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Telegraphic Brevities North Vernon, Ind., May 29 .- The dwel-

Walkerton Out., May 29.—Twenty bus-iness places and twenty dwellings burned last night. Loss a quarter of a million.

Chattanooga, May 29.—The Postal com-

New York, May 29 — As the steamer Gulfstream, from Charleston, was entering Sandy Hook, Saturday evening, her cargo-was found to be on fire. The hatches were battered down, and when she reached

New York, March 29.—Fletcher Harper, senior member of the firm of Harper Bro's is dead. He was aged 72 years.

New York, May 29.—In the Meadows, on the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, just beyond the Hackensack river, this morn-ing, a freight train backed into a hand car from which four men were distribu-ting ties. Thomas Hogan and Phil Good-man were killed. Edward Henry lost both legs and Pat Donnelly had a hip broken. It is thought both will die.

man themselves.

Gen. Cuellar is expected soon by the steamer Independencia. He tele

war steamer Independencia. He tele-graphed that he had adjusted matters between Diaz and Canales. The Indepen-dencia will bring a number of persons belonging on this side of the Sierra Mayre, who had gone to the Oity of Mexico and were unable to pay their way back. Gen. Dies, provided them transpor-tation.

It is reported that \$30,000 is on the way from the capital to Canales. The custom-bouse collector has received orders to

house collector has received orders to fornish Canales all the funds he needs All is reported quiet in the interior-

EXCITEMENT AT HOUSTON.

Threats of Lynching the Prisoner

What they are doing in Europe. Our Stock Must be Re-

Murders, Fatal Accidents, Fires, Etc.

#### PROM EUROPE

London, May 29 .- Five Circassian offi cers in the Russian army in Ronmania have been shot for conspiracy. There were three fatal railroad accidents in Roumania Sauday. The recapture of Ardahau is believed at

Constantinople.

The Danube is still rising and railroads from various points to Gulatz are inter-

following as the second: "Without casting any reflection on past general assemblies, or changing any of their deliverances, we declare that the language specifically complained of by the Southern assembly is a part of the sorrowful fact which we in this day of peace and fraternity would wish to forget, and it is a matter of sincere regret that the terms of schism, heresy and blasphemy should ever have been applied to southern Presbyterians by any general assembly."

more of peace are becoming more clearly defined. It is reported that negotiations are actually on foot in Berlin for a cossation of hostilities.

Erzerum, May 29.—Three days ago reinforcements were sent to Ardahan to effect a junction with a portion of its former garrison. We have just received news here that a combined force by a cosp demain succeeded in recapturing it. The Tarks numbered 8,000.

London, May 29.—A special dispatch from Vienna to the Times asys: South of Serkum Kalek, a detachment is coscentrated under General Alchaoff to prevent a Turco-Circassian force moving along the shore into the plains of Mirgolia Ir they did so now. the pesitions of the Russians on the rear of Sukam Kaleh and Adler would soon become untenable.

London, May 28.—A special dispatch from Kalafat to the News has the following: Considerable movements of Turkish troops are observed in the direction of the Timox from Widden. Gen. Horvatonich, the Servian commander at Negatin, telegraphs that there is an apparent concentration about Volkeke and lanvor.

Athene, May 29.—Mr. Comonndonror has been summond by the King to form a ministry. Any armed party attempting to cross the frontier into Thessaly will be arrested by order of the Government.

Constantinople, May 29.—No confirmations have been informally asserted by the Ports that the state of siege will not interfere with privileges of foreign subject. Proceedings will only be taken against a foreign subject with the concurrence of his consul.

London, May 29.—The Standard's Constantinople special has sent the following via Athens May 25. Redif Pasha, Minister of war, is now dictator and for the time more powerful than ever. Great anxiety prevails among the European population, who fear that during the state of siege if news of fresh disasters arrive, there will be a cellision between the populace and treops. Our position is one of great danger, and it is genorally regarded as certain that fresh disasters must happen. The fall of Ardahan and Boyazid has enabled the Russians to mar

besten, Erzeroum must fall, for it is without fortifications and the force in it is small.

London, May 29.—A Renter's dispatch from Paris says the Due De Broglie, president of the Council and Minister of instice, has issued a circular to the Procureur Generaux, explaining that President Mae Mahon, in exercising his constitutional prerogative, intervened to arrest the progress of radical theories incompatible with the posce of society and the greatness of France. The Minister invites public processators, to use redoubled vigilance and firmness to ensure respect for the law established for the protection of morality, religion and prosperity, and particularly those laws defending them from the stacks of a licentions press. He recommends the procureurs to repress apologies for the commune offences against the President, and above all false news, particularly the calumny that there exists in France a party in favor of foreign war.

Liverpool, May 29.—The passengers of the Catholic societies went in two tags to welcome the pilgrims, and a large sowed cheered and congrainlated the pasting were conducted to the Adelphi Hotel to be entertained by the Catholic olub. A to desse is to be song at the Cathedral, and the pilgrims will then proceed directly to Rome.

Loudon, May 29.—The Court of Inquiry over the loss of the Dakota censures Captain, second and the fourth officers for care teasuess, not sufficient, however, to forfeit their certificates.

Twelve thousand colliers are idle in Northumberland on account of a strike.

Mere Relics of the Caster Maessacce.

Chicago, May 29.—Lt. Alfred M. Foller, who brought the news to Bismarck of Gen. Miles in Data in Bismarck of Gen. Miles in Gandan fight, says 14 dead Indians were counted upon the refield and wounded. Fifty-four lodges with content where customs were cauter when the greatness of the Caster Maessacce.

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Washington, May 29.—It is semi-officially announced that the administration is pleased with Hampton and Nicholls.

It appears that Mr. Evarts has abandoned his purpose of writing a letter to Gov. Stone of Mississippi. Mr. Evarts has been advised that it is his business to look after Pierrepoint at the court of 8t. James, and other matters abroad, and to give passports to American citizens. Sign with to travel. The Department of Justice alone, and that only through the Federal district and circuit courts, may look into jugisprudence within the boundaries of sovereign states.

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CIGARS, CROCKERY, Etc., Etc

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The Sheriff immediately ordered all his deputies on duty at the jail, and ordered the constable tell him to procure any arm he could, and report immediately. We do not know how many were summoned. The heariff, at about 11 o'clock, made a demand for the San Jacinto Rifles and Texas Old Guard. Such members of these military and so for sea. The Ossippes and Essex along the the part of the search of the search

sentence of the Molly Magnires to imprisonment for life.

A special dispatch says the Corvettes, Oscippes and Essex, and monitors Ajax and Leshigh, received orders yesterday to prepare for sea. The Oscippes and Essex will convoy the monitors to the Narfolk navy yard, where they are to be docked and cleaned. It is understood that all the monitors will preced to the same port as soon as convoys can be furnished.

New York, May 29.—Gold opened at 1064 and closed very quiet at 1064 and

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COMMERCE STREET,

Regular

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the "long roll," quickly bringing out quite a large number of the military who at once proceeded to the jail, and reinforced the guard already on duty. Up to the hour we went to press, no attempt had been made to disturb the prisoner, and nothing had been seen of the proposed lynchers.

and Rosendale

It was the firm determination of every soldier and citizen of Heuston who was at the jail last night to defend it to the last, and we are thankful that nothing occurred to call for a resistance on the part. of the guards this morning. The citizens of Houston are fixed, firm, steadfast and unalterable in their determination to let the law take its course, and if the prisoner is guilty to see that he is visited sternly and rigorously with the full penalty of the law, but they will not permit any med violence to diagrace the sity. Our criminal annals are blackened enough already.

NOLISH PORTLAND. AMERICAN CEMENTS.

Plaster Paris,

and possibly rain areas.

New flork, May 29.—To-morrow, being a legal holliday, the banks, the Produce, Cotton and Stock Exchanges, the Subtreasury and public offices will be closed. The Custom House will be open from 9 to 16 a.m. for the entry and clearance of vessels only.

Cincinnati, May 29.—Yesterday after moon a young man named Nudgin, driving a baggy near Harrison, Haupton county, Ohio, ran into another buggy occupied by a man named Brice and his nephew. An altereation ensued, in which Nudgin was beaten to death by Brice, who used the butt end of his whip as a club.

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Prissom: "You are armed and I'll give it

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ex President, is in the city, not exactly in disguise, but with the intention of

keeping his presence a secret to all save his trusty adherents. Those who claim

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Washington, May 29.—Indications for the West Gulf States: Stationary or slow-ly falling barometer, stationary temperature, partly cloudy or cloudy weather, and possibly rain greas.

New Stock Jobbing anair.

Brown, at the Kenuedy Protein, our received evening last.

Friday evening last at ten minutes to cight o'clock I went in to cight o'clock I went in bates, watson and McClure were at the same table. One seat was vacant and I took to the control of t

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Avery, John Moore

## McClcre said, "Give it to him." At the same moment Brown ran his hand into his breast pocket as though to draw a pistol. McClure raised up at the same time? Grissom pulled his pistol and instantly fired at Brown. The latter jumped from the end of the table to the wall. When he jumped he threw up his left arm as though to shield his face, with one hand still under his coal. Grissom fired the second-shot when Brown fell. The above was the main and most reve-

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WEENESDAY MORNING, May 30, 1877.

The State Fair at Houston was a gratifying success. Notwithstanding the warm weather and the season of the year, yet the attendance was fine and the exhibition select rather than extensive. The city of Houston surely had much to be gratified at.

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POSTMASTER General Key and the postal commission are on their tour of observa-Atlanta, Georgia, where they are the sub-

tages asked for at the hands of Government, and we have no doubt will readily be accorded them as soon as the applica-

Texas especially. The Mexican border action must sustain their professions and question was the subject for consideration and sustain the hand that tion, and the whole people of this sec- strikes for the welfare of society and all tion will rejoice should the policy pro- her interests. is in principle the same as advocated by the Express-be not only adopted, but be speedily and rigorously enforced or

THE Supreme Court of Michigan has decided a novel question in life insurance.

The question was whether a wife who had

figence of Morton had free course, and did

BEHIND the times—is one Peter Papin,
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of the old defunct school of politicians, the dread and dirty work, but that day is past. The people North and South a d to and excited by base and tains the following:

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Without any disposition to prejudice the case above referred to, we not only copy and endorse the language of our co-temporary, but we must, as this is an opportune conscious. 'fearless and impartial justice" be adminstered by the courts through the juries of the land, the "trial by jury" too often fearful state of society could exist than the fact that strocious crime can be commit- A Peasant Throwing His Children to ted openly and defiantly in the thorough fares of our cities and towns, or at public jects of public ovation. No city in the gatherings of quiet, inoffensive citizens,

regarded as a great General, and a man who held the highest place within the gift of the people of the United States for the longest period of time allotted by the constitution; as one of the most distinguished of American citizens, and as such will, no doubt, be feted wherever he goes.

On the fourth page of to-day's EXPESSS, will be found the text of a petition to Congress asking that San Antonio be made a port of cutry, and provided with bonded warehouse privileges. The petitioners represent only the merchantile interests of San Antonio, and their prayer should, of San Antonio, and their prayer should, cence of the accused," but who, with the

order rule supreme, then the alternative flow of gastric juice, which is essential to GEN. ORD, commandant of this Militeday District, had a consultation with the President and Secretary of War, at Washington, Monday, the results of which will be regarded with the greatest interest, by the people of Southwestern lawlesstess in all its forms, and their results of the people of Southwestern lawlesstess in all its forms, and their results of the people of Southwestern lawlesstess in all its forms, and their results of the people of Southwestern lawlesstess in all its forms, and their results must austain their professions and is eagerly resorted to viz: each man takes good digestion.

Commercial Aspects of the War.

That the hereditary desires of Russia to obtain an outlet through the Bosphorus is at the bottom of the present wat, noderlying and asparing the revolts and rebellious which were the secondary but active beginning of the conflict, must be plain to the students of history. The Turkish The Supremo Court of Michigan has desicided a novel question in lite insurance. The questions was whether a wire who had insured the life of her husband, and had carefully an experiment of the life of her husband, and had carefully an experiment of the states of the laws of

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SOCIETY DEMANDS PROTECTION.

Houston evidently feels an honest more definition of the House, and set to work, it seems, to influence the Committee out to seems, to select a page of in the endayor to secure specially around the capital several weeks of gas ed in the endayor to secure specially in favor or a certain bogus corporation for the improvement of Fort Royal, town and harder, in this State, and for other purposes, or which corporation, known to be the head and front, he is shrewly suspected of being the whole body. After successfully lobbying his pet scheme through the Senate, Peter followed it to the House, and set to work, it seems, to influence the Committee out.

geance by mob violence. Low a last it is. If make the matter twice as bad as it is. If a determination prevails that "shooting must be stopped in Honston," let public forts the might be disposed to make in forts t

reckless manner in which human life is course, instantly silenced by the Speak-taken, almost daily. The truth is, unless adopted consigning him to jall for the remainder of the session, which order was carried into effect without fielay. This victim of the new order of things

Atlanta, Georgia, where they are the subjects of public ovation. No city in the
South, or elsewhere, knows better how to
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THE European war, and its probable
future, are matters of speculation only.
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conflict of which there is any record, or
will a brisk skirmish or two, and the interposition of some friendly umpire, bring
about an adjustment, is the problem to be
solved We hope for the latter.

Our dispatchee, yesterday morning,
announced the arrival of General Grant in
Liverpool, where he met with a public
reception, and accepted the hospitalities
of the city tendered him. Among Europeans, Grant will be freed from the prejudices, both in favor and against him,
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50 seres, 20 improved and fenced, house 2 rooms, 200d wells, and out buildings, 4 miles from city.

One corner lot near upper new bridge, \$500
S very high and nice lots near Catholic Hospital and
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10 adjoining sections of good sec-or, as fifty cents an acre. 240 acre farm, 60 is cultivation, 200 fenced, 5 room rame house, permanent water, 700 acres, all under good plank fence, permanent acre. 50 in cultivation, 6 miles from city. A fine lot, large c ina trees upon it, very centrally

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Good business lots, not over a mile from Plaza, of Main street, at \$130.

4 large fots upon San Pedro creek, in rigable, 6 root house, \$2000, for whole.

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House, 14 or 15 rooms, centrally lo 3 stores, with nine rooms in connection, all in order, will be rented at the low rate of one hun dollars per month. The stores can be rente enough to pay entire rent.

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August Flower. are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United

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I am prepared to make wells under a full guarantee of obtaining water, or no charge will be made. Having driven wells in Mississippi and Louisiana for several years, I know them to be far superior to the dng well or cistern, to all who want pure, cool, clear water. Call and examine for yourselves. J. P.WEIR, No. 57 Commerce St., with A. Ladner. may16 lm

-Just received, a let of pocket stoves at George White's. Commerce street. Stoyes! Stoyes! Just received. 250 Cooking and Heating

Stoves of every description, at manufac-turers' prices, freight only added. Every stove guaranteed to give satisfaction Call on Geo. White, 78 & 80 Commer set, sign of the Red Coffee Pot. oc21tf The house and lot at present occupie

by Dr. Chew, on Avenue C, lot No. 3 in block 7. John Ecknord & Co.

aprl4 tf House for Rent. My residence is for rent. Apply to C. I

GEO. S. DEATS. -Shewell & Hinkle, San Pedro Lumber

corner Laredo and Nueva Sts. apr15 tf - Coal Oil Stoves just received at Geo White's, sign of the Red Coffee Pot, 78 & - Our stock of fine white shirts and

furnishing goods is now complete for the PANCOAST & SON. -The best accommodation can be obtained at the Magnolia House, Seguin,

T. Rollin Johnston, Manager. - If you have your clothing made to der it will pay you to call on Pancoast

Daily Express.

Meteorological.

Local News and Gossip.

-Furnished rooms for rent. Apply a Clavin's Wild Cherry and Squilis curcough every time.

-Military Plaza presented a lively appearance yesterday morning. -Ambulances, carts and wagons fitting out every day by Frost & Bro. -\$75 is the price of a good Mitchell Wagon, completely fitted up, at Frost &

-Our new style Hats for spring 1877 have just arrived. PANCOAST & SON.

-Another car load of Kansas wagon for Frost & Bro. What do they do wish all these wagons ? -Precept upon precept and line upon

line teaches that it is best to buy the Kansaa Wagon. -Mrs. Mason, wife of Gen. Mason, U S. A., died about 7 o'clock last evening,

after a lingering illness. -Col. J. C. Frost yesterday pure the elegant residence property of Ma George S. Dests, on Soledad street.

-Another party of young ladies and gentlemen from the city, went out to the Leon, for a picnic, yesterday. -First it was -s, then it was Menger

now it is Berg. What an enormous quan tity of savage talk to the amount of --The tramp nuisance is again a sour of much annoyance to our people, especial ly those residing in the suburbs.

-"Did you ever see so much dust! was a pretty question to ask yesterday of person who was so blinded by the dus that he couldn't see any at all!

. The Herald has "authority' for saying our report that Valdez levied a prestim

-Saturday last Houston was visited by hail storm, many of the hail-ston being as large as hen-eggs, according toth easuring genius of the Age.

- Handsomest stock of paper collars walnut and oaken boxes, this day received at Pancoast & Son's. -On your way to the Menger, stop a

"Gem" for refreshments, You will find it a very atttractive and cozy retreat apr22 tf -SAVE YOUR HAIR .- If you wish to save your hair and keep it strong and healthy use Burnett's Cocoaine.

-There were four interments in the catholic cemetery and three in the city metery last week. Six of the decease were under one year of age. -Police officer Miller is the happy

papa of a bouncing 12 pound boy, wh introduced himself to the family night before last. -Our item concerning the concert fo

the benefit of the orphans, at Wolfram's Garden Wednesday evening, was all right as far as it went, but "June 27th" should have been added. -Tosmorrow the services approp

Corpus Christi Thursday, which are very Catholic church throughout the world. -Those who desire to rent a nice rec up stairs can apply to Kinehan & Littell's,

Centennial, No. 4, Soledad street. Posses sion given on 1st of June, 1977. m19tf ion given on 1st of June, 1877. m19tf and get-what-you-pay for system, meets
Cabiner Organ -For sale or rent, a that want. Mr. Martin's office is at good, well made instrument, with two setta of reeds and four stops, and has been used. Apply at Health Lift rooms.

may27 tf R. SPAULDING, -A team of horses attached to a wagon passing along Soledad street last evening attracted no little attention from the fac that the driver was propped up in the seat either sound askeep or "dead drunk." -A lot of iron suspiciously resemb-ling that used for laying street railway tracks, arrived on the freight train last evening. We hope it is for street railway purposes, and that it is to be used

-Real-cetate was extremely lively yesterday, and every body had an opportuni-ty to secure an unlimited supply of it.

The wind was the cause of the activity.

Hon. W B. Sayers, of G. and appeared in the market on the "bull

-Mrs. Larner gave an entertainment t her pupils of the Kindergarden school on Monday evening, at the residence e Mrs. Tunstall. It was a pleasant affair consisting of vocal, and instruments music. Miss Louise L. Jacobs and others sang very prettily, and added much to the enjoyment of all present.

-"Fire company No. 5," which is principally a "water company,"—Sam C. Bennett, chief, —rendered efficient service in some parts of the city yesterday sprinkling the streets. The regular street aprinkler seems to have been run off the streets by the dust along his route.

Although the sermon was quite lengthy, it was so eloquently delivered and able and interesting that the vast crowd list

-The council did not meet yesterday afternoon. Our "conclusion jumping" reporter made the statement in the belief or understanding that the council met every alternate Tuesday. It meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, which will bring the next meet ing on next Tuesday.

-The Express acknowledges the re ceipt of an invitation to the commence ment exercises of the Texas Military Institute, which occur at Anetin 13th, and when the distinctions and diplomas will be awarded, Cadet J. Horner, of this city, is a men

-From Houston to St. Louis and Chicago and return our excursionists were under charge of Mr. E. Kauffman, a princely railroader, and on the return trip the San Antoniaus expressed their ap-preciation of his many gentlemanly attri-butes and courteous attentions by pre-senting him with a handsome set of stude Rollin Johnston, Manager. If

If you have your clothing made to

or it will pay you to call on Pancoast
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cantee perfect satisfaction.

SERIOUS IF NOT FATAL ACCI-

What Happened to a Man named Kelso.

boy about eight years old.

managed to turn the team into the mes- until one day an enterprising yout the gash being about three inches long; the fingers of his right hand were also broken, and the wheels also passed ever his abdomen, inflicting injuries feared to be fatal. At ap early hour ; seterday morning candle appendi

NOT ON THE BILL OF FARE. What two Galveston Drummers Had

A. Wehlstab and P. Duvinage had lively and disgraceful setato in the than the dogs, for rats seldem attack Menger diffing room at dinner time yesterday. Davinage threw a glass of water with a bottle of Worcester sauce. This called forth the castor from D., when W. initiated a rapid movement of heavy glass gebiets, one of which took D. a "diff" under the ear and laid him low and

for Dessert at the Menger.

One of the parties was arrested, and at last accounts the other was making it lively for the police by dodging through back doors and "skinning" down alleys. He will be caught unless he leaves town by the dirt road'

In the triel of these offenders we trust His Honor will not be prejudiced against them on account of that charge of 25 cents a drink to our folks in Galveston: but on this score we feel a misgiving in the region of the heart.

Thieves Captured. The police yesterday succeeded is

gathering in two pretty notorious charpected of being implicated in most of the one of the parties was John Ireland. and who was taken in on general principles, as a vagrant. He had on his per-

son some of the articles stolen from the

boys at the Menger, Sunday night. The other culprit is Alonzo Johnso who was fined \$50 and sent to the county jail, by Justice Houston, for carrying concealed pistol. He had on a pair of oots stolen not long ago from McCarty. Rambould's saloon. His wife and daughter were arrested about six mor ago for stealing, the charges being pending against them.

We are glad to note the arrival again among his old friends of the Rev. J. F. Martin, who is acting as general super-

knewn as the Protection Life Insurance Company. This company seems to be an exception to the general rule of prostration is the life insurance line. While almost no business is being done outside of this company, nearly six hundred leading men of Texas have entered it in the past few months. This would seem to indicate two things: one of these is that people feel the need of protection:

| Alarming. Your petitioners would respectfully suggest that your Honorable Rody recommend that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the delivered; and that your Honorable Body will adopt such other measures as will adopt such other as mall sum of the terrier, and that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the tirvation of the terrier, and that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the tirvation of the terrier, and that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the tirvation of the terrier, and that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and that that breed of dogs be hereafter freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that a small sum of the terrier, and the transfer freed from taxation. Also that knewn as the Protection Life Insurance

Judge Dewear and Mr. Ed Konpruf, o Fort Clark, arrived in the city Monday vening. While en route to this place and when on Kinslow's prairie, about eight miles west of Turkey creek, they saw two Indians, who leveled their gune at them. The two gentlemen, who were men riding in a buggy, laid whip to their

A Hamford, New York; G Schaefer Oakville; B Hyatt, Seguin, Jose Maria ed ware house privileges, as circulate Cardinas, Eagle Pass: W S Fell, N Y: L yesterday and the day before, the name Klein, Galveston, E G Thompson, fexas Walter Lyan, St Louis, James Converse H R Allen, Houston: Capt John B Vaude wiele, U S A, and wife, New York, arrived

the city yesterday.

Mr. Peter Johnson, of Fort Clark, ar rived in town yesterday.

An Interesting Sermon.

There was a very large congregation present at the Methodist church last eve who took for his lesson the 9th verse of the second chapter of 2d. Peter: "The Lord knoweth how to deliver the godly out of temptation, and to reserve the unjust unto the Day of Judgment to be

tened with wrapt and pleased attention

happy feature that well deserves especial

Decoration Day. To-day-May 30th-is a nati day, being set apart for the decoration o Soldier's graves. Peaceably the "blue and the gray" rest side by side on many a hard fought battle field, and the friends of both should not, and seldom do, make any distinction as they pay their floral

jaws of death in the defense of the principles they honored and revered. The dead heroes teach living patriots a lesson. -A man with a bad eye and a bruise nose tied up in a handkershief attracted unusual attention by riging along main street last evening and trying to conceal his damages behind a fan. Our reporter thought a good item was gliding away from him as the carriage rolled along too fast to be overtaken by a pedestrian. However, the sufferer may have been troubled only by a toothacks, a sliver or sand in his eye, and a "bile" on his nose ABOUT RATS.

An Old, though Rather Humorous tition.

On Sunday last a man named Kelso, a complaints about the rat nulsance, which merchant in a small way living near appears to be an old grievance the citi-Pleasanton, in Atasceso county, came to zens here have borne for many years. the city to purchase a supply of groceries judging from the annexed petition to the and flour. He also laid in a very liberal council, presented and acted upon in 1864 "in the skin"-and on Monday, in a badly | the council, and a reward of five cents intoxicated condition, started for home each was offered for rate by the city. This with his load, accompanied by his son, a developed a new industry in the city, and small boys were soon in a fair way to become When within about two miles of the wealthy at the expense of the city, until Medina river, his team, which was natus the Mayor "smelled a rat." The boys rally inclined to be "fractious," became | would catch a rat and carry it to the court unmanageable and pulled Kelso off the house time and again nutil decomposiwagon in front, causing the horses to run tion set in, receiving a reward each time away. The boy secured the reins and just as though a fresh rat had been caught,

The boy then returned to his Mayor "smelled it," and the business was father, and found him in a very sad plight given a blow from which it never recov indeed. A fore and hind wheel of the ered. After the discovery alluded wagon had run over Kelso's right leg, the to, the officials would cut the fish on the aukle being cut to the bone, tail off each rat as soon as the reward was paid, and this made the business unprofitable, as no reward was paid for tailless rat, no matter how persistently the boy might swear he pinehed off the candle appendage in pulling the animal was placed in a wagon and conveyed to We know of but one way to get the people of San Autonio thoroughly aroused

on the subject of exterminating the rats: prove that what the rate eat and destro would support about five inndred additional worthless cur dogs, which would be an electric incentive to action; but then we rather think the rate are better

We append the petition as a curiosity SAN ANTONIO, May 2d, 1864.

To the Honorable City Council of San Antonio:

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned citizens of San Antonio would respectfully call the serious attentien of your Hon. body to an existing evil in our midst which daily increases and has become to be considered highly alarming. Your petitioners allude to that notoriously piratucal, destructive, theiring, voracious and disgusting animal, the rat.

They have already undermined valuable houses, destroyed all kinds of property, and, what is worse than all, the food which they nightly devour, destroy and carry away, is almost incredible.

It is estimated that eorn alone in one month, in warshouse, loses about fire

t carry away, is almost incredible.

It is estimated that corn alone in one month, in warehouses, loses about five per cent. Besides this, there is probably no animal known that multiplies so immensely as the rat.

Various methods are used to keep these animals in check. In France, for instance, the hands of the rarest beauties of the empire are often covered with what is called kid, but, in reality, it is frequently the skin of the rat skillfully dressed; and doubtless while the delicate hands of these fair ladies are thus clothed, their digestive organs are occupied in turning into ohyme a ragont of a very doubtful character; thus it will be seen that the capture of these animals is a lucrative employment in that country. Again, in England, the rat-catcher is a fixed fact, an important and necessary member of society; he haunts old cellars, hitchens, wharves, &c., with his secret tricks and traps, and sells his captives to the sporting character, who amuses an intelligent growd by throwing a few hundred of them into a pit and bets largely that his favorite terrier "Monkey," weighing 3 pounds 10; ounces only will kill them all in a given number of minutes; the substantial parts of that lained in the same by the natives of the animal are not used by the natives of that Island in the same way as in France, although it is not at all improbable, and is by some regarded as a fact that they do occasionally find their way into that unique and rotund delicacy, the sansare.

the sausage.

The rat, may it please your Hon. body, according to natural historians, is of the genus mus, and we verily believe that if a considerable "mus" is not shortly kicked up among them, the consequences will be

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is that people feel the need of protection by insurance for their loved ones and another is that this new pay as you-go and get-what-you-pay for system, meets that want. Mr. Martin's office is as Huppertz drug store.

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ANOTHER LAUDABLE EFFORT. Petition Praying that San Antonio be

Made a Port of Entry.

The following is the full text of the etition praying that San Antonio be made a port of entry and accorded bonded ware house privileges, as circulated of those strictly identified with the mercantile community only being taken:

Respectfully represent the undersigned Merchants, Mercantile Firms, For-

follows:
With the opening of railroad communication between San Antonio and the

the maintenance of traffic in the productive regions of which she is the natural distributing point.

In this view it is respectfully urged that San Antonio is entitled, both upon principles of right and of wise public economy, to have accorded to her commercial facilities corresponding to those enjoyed by other inland cities occupying positions similar to her own.

Still another consideration having important national aspect, deserves attention, the trade already large and steadily increasing with the Northern States of Maxico—States having relations of peculiar interest, both politically and geographically, as respects the United States—would be greatly benefited by the adoption by Congress of a liberal policy liaving this subject especially in view. In the present condition of thidge, with a disturbed frontier and with the revolutionary situation of affairs in Maxico, the trade with Mexico is subject to embarrassments of a serious character, which a wise government will do everything in its power to overcome. With the adoption of measures to this end it would be difficult to overestimate the advantage to be derived by the United States from the interchange of the pro-

ductsof the two countries and their industrial developments.

A great step will be taken in this direction even by so simple an enactment as that now proposed, when it is possible for the American or Mexican merchant to substitute for the present mecure system, under the restraint of which he is compelled to accumulate his goods always at remote, and often at disturbed stations, that national system by which he will be accorded the facilities of the bonded ware house and the port of entry it is no exaggeration to say that the commercial prosperity of the country will be aggrandized to the extent of millions of dollars in the multiplied forms of productive and industrial wealth which such a result implies.

Fully persuaded that the foregoing representations will command the considerate attention of your Honorable

same to Western Texas in September last San Antonio, Texas. much that they had made all arrange ments to return to their northern hon when Harry, the eldest, was taken fatally

had been a near and dear relative-quietly Solicit Consignments of all kindsof good His remains were brought to San Antonic and taken home by the bereaved brother, who deserves the heartfelt sym

pathies of his every friend and acquain-AUCTION OR PRIVATE SALE. tance in this his hour of sad affliction. Harry Glidden was one of those goodnatured, impetuous young men who are known but to be beloved, and many of our citizens who had become acquainted with him will deeply regret to learn of his 

Our heartfelt sympathics are extended LIVE STOCK. to the afflicted parents and to his noble brother, Wm. M. Glidden, who was untiring in his attentions and unlimited in his affections for poor Harry .

met at Chicago by his father. A Grand Day for the Catholic Church. Great preparations are being made in as a Bishop, which occurs on Sunday next, and in which the Catholics throughout the world will join in celebrating. All the catholic congregrations of this city will join in a street pageant on the occasion

for home with the remains, and will b

The Glidden boys, as they were knows

by the many friends formed by shem dur-

ing their stay in San Antonio and vicinity,

Notice.

The Harmonic Society will hold a regular meeting on Thursday evening, May 31, LIBERAL ADVANCES
MADE ON CONSIGNMENT at Wolfram's Central Garden. All men bers are respectfully requested to attend MARTIN MURNCH,

H. R. WILLER, Secretary. Wanted.

A white female house servant. Apply at 93 and 95 Commerce street, San Ante German preferred.

Patents Issued. Contract for all kinds of Masonry, Ston Paine & Grafton, Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., report the following patents issued to Texas inventors in the

C. V. Dyer, Hallsville, revolving conical mold-boards.

A. E. Ebert, Kaoxville, eigar box.
F. W. Faber, Columbna, vehicle spring. mold-board. F. W. Faber, Columbus, vehicle spring. C. Dobbs and S. L. Robiason, Millwood,

may 2945t Bar Counter for Sale. Intending to put in a new counter, the

DOSCH & RISCHE How Abaurd !

There are persons who send to New York and other places for books, &co., when they can save time and expense by ordering them through JOHN H. COPELAND, At the Public Library.

-Just received, a supply of Wooden Pumps at Geo. White's, 78 and 80 Com Native Pearl Versus Porcelain. Dentist's ware is a poor substitute for Nature's. Let those who so believe use the SOZODONT, which, if daily applied,

will prevent all necessity for false teeth

by keeping the real ones sound an

may 2945t

Dr. Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, warding and Commission Houses, of San
Antonio, that their business interests
would be greatly promoted by the designation of a bonded warehouse system
therein, conformally to the policy already inaugurated by law in other of the
linland cities of the United States.

In support of this proposition many Inland cities of the United States.

In support of this proposition many considerations, both of a local and national character, might be adduced and called to your attention; but your petitioners will refer only to such as are of an obvious and indisputable import, as follows: tive patients, it must do great injury ; fo its tendency is to confine the morbid matgreat centres of trade and commerce of the Atlantic Seaboard, her business is being largely expanded, especially in make a cure impossible. Schenek's Pulmonic Syrup is warranted not to contain a particle of epium, it is composed of pow. erful but harmless herbs, which set on the accumulation of supplies, as well those continuent, whose frontier posts are furnished from the military depotestablished here, as those contributing to the maintenance of traffic in the productive regions of which she is the natural distributing point.

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—It is often remarked by strangersivisiting our State that we show a larger proportion of good horses than any other machine can be furnished. Been State in the Union. This, we tell them,

**AUCTION** 

HOUSE.

Fully persuaded that the loregoing representations will command the considerate attention of your Honorable Bodies, and their prompt and beneficent action in the premises, your petitioners commit the subject to the final disposition of the Congress of the United States.

South Side Military Plaza.

ill with typheid fever. He lived but two weeks, and, en Friday afternoon, surroun-O. PETITPAIN, Auctioneer. ded by strangers and his brotherstrangers who cared for him as though he

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