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It is said a determined effort will be made

THE GREAT STATE OF TEXAS.

in the New York Heroid of October 27, and subsequently in the Dallas Heroid, and which shows the relative areas of the variance of the variance of the Union and many of the countries of Europe. It contains a vanil spin of the law, and a number of bills looking to prospects of the Sierra Mojada are tinted it subsequently in the Dallas Heroid, and unjust, or does not give satisfactory results, that is the proper course to pursue. It remains to be seen, however, whether the encountries of Europe. It contains a vanil spin of the same degree with brighter or starker has a contained to prospect of the Sierra Mojada are tinted it subsequently in the Dallas Heroid, and unjust, or does not give satisfactory results, those who profess to fopecast its future. Each of the Sierra Mojada are tinted it subsequently in the Dallas Heroid, and unjust, or does not give satisfactory results, the subsequently in the Dallas Heroid, and unjust, or does not give satisfactory results, those who profess to fopecast its future. Each of the Union and many of the many subsequently in the Java in the law is some degree with brighter or starker has a unjust, or does not give satisfactory results, that is the proper course to pursue. It reand of valuable information, and every citizen should secure a copy of it. Texas stands proudly at the top of the column, the greatest in area of all the states or countries Some idea of its size by comparison

nay be gleamed from the following Place together in one body all of New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Dele. ed. The court-room was crowded with specware, Maryland, Ohio, Virginia, West Virginia, New Jersey and North Carolina, and jurors, who were robbed of the chance of the state of Texas would cover them all, and rendering a verdic, as the trial developed a have a margin of 7,866 square miles left, enough to make a state larger than Massa-

Texas has an area of 2,671 square miles than England, Ireland Scotland, see; and only lacks 2,547 square miles of interest in the matter. being as large as the Austrian empire, the Notherlands and Switzerland.

tting Alaska, at 3,034,399 square miles.

A surr's crow is not always as agreeable a body as one would like to be quartered with in a small vessel and in mid-ocean, and the to Senator Coke for valuable our of lovely romance so often thrown around a life on the ocean wave and a home on the rolling deep is sometimes dispelled by

con the rolling deep is countitimes dispelled by observences calculated to make hand life more attractive. Take for instance the monthly on heard the frails in back Donovare December 5th, which resulted in the killing of four of the crew. It originated with two Manilina sations who had hiem shipped in Genore. They formed a scheme of nurriering all on beard and securing what treasure was in the vassal. When the held was streak for change of what ho not of the men attacked the main and a children and a scheme the held was streak for change of what ho not of the men attacked the main attacked the main and a stacking those who were sleeping in the forwards. He drove a stilled into the heart of the cook and then that he deep the earlier of the cook and then that he head of the boat awain. Then he ran on deck and atabled the earlier heart of the cook and then that the compained will like its course, the samp of the United the earlier heart of the cook and then that the compained will like its course, the samp of the United the earlier heart of the cook and the state of the cook and the proper way to manage things in connection with the next demonstrate were unceremonically thrown coverboard.

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A var amount of advice is now being given concerning the proper way to manage things in connection with the next democrate and decire the value in the quality rather than quantity of the party, then defeat their candidate or animonity towards

d state, what could a very little well disoted effort on the part of the authorities of this state do for Texas? Texas can offer a score of attraction to where North Caroma can offer one—but the burning question of the state of

Gov. Ganceron's explanation, as published would promote the speedy completion of the San Autonio and Mexican railway. in our telegraphic columns yesterday morning, fails to remove the impression that the

ich man's Eldorado; the man with only pick democratic party to go into the election as democratic party to go into the election as a party and with clean hands. It talks right sensibly when it says: "The time has arrived when policy must be discarded and L. J. D. party and with clean hands. It talks right rived when policy must be discarded and principles adhered to. If the democracy must go down let her go down with flying what we believe to be right, and if we are defeated we will have the consolation of to hoodwink the people, but were beaten

in the Virginia lesislature to wipe the Moffet some weeks, I have deferred this promised les register law from the statute book. Over ter in the hope of being able to write someth The Galveston News of Monday last con-land a chart similar to that which appeared of the law, and a number of bills looking to contries of Europe. It contains a vast emies of the register in this state will pay enough respect to the law to ask its repeal.

Tun first jury composed exclusively of colored men ever empanneled in Ohio was summoned before the Piqua common pleas court December 21st, in the case of Adolphus Hazelwood against Robert Cole, both colortators to watch the behavior of the colored record liable to land the plaintiff in the county jail for perjury, and his counsel withdrew the cause.

Tux Houston Telegram man rejaices the fact that a violent case of insanity has taly and Portugal; or 24,398 square miles recently been caused by the mineral vaters at more than France, Belgium, Denmark and of Luling. He evidently feels a personal made

Our "first of January paper" may be a few days late in making its appearance, but The area of Texas is stated at 274,856 it will be all the better when it does come, so square miles; that of the United States, our patrons will lose nothing by the delay

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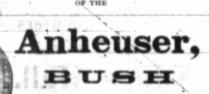
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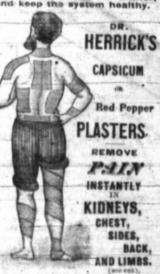
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ried at the Presbyterian character

It is rumored that A is the intention of Mrs. Alice Dutton Atwill to give another of her excellent musical entertainments the lat-ter part of January. Work was commenced yesterday on the uard ditch above the valley ditch. This itch is to carry off surplus water to prevent be regular ditch from washing in during

his large number of entries have already for received for the athletic sports to occur. the springs to-merrow. All who wish to articipate should make the fact known to-

ng the Marbie Heart performance for littel screnade night before last. The cast, so far as the ladies are concerned, sited by the scranaders.

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More which sense the many common sense shows that water coming from a common source unless recklessly polluted is just as good in the ditches as anywhere else, so long as the original source is itself surrounded and impregnated with all that could injure it as it flows through thets.

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THAT BODY.

Mr. H. S. Hastings, of Marion, furnishes Mr. H. B. Hastings, of Marion, furnishes vs with the following minute description of the body feund a few days ago near Marion.

Deceased had dark-brown hair, heautiful and uniform teeth, very light beard and small mustache, was about five feet ten, and might have been from eighteen to twenty-three years of age. He were a good, new bring the property of the proper and uniform teeth, very light been and seall mustache, year about fire feet ten, and might have been from eighteen to twenty three years of age. He wore a good new checked quasimers suit, new underelothing, white socks with border at the top, and a fashionable square-brim hat with two holes on such side. In his pockets were two four blade hnives, both white pearl handles, and one a little larger than the other, some tooth picks, but no money. There was also in his pockets a circular from Joske's clathing store, San Antonio. He wore nest boots, which had recently been half-soled. He had avidently been killed about a month ago. Near his feet was found a fine Smith & Wesson, five-shooter, the contents of one was a similar terms of the resulting year. Near his feet was found a fine Smith & Wesson five-shooter, the contents of one barrel of which had been discharged. He was shot in the left temple, and if he killed himself must therefore have been left-handed. The ball had passed firough his head. No one about Marion remembers ever having seen the man. The remains were placed in a pine coffin and interreducar where they were discovered. Some suppose where they were discovered. Some suppose that the man left the cars at Marion, walked

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Oroelas, award-bearer, P. B. Freer, war-der, G. W. Caldwell, herald, T. J. Moore; third guard, Edward Rische; seengd guard, F. McG. Newton; first guard, John Carlile; sentinel, J. B. Hamilton. After the installa-tion ceremony, the sir knights repaired to the banquet rooms and partook of an elegant

Complimentary Ball.

Mr. Edward Grenet and bride, and Mr. J.
J. Stevens and bride, were last evening tendered a complimentary ball at the casine, which proved to be one of the most elegant affairs of its kind ever given in this city. The attendance of the friends of the parties was very large, and the contumes worn by the ladies generally indicated an unusual display of taste and elegance in their reveni Oax Island, Dec. 29, 1879.

Editors San Antonic Express:

Prof. B. Dillard, a most estimable gentleman from the blue grass region of Kentucky, will open the free school at this place on the first Monday in January. He came here for his behilth and is rapidly improving.

Notwithstanding the chilly winds of Christmas eve, our celebration was a perfect success. The exercises were opened with reading and prayer by our pastor, Rev. H. C.-Liorios. The centre of attraction was the Christmas tree, which was laden with presents for both old and young. Pieces of zusic selected by the choir were most beantifully rendered. Dr. S. M. Applewhite delivered an address, which seemed to please those assembled. A large number of persons were in attendance, and the most hoppy spirit ruled them. The young gentlement and ladies of the Oak Island community are intelligent and most agreeable companions.

ANOTHER BEASON OF TUN.

At a meeting of the athletic club held last evening, it was decided to arrange a prosen and the second of the most inferesting features on this day will be a five mile race, go-as you-please, for which a number have already entered. It is the desire to make the programme as novel as possible, and different from that of the previous meetings. All who desire to participate in the exercises are requested to make their entries with Mr. H. R. Asten, at Gregory & Co.'s.

Chicago Tribune.

It has been a long-time since Chicago gamblers were particularly torn up by a 'big winner,' but just now the fraternity are considerably agriated over a bit of sensation of this sorf, which demonstrates that although a man may have pulled long but truitlussly at the deal-box, his prospects of 'catching on' are no gloomier than those of some of the younger and more sprightly of the fraternity. Every man who makes a practice of 'fighting the tiger'—and there are more in Chicago than a church directory man could point out—knows old George and by the brashed ditcher, which it is to be hoped the city counsel and especially the ingoing alderman will striously counsel are made by the brashed ditcher, which it is to be hoped the city counsel or an boys, call at many have reliable that present a mean that for younself or an early counsel or an boys, call at the city on the city counsel or an boys, call at the city on the city counsel or an early counsel or the city on the city counsel or the city counselous counsel

street and make a not struggle to "west" it.

He dropped into Dowling's, and, as is customary with many, inquired for the proprietor with the view of having him ing in with him. But he could not be found, and so he went it slone. He played glight at first, but the "deal" was against him, and he soon found himself with only \$12.50. He went in about the middle of the nort deal and becan a winner that it less that I. W. Bonnet's. Wagon yard altached. with the thing his way he soon accumulated George wisely pocketed his winnings a few

days ago and left for the west. The banker who wasn't on hand to "go in" with him has kicked himself utill he is as one as Lazarus, and it is deemed probable that some of the weath. Malaga Grapes

They Ron Street Cars

Dr. E. McConkey, Frank Howard, Harry
Joy, W. H. Hunt, John Moffett, P. Clark
and wife, Chicago J. J. Davia, Currie's
attracts insmediate attention, is that horse
creek; F. J. Room, N. Y.; P. D. Hopkins,
ears without horses, loaded with passenger. attracts immediate attention, is that horse cars without horses, loaded with passengers, rapidly ascend the steepest grades of the streets, and descend as quickly, with no perceptible propelling power. The secret of propulsion is revealed by a little investigation. At a central point is a stationary engine, which causes a wire rope to move with rapidity up one side of the street and down the other, the entire length of the road, a distance over these hills of one or two miles. This wire is sunk through a narrow opening about a foot beneath the surface of the ground.

Through the management of a minn at the brake the car is smade to state it little to the wire runs up hilf or down. When a halt is desired the car is unfacened from the orape and the brake the car is unfacened from the rope and the brake steps the car immediately, while the virce run on independently, carrying other cars on the line is desired the car is unfacened from the points up and down the hills.

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points up and down the hills.

These cable car roads have made the high elevations very desirable places of gradence and some of the most charming homes in the oity are located along these lines. The authorities have recently granted franchises for the putting in ad wire cable on several times of railway where cars have hitherto been drawn by horses, demonstrating the superiority of this mass. been drawn by horses, demonstrating the superiority of this means of street ear pro-pulsion on steep grades.

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