

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

THE MERRY TURKS.

PROCLAMATION No. II.

To our noble and faithful subject, the Pasha of our loyal imperial capital San Antonio, James H. French, GREETING:

1. Know you faithful subject that we hereby command you to be at your office on the 9th day of February A. D. 1875, at 4 o'clock P. M., to receive our royal self—and be in readiness to turn over the keys of this our imperial capital to His Highness, Mufi, our grand Vizier, and also do you hold yourself in readiness to follow us in our merry tour of inspection of our capital, thereby showing your loyalty to our majesty.

2. It is also our pleasure that you order your faithful and loyal subjects to accompany us in our merry tour through our capital, that they may show their great respect and loyalty to our majesty.

3. Remember that it is our express pleasure that you order our loyal citizens and merchants that they do close their business from the hour of 11 o'clock until the setting of the sun on the 9th day of February, and that they do appear on the line of our merry march, which will be duly heralded by our imperial heralds, to show their loyalty to our imperial majesty.

4. Fail not most faithful Caliph to obey these (inspired) orders, for if our greatest displeasure, the bastinado and the red cord.

Mohamed is great and Mustapha is his Prophet.

Given under our hand and the seal of the Crescent this 25th day of January, 1875.

By His Majesty Himself,
MUSTAFA, Sultan.

Attest: MUFTI, Grand Vizier.

Use Clavin's Wild Cherry and Squills for all diseases of the throat and lungs. For sale by J. CLAVIN and A. DREISS.

The young ladies of St. Mark's Sunday school will give a musical entertainment and refreshments at the Alamo Literary Hall on Tuesday next, February 9, 1875, at 8 o'clock, P. M. Tickets only 50 cts.

Above we give notice of a coming entertainment that should be encouraged by all good persons.

Several of those who take part in it are such splendid musicians that it alone will be a sufficient reward for the price of the tickets. There will appear also some of the prettiest girls of San Antonio, and when that is said, it is saying much for San Antonio is the queen of Western Texas, she can boast that her girls so far as beauty is concerned are no longer to be challenged comparison with the beauty of any place in Texas. So the lover of the musical and of the esthetic should go far apart from all these motives, there is no higher duty, no more laudable enterprise than the education of the young, and as the Sunday School often reaches those who have no other opportunities for instruction, let them be always encouraged.

Stop that cough by using CLAVIN'S WILD CHERRY AND SQUILLS. For sale by J. CLAVIN and A. DREISS.

The Merry Turks
THE CARNIVAL.

"Dulce est dampere in Loco"
"There is nothing like having fun at the proper time."

Tuesday, the 9th day of February next will be a scene of unusual fun and entertainment. The large majority of the merchants not only approve of the movement, but have substantially endorsed it. The committee of arrangements and the finance committee have been hard at work all this week and with much success. The Carnival will be a grand affair, and we can promise that if they come to San Antonio on Thursday they will enjoy themselves more than they have in the last twenty years in the same space of time.

The proposition will be held for as long as the one last voted. Mr. H. Karler has kindly consented to answer any pertinent questions in regard to the matter. So those who desire to take part, or to know "what is what" will apply to him.

FLANNERY and Merino, Under West and a good stock of first class furnishings, goods at PANCOAST & SON.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The following officers were elected to constitute the Board of Directors of the Fire Department of San Antonio for the ensuing year:

J. H. Kampmann, Chief.
Hans Degener, Asst. Chief.
G. A. Duerler, Treasurer.
L. Huth, Jr., Secretary.

DIRECTORS FOR FIRE CO. No. 1.
E. Zinsmeyer, N. J. Cosgrove, and Erich Menger.

DIRECTORS FOR CO. No. 2.
F. Hahn, C. L. Wierbach, and H. W. Bitters.

DIRECTORS FOR CO. No. 3.
Joe W. Smith, Ralph Booker, and Wm. Smith.

DIRECTORS FOR TURNER H. & L. CO.
G. A. Duerler, H. Schaefer, and Louis Huth, Jr.

Official:
LOUIS HUTH, JR.
Secretary F. D. S. A.

January 25, 1875.

A lot of choice HATS, of the very latest style, just received at PANCOAST & SON, Nov. 4th, 1874.

Manager Hotel Arrivals.

Emil Wagner, Fredericksburg; C. L. Freeman, St. Louis; W. H. Shears, Luling; Geo. W. Bayler, Texas; R. R. Robertson, Austin; J. W. Smith, St. Louis; J. O. Baker, St. Louis; G. A. Duerler, Commingville; H. A. Burdett, Eagle Pass; E. R. Spencer, Frio County.

PANCOAST & SON keep up with all the latest styles for their CUSTOMERS. Keep first class goods and do not miss work. Give them a call.

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS USE CLAVIN'S WILD-CHERRY AND SQUILLS. For sale by J. Clavin and A. Dreiss.

Small notice: J. Clavin and A. Dreiss.

BY TELEGRAPH.

News Press.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—A motion for the withdrawal of all Constitutional bills was defeated.

A motion is now pending which provides that the Government shall consist of Senate Chamber, Deputies and President. Republican Louis Blanc opposed the creation of the Presidency, which has been fatal to the Republic in 1848. The votes are to be taken today.

CHARLESTON, W. V., Jan. 29.—Democrat. Canons. Result of Ballot: Camden, 27; Walker, 21; Branch, 14; others scattering. The friends of the leading candidate are firm.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—The last ballot shows no change.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—The ice broke; the steamers escaped, but 40 barges were lost. Value of coal lost \$50,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—A large meeting of merchants and bankers passed resolutions for the establishment of a mint here.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 29.—Queenstown, from Orleans, is here, looking. The bark Aurora, previously reported, was abandoned; 5 of her crew landed at Palmouth.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Cotton Liverpool, Upland, 7 3/4; New York, 7 1/2.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Gold 138.

Cotton—firm, upland 14, Orleans 15 1/2.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The Committee on Ways and Means agreed upon a bill to reimburse "Branch, Summers & Co. for overcharges on imported sugars of some \$60,000.

SENATE.—Frederickson presented a memorial from the citizens of Georgia, asking an appropriation by Congress to aid the colored people who wish to migrate to Liberia. It was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Cannecus this morning over Louisiana; no result. Will meet again this P. M.

HOUSTON, Jan. 29.—The Railroad Committee of the Senate had no quorum; meets Monday, when it is expected will report favorably on Scott's bill.

SOMETHING nice in Black Cloth Suits at PANCOAST & SON.

CONSUMPTIVES, TAKE NOTICE.—Every moment of delay makes your cure hopeless, and much depends on the judicious choice of a remedy. The amount of testimony in favor of Dr. Schenk's Pulmonic Syrup, as a cure for consumption, far exceeds all that can be brought to support the pretensions of any other medicine. See Dr. Schenk's Almanac, containing the certificates of many persons of the highest respectability, who have been restored to health, after being pronounced incurable by physicians of acknowledged ability. When, as in the case of Hostetter's Bitters, many of these evidences will show; but the cure is often promoted by the employment of two other remedies which Dr. Schenk provides for the purpose. These additional remedies are Schenk's Sea Weed Tonic and Mandrake Pills. By the timely use of these medicines, according to directions, Dr. Schenk certifies that most any case of consumption may be cured.

Dr. Schenk is professional at his principal office, Corner Sixth and Arch Sts., Philadelphia, every Monday, where all letters for advice may be addressed.

Healthful stimulation, provided they are absolutely pure, are among the most useful medicinal agents employed by physicians. When the action of the system is lowered by the depressing influence of disease, or there is an inherent want of vigor in the constitution, they serve to counteract weakening tendencies, and cheer the mind of the desponding invalid. But when, as in the case of Hostetter's Bitters, they possess tonic and alternative properties, their effects are rendered permanent, and they accomplish a truly beneficial result. The Bitters not only relieve nervous debility and mental depression by their healthful stimulative action, but infuse abiding vigor into the depleted system, and restore the real cause of weakness. The purity and the wholesomeness of the medicinal basis of the Bitters greatly increase the efficacy of their tonic and healthful properties, and the completeness of their curative effects sufficiently demonstrates.

Brightly Breaks the Morning of a new era in the annals of medicine. Alcohol will soon be banished from the list of remedies, and only known as poison. Dr. J. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA WINE-OR BITTERS, composed entirely of wholesome tonic extracts and juices, set everywhere spreading the fiery antidote, which no man or woman ever yet took without bitterly repenting their credulity. There is no disease, acute or chronic, in which the new tonic may not be administered with beneficial effect.

See advertisement of Foster's Second Texas Gold and Land Distribution.

We call attention to the advertisement of the Texas Gold and Land Association of Austin in our column, which is now fully under way. Capital is selling rapidly throughout the United States. This Association is endorsed by the leading citizens of Northern Texas, and we recommend all those who desire to invest in an enterprise of the kind to do so at once and secure the \$50,000 prize.

It is useless to attempt to cleanse a system while the fountain is impure. Dyspepsia, complaints of the liver or kidneys, eruptions of the skin, scrofula, headaches, and all diseases arising from impure blood are well remedied by Dr. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA WINE-OR BITTERS, purifier of the blood, and renovator of the system. It is sold everywhere.

FITS CURED FREE.

Any person suffering from the above disease is requested to address DR. PRICE, and a trial bottle of medicine will be forwarded by Express.

FREE!

The only cost being the Express charges which owing to my large business, are made by the use of my remedy.

Do not fail to send to him for a trial bottle, containing medicine, and be cured.

WILL CURE YOU, no matter how long standing, your case may be, or how many other remedies may have failed.

Circulars and testimonials sent with FREE TRIAL BOTTLE.

Be particular to give your Express, as well as your Post Office direction, and Address.

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Comments.—Having from our long acquaintance with J. S. Foster, every confidence in his integrity, we feel justified in saying we believe he will carry out his distribution honestly and fairly.

That old and reliable paper, the Houston Telegraph, which fairly confounds to notice individual enterprises, says of the First Drawing:

"Not even the most captious and suspicious person could take exceptions to the manner of the drawing. It was fair, honorable and quick."

and records were of our very best title, and kindly gave their time and labor to the superintendence of the drawing, or rather did the actual work of it.

"Capt. Foster has acted honorably and fairly throughout the whole management of this enterprise. While some money has been made by the success of all parties, yet the property given as prizes has only cost a fair price, and the profit is only an exchange of the property for cash."

That standard democratic paper, the Houston Age, has the following:

"THE COMMITTEE of gentlemen was one of the best that could have been selected by the audience; Hon. D. V. Bassie, who supervised the drawing, is our present representative, and one of the most popular men in the district."

THE DRAWING was presided over by Capt. Foster, of the inside auditor. This was well received and understood, precisely as explained by the clerks. Capt. Foster said that while he wished all his home good luck, yet he was not at all anxious that they might come to a free country, and make a white man's living. This sentiment was received with loud cheers.

"The drawing was the best we have ever seen, and the results are announced elsewhere."

No connection with the Deacons, Hagley & Lockart, or any other similar enterprise.

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