Field's, Chas - Coal Oil Stoves just received at Geo. time past they have been pract cing with Fargan, G Mrs. White's, sign of the Red Coffee Pot, 78 & a view to this occasion. Those who have Henry, C H heard Prof. Buckewitz perform are a ware | Hutchinson & Co of his splended musical attainments. The Hardy, E T E. B. Hall Carpenter and Buil- best critics in the city award him the Herr, F der. All work entrusted to him done highest praise. As an instructor he is eminently successful. We have quite a Harl, SC Shop north of Main street bridge. se23tf music-loving population, and his efforts Haimer, J R, Dr and success as an instructor deserve the Sureza, Max encouragement of all who feel an interest Jobes, S S without doubt, be most agreeable and Kenworthy, S Mrs without doubt, be most agreeable and delightful. We hope the Casino will be McGrorty, W Gol crowded with the taste and fashion of the Mechler, Sophia

WHY IS IT?—Gentlemen who visit McMands, T. Mitchel, R Mrs.—Western Texas carrying policies of life McGinuis, M Mrs. insurance in the Northern companies, and McCoy, Lum who expect to remain here any length of Murphy, Joseph ner & Bergetrom's hide and wool office, time, tell us that they are required to increase their annual payments about one third. We can not imagine why this is so. HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT, - Erysipelas Certainly not because ours is an unand all inflammatory diseases yield to a healthier State than any other. It is the ant Quartermaster, U. S. Army, From

#### THE CITY COUNCIL.

The City Connell meets this evening: Our citizens will watch their proceedings his company, with close interest There have been many Brigadier General Crook commanding way of improvements suggested, that we STOVES! STOVES!! | hope the Council will consider without delay. Rome, we are aware, was not Stoves of every description, at manufac- built is a day; but it would not have turers' prices, freight only added. Every been built at all had not the energetic been built at all had not the energetic -Bargains in Winter Goods can be had to step into the shoes of their predecessors, day, and month after mouth, as done by

There are matters that take time to consider, we are fully aware. It has been teet them than an Indian is usually pro- regularly in his stables, and that the exthe habit of our authorities to allow themaclves a wide latitude in this respect. Is it not time that we should be benefited by legislation a little more energetic and have been operating, attests the success rapid? It will be discouraging in the of the brilliant fight made by the Caval-

the crossings of our streets. It surely Belle Fourche. The uniform good conrequires no grand engineering talent to duet of the Command has rendered it difdevise a remedy for such a crying shame | fleult to distinguish one above another. as now exists in this respect, and it is a matter, too, of no such great expense as to the army has to mourn the loss of the raise visions of horrid debt. It will not distinguished and brilliant young Cavalinterfere, or, if so, in but an insignificant ry officer, First Lieutenant John A. Mcmeasure, with any proposed system of Kinney, 4th Cavalry, and the gallant engrading the streets and regulating the side- listed men who fell with him in the lonewalks; but it will be a positive and evident improvement, desired by the May the fostering care, by a grateful whole city. It will evidence the intention of the Administration to do what is in their power to improve the city, and flies are not ungrateful. advance the city's interests. We hope the Council will instruct the City Engineer at once to report the best method of constructing street crossings, and also require him to commence immediately to set about a thorough plan for grading the streets and laying pavements, and consider the subject of city drainage.

These subjects, as we have repeatedly observed, are the foremost that should be considered. Every day we are asked to keep the subject open. We trust it will meet the immediate consideration it deserves at the hands of the Conneil

WELCOME THE RAILROAD.

SUGGESTION THAT SHOULD BE HEEDED

Next week the railroad will have reached San Antonio, and a consummation we have ardently wished for for over a quarter of a century will have been attained . There is probably no city that ever received railroad intercourse which had Western Texas, the avenue to her richest sections, the Elen of the State, the possting, and a hope for prosperity. This city, over whose foundation centuries even, have passed, has been retarded progress, for the agents, or the spirit of her distance from other commercial the 5th to the 15th inclusive. cantres and the populous regions of the country. Now that the Pence road, for which we have labored so assiduously, is the Construction Committee are the proper persons to take the matter in hand and manage it. Let them at once prepare

tor the occasion. We have heard it said that the celebration of the event will be postponed until the final completion of the road, which will be five or six weeks longer at least. It seems to us that when the cars reach W. M. Alamo L. No 44 the city, and freight and passengers are would lose our enthusiasm to weit until

LIST OF LETTERS

January 23rd, 1877: Anderson, H B Meyer, J C Mrs cCoy, C C McCarthy, Don McCoy, A Miss McNeill, A J Nitus, Caleb Nabaira, Rodrigo Nixon, W S Obert, Jacob Pickett, E G Peabody, B Miss Robinson, R Capt tovegno, Ginseppe Donabue, Jack Rivers, A Miss Smith, A Spedwell, Mr Shea, Daniel Smith, CB Shields, G Smith, J R Stedman, J C Sharp, W T Steele, W H Rev Wrntia, Jaak Wilcox, George Walker, H M Wilson, George Williams, Jos Young, James Zalazar, Carlos

MILITARY MATTERS .- The journey performed by Captain E. J. Strang, Assist-Fort Worth to Denison, Texas, in accord-

make money. Let it be properly resisted. A, 10th Infantry, (on furlough and withis of beer, his lodgings, fire, light, and, in out means to return to his proper sta- case that he married, as many hares as tion), the cost of which will be commu- he required for his table, and two basnicated to his company commander who kets of fruit for himself and two for his will charge the amount against the sol- old nurse annually. These conditions dier on the next muster and pay-rolls of were fulfilled for eighteen years, until

exhibited by them during its progress.

treme degrees of cold as to make life keep the head warm at night. well nigh unbearable, even when surrounded by the comforts of civilization, the soldiers have endured, with uncomweather from which they had less to provided with.

It is a matter for solemn regret that y gorges of the Big Horn Mountains. country, of those who are personal sufferers in their deaths, prove that Repub-

#### TEXAS ITEMS.

Waco uniforms its firemen. There are now 140 newspapers published n this State

In Refugio county stock cattle are selling at \$3 per head.

In Limestone county the local option law was defeated by a majority of 50 in a poll.

A man named Peter Namsey attempted to cut his throat at Galveston Friday The Galveston News reports nine deaths

from small pox, in that section, since Mr. Huntington, the great railroad man, has purchased for \$18,000 the C. R. Johns place on the Blanco, in Blanco county, and

fine buildings are in process of erection on the grounds. The Mighty Momus with headquarters at Galveston, has seenred transportation at the rate of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip, for all his subjects through ont the State desiring to attend the dress goods will begin to arrive in a few marai gras celebration Galveston on dvancement have been denied her through | the 13th prox. Tickets will be good from

Mr. Callie Wood, an old citizen of Limestone, residing about six miles west of dress D. I. Thornton, P. O. Box 210. Fam-Mexia, last Thursday morning went to his | ily small. to be our boon, and that within a very lot to feed stock, and not returning in due few days, it behooves the people of San time, seach was made for him, and his Antonio to manifest their appreciation of dead body found in the stable. No signs the event by a great demonstration and of violence were visible upon his person, rejoicing. We presume the gentlemen of and it is presumed death was produced by natural causes.

> At the recent meeting of the Western Stock Association, held in Cuero, it was greed that no unbranded cattle should be killed either at home or at the branding en; stray calves are to be branded with e mother's brand; unlawful branding is ced, and every business and social relation will be suspended with any Louisiana Equitable Life Ins. Co. person who appropriates another's stock; be guilty of such ap propriating or unlawful branding of stock, his name shall be published in the papers in DeWitt, Victoria and Lavaca counties, and each member pledges his sacred honor to carry into effect the objects and resolations of the association. The price of Kansaa castle was fixed at not less than

#### AN IRISH TURK.

[Chleago Catholic, January 20th.] Eugene O'Rielly, the apostate Irishman, who was compelled to fly from Ire-land in 1848 for being an Irish Nation-alist; and who afterward "turned his coat," joined the Turkish army, and is John Henderson own by the title of "H has been recently alluded to by the Irish T C Herndon, Times as "a genuine Irishman in a Mos-lem battalion." We are proud to record the brave deeds of Irish soldiers in for-charged by Northern and Western Compaeign armies who fight for liberty, but we detest the actions of any crawling reptile like O'Rielly, who turns his back on his native land, or takes up arms in defense of a despotic and barbarous power. The Irish American, speaking of this subject, very truly remarks that, "Before it is possible for a genuine Irishman to turn Turk'—or Mormon for that matter—he very truly remarks that, "Before it is possible for a genuine Irishman to 'turn Turk'—or Mormon for that matter—he must first have become a renegade to the tradition of his race and the land of his birth." The old saying, "Evil communications," &c., is partly applicable in this case. O'Rielly's regiment was attached to the British army during the Crimean war, and, after the war was over, O'Rielly, while on a visit to England, took occasion to refer to the English Government as "the best in the world, and thought the Irish people Whatever spark of nationality ever was in his bosom was weaned from him by his associations in the British army. The more he rises in the estimation of the "Sublime Porte," the more his name will be detested by Irishmen; and, while the names of his former illustrious companions will live fresh in the memory of the millions of Irish yet unborn, his will sleep in oblivion, except when it is spok-en of in tones of contempt and hatred as that of a traitor.

A VIOLIN just bought by a Russian for Stainer died.

Many people, particularly children Orders No. 10, announces its close, and suffer with the earache; and for the benavails himself of the opportunity to thank efit of such we give a sure but simple the officers and men composing it, for remedy. Put in two or three drops of the ability, courage, endurance and zeal Johnson's Anodyna Liniment, stop the car with undressed wool, bathe the feet With the mercury indicating such ex- in warm water before going to bed, and

Capt. Charles Sager, who keeps a superb stock of livery horses in Portland, plaining fortitude, the rigors of the Me., informed us recently that he uses Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders pense is more than offset by the diminished amount of grain necessary to keep

> Ivory in coral set, When 'twixt parties' lips you see, Sozodont, 'tis safe to bet, Beautifies the ivory.

OFFICE OF WM, J, LEMP'S WESTERN BREWERT, R. HONORE GRENET, San Antenio:

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REMOVAL .- G. Caen French dyer and courer, has removed to 57 Commerce street, opposite Leroux & Cosgrove's. Mr. J. A. Mimms, of Hamilton county, Thankful for the liberal patronage hereras killed a few days ago by a fall from a tofore, he asks a continuance of same at his new place.

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