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## BUSINESS GUIDE.

**Attorneys.**  
WHEBLEY OGDEN & CHAS. W. OGDEN, Attorneys at Law, San Antonio, Texas. Will give prompt attention to all professional business placed in their hands.

**Notary Public.**  
H. MACDONALD, Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public, Office Soledad street, opposite the Postoffice.

**Architects & Builders.**  
P. PAULY & SONS, Builders and Contractors for all kinds of Mason Work, Stone Cutting, Carpenter work, Paving and Pointing.

**Plumbers & Gas Fitters.**  
J. W. WATSON, Plumber and Gas Fitter, Commercial street, next door below Zerk building. Special attention given to plans and estimates for buildings.

**Barbers-Shops.**  
THOMAS & SMITH, Barbers, Soledad St., next door to the Postoffice. Good for comfort and general conveniences. Unexcelled by any shop in the city.

**Fire Alarms.**  
E. MAURER & SONS, Dealers in Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition, Maps, etc., opposite Schmitt's Hotel.

**Hotels.**  
CENTRAL HOTEL, kept by J. N. Baker, Main Plaza. Renovated recently. Centrally located.

**Meat Market.**  
MORROW HOTEL, Mrs. W. A. Morrow Proprietress, Alamo Plaza, San Antonio, Texas.

**Brackets House.**  
BRACKET HOUSE, Market street, opposite Farmers' Hall. Has a splendid table; many rooms; large stable. Terms moderate.

**Keylocks.**  
P. W. WILKINS, Manufacturer of Gold Chains and Jewelry, and dealer in Watches, Clocks, Silver and Silver plated ware, C. F. KLEIN, Watchmaker and Jeweler, Commerce St., opposite Bennett & Thornton's bank.

**Books & Bro's.**  
No. 11, Main street. Dealers in Watches, Clocks, Silver Table Ware and Spectacles, Fancy Goods, etc.

**Livery Stables.**  
FRANK SCHULZ, proprietor of the Alamo Stable, a first class Livery and Board Stable. Buggies, Ambugines, Horses and Carriages of every description for hire.

**Lumber Yard.**  
F. J. BETTEL & BRO., Flores street. Lumber, Shingles, Joists, Sash & Blinds. Ready made Coffins.

**San Antonio Lumber & Building.**  
San Antonio Lumber & Building, Shingles, doors, Sash, Blinds, Woodware, Lime and Plastering Limes, north of Alamo buildings.

**Merchants.**  
H. AS & OPPENHEIMER, Dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, etc., west every block to corner and see their new goods, all at Reduced Prices.

**L. WOLFSON,** corner Main Plaza and Acquila street. Dealer in general merchandise. Best assortment of boots and shoes in the city.

**Printer & Binder.**  
Main Plaza, San Antonio, Texas. Dry Goods, Clothing, Tents, Hoops, Shoes, Crochery, Blankets, Furniture, Wagons, Harness and Flow Gray Millinery.

**A. GREENE,** Commerce St., opposite Wagner & Hummel. Dealer in Millinery and Fancy Goods. Stamping and Pinking done to order.

**Mrs. A. SCHNEIDER,** dealer in Millinery and Fancy Goods, Threads, etc. Also Mrs. Demostri's Patterns, Commerce St., three doors below Dr. Nettie's drug store.

**Photographers.**  
H. L. RINGHAM, Photographer, 43 Commerce St. All styles of old pictures copied in every finish.

**Painters.**  
C. MULLER'S Paint Shop, Commerce St. opposite Schmitt's Hotel. Painting of every description done in the most workmanlike style—Sign Painting being made a specialty.

**Restaurants.**  
KROTT'S Restaurant, Commerce street, opposite Zerk's building.

**Saloons.**  
E. ZINSEMYER, Dealer in the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars. Has also a Billiard Saloon, attached with the latest style of Improved Tables.

**Wine & Liquor.**  
KRAMER & LITTLE, 1034 Soledad street. Dealers in Wines, Liquors and Cigars kept. Also an assortment of Mexican Liquors, with a fine Reading Room attached.

**Lockwood's Saloon,** open day and night. West side of Main Plaza. Keeps the celebrated "Heritage" Bourbon whiskey and "Hunters" Rye. A large and airy Reading Room attached.

**WALKER'S Saloon,** No. 20, Main street. The best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars always on hand. A spacious and airy reading room for convenience of customers.

**Tailors.**  
A. PANDEY & SON, Merchant Tailors, and dealers in fine ready made Clothing Hats and caps, furnishing goods. Fine shirts a specialty. 303 Soledad St.

**LUDWIG LEISS,** Merchant Tailor, and dealer in Ready-Made Clothing. Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas, opposite "X" Tenger's Book Store.

**V. LOBEL,** Merchant Tailor, Commerce St., nearly opposite Mandelbaum & Frankling. Old clothes made new at moderate prices.

**Tin-Shops.**  
LOUIS LADNER, Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron worker. No. 67 Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas. Sawing, guttering and all work promptly and a neatly done.

**Tobacco & Cigars.**  
C. ROSEY, Tobacconist and manufacturer of Domestic Cigars. Dealer in Pipes and Smokers' Articles, Commerce St., San Antonio, Texas.

**Shoemakers.**  
JOE RECKMANN, Boot and Shoemaker, 37 Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas. Work done according to latest styles and satisfaction guaranteed.

**J. CHAVEZ & SONS,** Boot and Shoe Makers, 1034 Soledad, San Antonio, Texas. J. BRENNEKE, Boot and Shoemaker, Dealer in English and Philadelphia Boots and Shoes. No. 4, Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas.

**U. N. GRAY,** Undertaker, Metallic, Burial Cases and Caskets. Coffins on hand and made to order. Also upholsterer, goods for sale. Franklin Square, next door to San Pedro, opp. Morrow's Soap Factory.

## CITY DIRECTORY.

**Ward No. 1.**  
Jas. H. French, Mayor.  
LADYBEN WARD NO. 1.  
Geo. R. Dashiell, Joseph Sweeney, T. T. E. J. Chavez, Fritz Schreiner, Sam'l S. Smith.

**Ward No. 2.**  
Edward Degener, Ferdinand Hahn, Wm. Prosscott.  
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Thomas Klobbass, S. W. McAllister, Martin Muehler.

**Ward No. 3.**  
T. O. Anderson, Recorder.  
WARD NO. 3.  
G. Robinson, City Attorney; G. Robinson, City Surveyor and Engineer.

**Ward No. 4.**  
Jas. Duffy, Street Commissioner.  
WARD NO. 4.  
Fred Patterson, City Physician; Julius Hoyer, City Collector; Gustav Fraese, City Assessor; J. F. Minter, City Treasurer; John Dobbin, City Marshal; Alvin E. Foster, City Clerk; Theodore Baldwin, City Clerk; J. D. Wittelsch, Ditch Commissioner on East side of the river.

**Ward No. 5.**  
A. Y. Watson, Ditch Commissioner West side of the river.  
WARD NO. 5.  
Robert J. Tool, Market Master West side of the river.

**Ward No. 6.**  
Jas. McSorley, Asst. Market Master East side of the river.  
WARD NO. 6.  
Peter H. Marx, Interpreter and Asst. Clerk in Recorder's Court; C. Lisbach, Messenger for Mayor's Office; Wm. Hoyer, City Assessor.

**Arrival and Departure of Mail.**  
ARRIVAL: REGULAR & LIVERY DEPARTURE: Daily except Sunday. Daily except Sunday by 6 p. m. at 5:30 a. m.

**ADVERTISE.**  
Daily by mail list. Daily at 5:30 a. m. RUTHERLAND SPRINGS & VICTORIA. Tuesday, Thursday, Monday, Wednesday & Saturday 7 a. m. & Friday at 7 a. m. FREDRICKSBURG. Sunday, Tuesday, Monday Thursday & Friday by 6 p. m. Saturday at 7 a. m. EAGLE PASS. Wednesday and Sat. Tuesday and Friday by 6 p. m. at 7:30 a. m. COMBUS CRUISE. Sunday, Friday, Monday, Wednesday & Friday by 6 p. m. & Friday at 6 a. m. LARDO. Sunday & Thursday Monday & Thursday by 6 p. m. at 6 a. m. BEVELL & ROCKPORT. Sunday, Wednesday & Friday, Wednesday & Friday by 12 m. & Friday at 1 p. m. PAJO CANYON. Wednesday & Sat. Monday & Thursday by 6 p. m. at 6 a. m. BANDERA. Tuesday Thursday, Wednesday Saturday, 6 a. m.

**Mail matter for Cuero, Victoria and Laredo is sent via Columbus route on Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 6 a. m. Mails for Loring and Austin stages close at 9 o'clock p. m. S. P. GAMBIA, Postmaster.**

## BUCKINGHAM'S DYE.

FOR THE WHISKERS. As our Renewer in many cases requires too long a time, and too much care, to restore gray or faded Whiskers, we have prepared this dye, in one preparation; which will quickly and effectually accomplish this result. It is easily applied, and produces a color which will neither rub nor wash off. Sold by all Druggists. Price Fifty Cents. Manufactured by R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N.H.

## A FORTUNE FOR \$1.

LEGALLY AUTHORIZED. Texas Gift Concert Association, OF DENISON, TEXAS, WILL GIVE A SECOND GRAND GIFT CONCERT, SEPTE 22, 1875. First Capital Gift, \$50,000 Second " 25,000 Besides Gifts in proportion amounting in all to \$250,000 Lowest Gift to a Whole Ticket \$50. Price of a whole ticket, \$5, which consists of five \$1 Coupons. COUPON TICKETS \$1, which will entitle the holder to admission to the Grand Concert, and to one-fifth of whatever gift may be awarded to the whole ticket number. Reside outside agents wanted. All orders for tickets sent direct promptly filled. Circulars, Papers, etc., giving full particulars, sent free. In writing, be sure and give your name, town, county and State in full. Orders for tickets amounting to \$5 and upwards sent C. O. D., if desired. Address all communications and make all remittances of money to S. P. COLLINS, Sect'y Denison, Texas.

## DR. C. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED AMERICAN WORM SPECIFIC, OR VERMIFUGE.

SYMPTOMS OF WORMS. The countenance is pale and flushed-colored, with occasional flashes of a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils dilate; an azure semicircle runs along the lower eyelid; the nose is irritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; slimy or foetid breath; very hot, particularly in the morning; specific variable, sometimes voracious, with a gnawing sensation of the stomach, at others, entirely gone; fecal pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels irregular, at times constive; stools slimy, not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hicough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; easy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but generally irritable, etc. Whenever the above symptoms are found to exist, Dr. C. M'LANE'S VERMIFUGE Will certainly effect a cure. The universal success which has attended the administration of this preparation has been such as to warrant us in pledging ourselves to the public to RETURN THE MONEY in every instance where it should prove ineffectual; "providing the symptoms attending the sickness of the child or adult should warrant the supposition of worms being the cause." In all cases the Medicine to be given in STRICT ACCORDANCE with the DIRECTIONS. We pledge ourselves to the public, that Dr. C. M'LANE'S Vermifuge DOES NOT CONTAIN MERCURY in any form; and that it is an innocent preparation, not capable of doing the slightest injury to the most tender infant. Address all orders to FLEMING BROS., PITTSBURGH, PA. P. S. Dealers and Physicians ordering from others than Fleming Bros., will do well to warn their orders distinctly, and take care that they are prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh. To those who wish to give their children the best for small, best paid in any part of the United States, one box of Fleming Bros. Vermifuge, three cent postage stamp, or one full box of Vermifuge, for three cent postage stamp. All orders from Canada will be accompanied by twenty cent extra. Keep for sale by Druggists and Country Store Agents generally.

## HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR REGENERATOR.

Every year increases the popularity of this valuable Hair Preparation; which is due to merit alone. We can assure our old patrons that it is kept fully up to its high standard; and it is the only reliable and perfect preparation for restoring GRAY or FADED HAIR to its youthful color, making it soft, lustrous, and silken. The scalp, by its use, becomes white and clean. It removes all eruptions and dandruff. And by its tonic properties, it stimulates the hair from falling out, as it prevents and nourishes the hair-glands. By its use, the hair grows thicker and stronger. In baldness, it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, and will create a new growth, except in extreme old age. It is the most economical Hair Dressing ever used, as it requires fewer applications, and gives the hair a splendid, glossy appearance. A. A. Hayes, M.D., State Assessor of Massachusetts, says: "The constituents are pure, and carefully selected for excellent quality; and I consider it the Best Preparation for its intended purpose." Sold by all Druggists, and Dealers in Medicines. Price One Dollar.

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## FOUND CHILD MEDICAL INSTITUTE.

No. 614 N. 10th St., St. Louis, Mo. For a copy of our Circulars, Papers, etc., giving full particulars, sent free. In writing, be sure and give your name, town, county and State in full. Orders for tickets amounting to \$5 and upwards sent C. O. D., if desired. Address all communications and make all remittances of money to S. P. COLLINS, Sect'y Denison, Texas.

## BY POWERS of Attorney, I have this day appointed J. Ulrich Agent for the management of affairs of the Estate of Nat. Lewis, deceased.

H. SIEBENMANN, Sole Executor of Estate of Nat. Lewis San Antonio, July 10th 1875. 7-2531/2m

## H. SIEBENMANN, BOOKBINDER.

Will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of bindings for Books in every style. Orders from outside promptly attended to. H. SIEBENMANN, 21-1-Afortin San Antonio Texas P. O.

## LIVERY STABLE.

Having taken the old stable by the iron bridge on Houston Street, I offer and will endeavor to merit patronage in a Feed, Sleigh and Livery Business, and have now on hand a nice lot of elegant light Livery. See Antonio, July 1, 1875. 1-7-44 B. B. SAPPINGTON.

## NOTICE.

We have now on hand and for sale 500 lbs. of EL PASO UNION SEED of 1875 crop. S. SCHUTZ & BRO., 8-23-75 opp. EL PASO, TEXAS.

## AGENTS WANTED FOR THE BEST, CHEAPEST AND FASTEST SELLING BIBLE EVER PUBLISHED.

Send for our entire terms to Agents. NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

## VINEGAR BITTERS.

Grateful Thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most wonderful invigorant that ever sustained the sinking system. No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and vital organs wasted beyond repair. Bilious, Remittent, and Intermittent Fevers, which are so prevalent in the valleys of our great rivers throughout the United States, especially those of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Tennessee, Kentucky, Cumberland, Arkansas, Red, Colorado, Brazos, Rio Grande, Pearl, Alabama, Mobile, Savannah, Roanoke, James, and many others, with their vast tributaries, throughout our entire country during the Summer and Autumn, and remarkably so during seasons of unusual heat and dryness, are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach and liver, and other abdominal viscera. In their treatment, a purgative, exerting a powerful influence upon these various organs, is essentially necessary. There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to Dr. J. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, as they will speedily remove the dark-colored viscid matter which the bowels are loaded, at the same time stimulating the secretions of the liver, and generally restoring the healthy functions of the digestive organs. Fortify the body against disease by purifying all its fluids with VINEGAR BITTERS. No epidemic can take hold of a system thus fortified. Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Bowels, Constipation, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the Region of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offerings of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a King's Evil of its kind. 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The Democrats of Pennsylvania, as well as those of Ohio, are opposed to the assumption of specie payment. They will be beaten in both States, and the Republicans will elect the President in 1876.

WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY, at Lexington, Virginia, became renowned under the Presidency of the immortal Gen. Robert E. Lee, who devoted himself to the education of the young men of the South as soon as the war was over.

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STOCKMEN.—We notice the presence in our city of a great number of gentlemen engaged in the stock-raising business. They come from all the counties West, South, and East of San Antonio—Uvalde, Bandera, Bee, Atascosa, San Patricio, Live Oak, Goliad, Karnes, Gonzales, and other counties.

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Judge Ireland.

It is stated by the Austin Times, which paper seems to aspire to the honor of being "considered Judge Ireland's organ," that he has only accepted the Supreme Judgeship, "temporarily."

Either Judge Ireland is very unwise, or his self-constituted organ is very foolish. The people of Texas cannot afford to have the Supreme Bench of the State, which really fixes the law of the State, and determines upon the rights, liberties, and interests of the people, made a mere stepping-stone of personal ambition—a certificate of sick leave of absence for a tired or disabled politician—a mere card in the "hands" of political gamblers, as they shake, deal, and play for place, pelf, and power.

We have always heretofore been in favor of the appointment of all the Judges by the Executive and their confirmation by the Senate. But since the important and sacred functions and honors of the judiciary, the last resort of the people for right and justice, are being made, by Congress and their advisers, the rewards for personal or party service, or used as a sort of bribe to neutralize opposition, we feel more like trusting the honest and unbiassed instincts of the people than the selfish and tortuous policy of gambling politicians and ambitious officials.

Mr. Weaver, a resolution, that in all civil cases a majority verdict shall decide the issue. Mr. Wade, a resolution, that the lands heretofore set apart for school purposes be utilized under a proper system of lease, which will raise a distributive fund for the support of free public schools; and that the title to said land never be permitted to pass from the State.

THE CONVENTION.

AUSTIN, September 13, 1875.

The President announced the following as a standing committee for the purpose of dividing the State into judicial districts: First District—Norvell; Second, Blake; Third, Nunn; Fourth, Reagan; Fifth, Russell; Sixth, Henry of Smith; Seventh, Crawford; Eighth, DeMorse; Ninth, Martin of Navarro, Tenth, Martin of Hunt; Eleventh, Wright; Twelfth, Flournoy; Thirteenth, Davis of Wharton; Fourteenth, Cline; Fifteenth, Brady; Sixteenth, Leekett; Seventeenth, Smith; Eighteenth, Lacy; Nineteenth, Fleming; Twentieth, Ferris; Twenty-first, Johnston of Collin; Twenty-second, Holmes; Twenty-third, Nugent; Twenty-fourth, Stockdale; Twenty-fifth, McCormick; Twenty-sixth, Moore; Twenty-seventh, Cook of Gonzales; Twenty-eighth, West; Twenty-ninth, King; Thirtieth, Murphy; with McCormick as chairman of the committee.

Mr. Waelder, a communication on the question of suffrage. Referred.

Mr. Ford, for the Committee on State Affairs, reported favorably on the resolution making the Constitution of 1845 the basis of the new Constitution.

Mr. Stockdale moved to suspend the rule requiring the printing of all resolutions, and ask on it now.

Mr. McCormick was opposed to the motion, and claimed that it was a bad precedent—that every rule of this Convention should be strictly enforced.

Mr. Dohony also opposed the motion, and desired that this Convention "go slow," and do their work well.

Mr. Russell favored the motion on the ground that it would expedite business.

Mr. Weaver was in favor of the motion. He said he was no old fogey, desiring the Constitution of 1845 in toto, but was in favor of making the fundamental principles thereof the basis of the action of this Convention, with such necessary changes as the times demand.

Mr. Stockdale withdrew the motion.

Mr. Ford, for the Committee on State Affairs, made a report, recommending that a tax be levied for road purposes, but that all citizens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five, be made to work on the said road.

PRINTING INDEBTED SETTLED. Mr. Cook, for the Printing Committee, reported as follows:

Your Committee on Printing and Conjoint Expenses, deem that the bid made by the Galveston News—to print the journals of the Convention, 500 copies, at one-sixth of a cent per page, the lowest bid. The publishers of the Galveston News also propose to print the Constitution, pamphlet form, 20,000 copies, at three and seven-twentieths of a cent per copy, regardless of number of pages. This we also deem the lowest and best bid.

The publishers of the Evening News propose to print such matter as may be required for the use of delegates, in bill form, at two cents per page, and this the committee consider the lowest and best bid for the class of work.

The publisher of the Evening News further proposes, that, in the event of the Convention employing a stenographic reporter of the proceedings of the Convention, to print such proceedings at one cent per page, which we deem the lowest and best bidder for that class of work.

Mr. Reagan, a resolution, that all fees, penalties, forfeitures and escheats which have accrued in the Republic and State of Texas, shall accrue to the State of Texas, and that the Legislature provide a method for determining what lands have been forfeited or escheated. Also, that, whereas, after the lapse of forty years, persons, including non-residents of the State and aliens, are still depositors in the Land Office, and causing to be re-leased in the several counties of this State grants and titles, or pretended grants and titles, to lands, which had their origin prior to the declaration of the independence of the Republic of Texas; therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on General Provisions inquire into the expediency of incorporating in the Constitution a declaration that no grant, title, bond, contract or other evidence or right to or interest in land having its origin on, or being dated before March 2, 1836, which has not heretofore been deposited in the General Land Office, or recorded in the proper county, shall, after the adoption of this Constitution, be deposited in the General Land Office, or recorded in any county in this State, or used as evidence in any of the courts of the State.

Mr. Johnson of Franklin, a resolution, that the Legislature shall pass a law, that, whenever a number of citizens require by the county court shall order an election to determine whether spirituous liquors shall be sold in the county, or any portion of it.

Mr. Lynch, a resolution that the Comptroller be authorized and instructed to invest all funds belonging to common schools, now in United States bonds, \$5,000,000, with the amount of such on hand, into bonds of the State of Texas; and this amount, when realized to be held as a sacred fund.

Mr. Fleming a resolution that all lands shall be assessed for taxation, and taxes paid in the county where said assessment is made; that lands not rendered for assessment shall be assessed by the proper officer, and in no case at less than one dollar per acre; taxes due on land shall constitute a special lien thereon; that the Legislature shall provide for the summary collection of all taxes, and that as many tracts or parcels of land as can be conveniently embraced in one suit, may be proceeded against in one action, separate judgments being rendered against each tract; one writ shall issue in each suit or action, and shall be published at least four weeks prior to the day on which the court commences; no judgment or sale under the proceedings to be held invalid because of any irregularity in the proceedings, and the deed made shall be a perfect title, to be impeached only for actual fraud or a want of the jurisdiction in the court rendering the judgment; provided, the former owner shall, within two years from the date of said deed, have the right to redeem the land upon payment to the purchaser of eight times the amount of money paid for the land; the owner or bona fide claimant of the land thus proceeded against shall, before final judgment is rendered, have the right to make himself a party to the suit and make defense, and in that case the court may allow severance and separate trial; lands in unorganized counties to be proceeded against in counties to which such unorganized counties are attached for judicial purposes.

Mr. Cook of Gonzales a resolution that no one be permitted to sit as a juror who is under indictment, or who has been tried for a similar offense.

Mr. Paoli a resolution that no law shall be passed enforcing the observance of Sunday to such an extent as to make the same burdensome and oppressive to the mental and social liberty of any one, or any class of moral, peaceable and law-abiding citizens.

Mr. McCormick a resolution that no railroad corporation in existence at the time of the adoption of this Constitution shall have the benefit of any future legislation, except on the condition of a complete acceptance of all the provisions of this Constitution, applicable to railroads; and in case any railroad corporation shall refuse to accede to the provisions of this Constitution applicable to railroads, within thirty days after the adoption thereof by the people, the Governor shall proceed at once to collect from all such corporations all moneys loaned them by the State out of the school fund or other funds of this State.

Mr. McKinney a resolution that all lands heretofore granted to counties for school purposes shall remain a vested right in those counties, and the county court can loan moneys arising therefrom by requiring a lien on unencumbered real estate of double the amount loaned, with personal security; the interest arising therefrom shall be an available school fund, belonging to the respective counties to which said land was originally donated, and may be annually expended for the benefit and support of public free schools in said county.

Mr. Gatter a resolution that the Judiciary Committee be instructed to inquire into the propriety of restricting the number of jurors to six.

Mr. Holmes, a resolution that the Legislature shall have no power to extend the time for the completion of a contract to any railroad, corporation or manufacturing establishment contrary to the terms of the charter granted to the same.

Mr. Whitfield, a resolution that the Superintendent of Public Instruction be requested to furnish the Convention the scholastic population of the State, the amount of money distributed per capita for the year 1875, and the amount of money required to maintain public free schools for four months in each year, and the amount due teachers for services already performed.

Mr. Russell of Harrison, a resolution that there shall be a board of equalization, consisting of the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer, whose duty it shall be to adjust and equalize the valuation of real and personal property among the several counties.

Mr. Brew, a number of sections, among them the following: "That all existing charters or grants of special or exclusive privileges, under which a bona fide organization shall not have taken place, and business been commenced in good faith, at the adoption of this Constitution, shall thereafter have no validity."

Mr. Robertson, a resolution, that the salary of the Governor shall be four thousand dollars; Comptroller of the General Land Office, Comptroller and Secretary of State, a salary of three thousand dollars each; Attorney-General, two thousand dollars; with such fees as may be allowed by law; Superintendent of Lunatic, Blind, and Deaf and Dumb Asylums, twenty-five hundred dollars.

Mr. Russell of Harrison, a resolution, that the Legislature shall provide for the publication of all forest laws decreed by any court, in some newspaper which will give the greatest publicity to the same in the county where the property is sold.

Mr. Wade, a resolution, that the Legislature, at its first session, shall repeal all superfluous laws, revise, condense, and provide for the speedy digestion of the laws of the State, and that this shall be done every tenth year thereafter; that a copy of the laws thus revised and digested, shall be furnished to one voter in every ten, said voter to be selected or appointed by the County Court of each county.

Mr. Allison, a resolution, that the Judiciary Committee inquire into the expediency of declaring theft a felony, only when the amount stolen exceeds—dollars; also, by same, that owing to the

great and increasing costs and expenses of district courts, that the Committee on Judiciary inquire into the expediency of enlarging the jurisdiction of justices of the peace, in certain cases, and, also, in criminal cases not amounting to felony.

Mr. Flounoy, a resolution that the maximum rates for freight and passage on all railroads now in operation, or hereafter in operation, shall be at the rate of five dollars per ton for every hundred miles for freight, and for passengers three cents per mile; the Legislature cannot allow any more than this, but can lessen the rates within ninety days after the acceptance of the Constitution; all roads now in operation shall file with the Secretary of State their acceptance of the above named rates; and if any company fail to do so, then the Legislature shall never grant any relief, aid or assistance, in any form, to said company; nevertheless, said road shall be subject to civil remedies, and the officers, agents and employees subject to the prosecutions hereinafter contemplated; that the Legislature shall, at its first session after the adoption of this Constitution, pass laws providing for the punishment, criminally, of any officer, agent or employee of any railroad company who shall receive or demand, in any manner whatsoever, a larger sum or compensation for freight or passage than that fixed as above stated, or that may hereafter be fixed by the Legislature; and in addition to the usual oath administered to members of the Legislature each one shall be required to swear that he will, while a member of the Legislature, faithfully endeavor to provide for the strict enforcement of the above named articles.

The President appointed the following standing committee on ordinances: Messrs. Stockdale, State, Wade, Brown, Cooke of San Saba, Smith and Davis.

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