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Tenders his services to those citizens of San Antonio who wish to have medicine administered according to the Homoeopathic Law of cure.
Office on Main street, two doors west of Post-Office.

NOTICE.

HAVING been educated as Midwife in Germany, and having done business as such with good success for long years, I solicit the patronage of the public of San Antonio and its neighborhood, and promise to justify the confidence which the public may place in me.
My residence is Alamo street, near Feldmann's Bakery.

MARY KLAEBE.
San Antonio, August 30, 1866. no49-1f

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Residence, Main Avenue, opposite house of Mr. William Elliot. 6-ly.

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office—Congress Avenue,
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JESSE STANCEL,
Attorney & Counselor at Law,
GALVESTON, TEXAS.
Formerly in New York City.
May 17, 1866. no3Hy

FOCKE & WILKINS,
COTTON FACTORS.

General Commission Merchants,
COLUMBIA, Pa., Aug. 24, 1867.
Exchange on New Orleans New York
London, and Hamburg. jan8ly

LEIGH & DITTMAR,
LAWYERS,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
OFFICE FRENCH'S BUILDING, ROOM NO. 13.
147d-wif

NEWTON & PIQUE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
414-3m-wif SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

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INGRAM HOUSE,
VICTORIA, TEXAS.
WILLIAM J. NEELY, Proprietor.
This House is refurbished and opened for the public. Good Stabling on the premises. jy23d-kw3m

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Galveston, Texas.
M. F. THOMPSON,
Proprietor.
146-ly

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FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENT!
Mrs. Kloepfer calls the attention of her friends to the extra facilities for travelers with teams. Attached to her house is a spacious yard fronting on the river, where any quantity of stock can be secured.
Commerce street, San Antonio. ditf

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CASTROVILLE, TEXAS.
The above named well-known Hotel is open for the accommodation of the traveling or pleasure-seeking Public. The arrangements are complete throughout, and no pains are spared to make guests comfortable. To those who seek a quiet and elegant home in the country, this Hotel will suit them to a charm, and for comfort and cheapness it has no rival in the State. V. TARDE.
1211f

CITY HOTEL,
G. STEVES, PROPRIETOR,
Indianola, --- TEXAS.
Connected with the establishment is a superior Soda Water Fountain and Ice-Cream Saloon. Ladies' patronage respectfully solicited. jy2d-wly

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County Clerk Bexar county, and ex officio Public, keeps on hand Blank Deeds, Oaths, &c., for gratuitous distribution in any county.
Instruments of Writing drawn and acknowledged taken on liberal terms. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
Will also prepare Proposals to the U. S. Quartermaster for Contracts; he keeps on hand printed forms, etc.
He can be found at the County Clerk's Office, Military Plaza, San Antonio, Texas.

LIVERY STABLE.
The undersigned gives notice to the public that he is prepared to board and livery horses at his stable by Market Street, formerly known as the "Texas" or "Braden's Stable." This stable is the best situated for the comfort and health of animals of any in the city, with plenty of lot room to turn them in and every accommodation. The public are respectfully invited to give him a call.
R. W. BULLARD.
San Antonio, June 17, 1867. n152f

Business Cards.

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Glassware, Mouldings,
Fancy Goods, Pictures, Pipes,
Stationery, Brushes, Music,
NEWSPAPER AGENTS,
Commerce Street,
at R. E. Sampson's old stand,
SAN ANTONIO.
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Chrysler & Anderson,
Manufacturers and Dealers in all kinds of
CABINET FURNITURE,
AND
House Furnishing Goods,
FRENCH'S BUILDING,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
CASH paid for WOOL and HIDES.
March 26th 1867. 604f

DRESEL & BRIAN,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS
Dry-Goods and Groceries,
HATS,
SHOES,
CROCKERY,
NOTIONS.
San Antonio, April 24, 1867. 1124f

PHILIP CONRAD,
Dealer in all kinds of FURNITURE
and House Furnishing Goods, Mattress
Maker and Upholsterer,
MAIN STREET,
Opposite Zook & Griesenbeck.
Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of Mattresses; and offers his services for repairing furniture, paper hanging, curtain-hanging, and carpeting.
San Antonio, May 6th. 61y

W. A. BENNETT,
Banker,
Dealer in Exchange and Government Securities,
San Antonio.
Will pay particular attention to the collection of Claims at all accessible points in Texas. dawif

BURTIS & FRENCH,
Importers and Jobbers of
CROCKERY,
CHINA AND GLASS WARE,
No. 12 Barclay street,
(Four doors below Astor House.)
New York. je28ly.

J. S. Lockwood,
BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,
on Commerce street,
opposite Bell & Brox. Jewelry store,
San Antonio.
Currency and Exchange bought and sold; Collections made on all accessible points. 80 1f

CONKLIN & DAVIS,
SUCCESSORS TO
J. CONKLIN & CO.,
GROCERS,
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 91 Front street,
New York. je28

W. WESTHOFF & CO.,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,
Wholesale Grocers,
Forwarding and Commission Merchants
And Dealers in Hardware.
Liberal advances made on consignments of Country Produce. 119

SCHMITZ & VOIGT,
GENERAL
Commission Merchants,
Handley's Building, 81 Pine Street,
GALVESTON. NEW YORK
August 23. [no48-ly.]

WULF & SHELIG,
Importers
---AND---
General Commercial Agents,
CHICAGO, SAN ANTONIO,
Mexico, Texas,
je28 cor, Alamo & North streets.

HANCOCK & WALKER,
Commission & Forwarding Merchants,
No. 208 South Levee,
ST. LOUIS, MO. 36w

FRANK NEWTON,
DEALER IN
STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES,
AND COUNTRY PRODUCE,
SOLEDAO STREET,
Keeps constantly on hand and receiving
FRESH FAMILY SUPPLIES,
of all kinds, and at reasonable rates. 26wif.

Business Cards.

J. H. FRENCH & CO.,
Commission and Exchange Brokers,
North Side Commerce Street,
San Antonio, TEXAS.

J. E. COWEN,
IMPORTER AND JOBBER
OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS, SHOES AND HATS,
446 HUTCHIN'S BUILDING, FRANKLIN ST
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
Particular attention to filling orders, accompanied by cash or produce. 1284f

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Commission Merchants,
AND DEALERS IN
Hides, Wool, &c.,
LAVACA, TEXAS.

KRAUDEL & POSERT,
Confectionery
On Commerce St. opposite Nettle's Drug store.
Weddings, Balls, and Parties, furnished with the finest Cakes, on short notice.
Pyramids made to order.
They will also keep on hand a fine assortment of Confectioneries of every description together with FANCY GROCERIES, &c.
San Antonio, Dec. 2f. d144k-w3m

MENEY & HAIGNE,
Receiving, Forwarding
and
General Commission Merchants,
ALLEYTON, TEXAS.
We cheerfully recommend this firm as being prompt, reliable, and worthy of patronage.
A. H. EDEY, Galveston, Texas.

A. STACKE,
AGENT FOR THE MANUFACTORY OF
Wilson, Childs & Co.,
PHILADELPHIA.
Orders for any kind of their work solicited.
San Antonio, Texas, July 8, 1867.

J. H. KAMPMANN'S
New Door, Sash and Blind
FACTORY,
On Nacadoches street, Alamo City,
SAN ANTONIO.
The undersigned informs the citizens of San Antonio, and the public in general, that he is prepared to fill all orders for
DOORS, SASHES AND BLINDS,
to rip and plane Lumber, to make one and one and a quarter inch Flooring, and all other articles connected with the carpenter business.
Seasoned Lumber of best quality of white and yellow pine, constantly on hand.
All orders will be promptly executed.
aug66m J. H. KAMPMANN.

E. A. FLORIAN,
INSURANCE AGENT,
No. 3, French's Building,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Capital Represented,
\$2,000,000
December 19, 1866. 45m

NORTON & DEUTZ,
SUCCESSORS TO NORTON & BRO.
Hardware,
LEATHER,
AND
Woodenware Dealers,
SAN ANTONIO
Sept. 5 TEXAS.

LAEVENSTEIN & CO.,
Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS
in
Fancy and Staple
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,
&c., &c., &c.
Just received a large stock of
SPRING & SUMMER GOODS,
and will sell all at the very lowest prices
San Antonio, April 11th. 3m

Law Notice.
Thomas M. Paschal will hereafter be associated with the undersigned in all new business intrusted to their care in Texas.
I. A. & G. W. PASCHAL,
Attorneys at Law.
August 29th 1867if

MEN WANTED.

Men, for to-day's hard toil and battle!
Knights were well in the feudal days—
Kings, when the people were dumb as cattle—
Priests, when the lie was means of grace;
Dancing-masters, when morals were manners!
Schemers in ink, when the sword was a pen!
But now, when God lifts up his banners,
And war clangs fierce—send us men! send us men!

O contemptible tailors' dummy,
Dupe and noodle and snob and quack,
Stale old fossil and breathing mummy,
Politician and party-hack,
Fool of fashion and fool of barter,
Living to cheat and be cheated again,
Drawer of cant and counterfeited martyr,
Out and begone with you! send us men!

Send us men for the desk and the altar,
Men who are fearless of councils and bans,
Never with rightness daring to falter,
Orthodox, rather in God's sight than man's!
Men who assume no clerical mastership,
Bring man's servants and God's honest freemen.

Knowing that lordship agrees not with pastoralship,
Men whose first duty is always to men.

Send us men for the public stations,
Loyal and honest, brave and wise;
Thoughtful beyond their pay and their rations;
Parleying never with traitors and spies;
Men whose words and promises tally;
Men who build upon principles grand;
Learning of Christ, not of Machiavelli,
What to enact and what to command.

Send us men for the private places,
Tradesmen and craftsmen and tillers of soil,
Men with sympathies large as the rice is,
Loyal to fatherland, freedom, and God;
Loyal in spite of high taxes and prices;
Lavishing life, kindred, fortune—all these,
Rather than sell in humanity's crisis,
Liberty's birthright for potage of peace.

LETTER FROM HON. THAD. STEVENS.
COLUMBIA, Pa., Aug. 24, 1867.
Hon. Thaddeus Stevens, Lancaster, Pa.
DEAR SIR: Several of your intelligent constituents in this region, no doubt from want of proper information, are complaining of mistakes made by Congress in not passing laws at the last session restraining the removal of certain officers engaged in reconstruction. I contended that you had passed an act at the very close providing for that very contingency, but which is not executed. Will you be so good as to inform me how far our representative is responsible for this omission, if omission it be? You know we are in the habit of dealing familiarly with the member from the Ninth. A brief answer will much oblige your friend,
SAMUEL SCHOCK.

MR. STEVENS' REPLY.
LANCASTER, Pa., Aug. 26, 1867.
Colonel Samuel Schock, Columbia, Pa.

DEAR SIR: You are right in supposing Congress made mistakes, as it is the inevitable lot of man; but you mistake in supposing that there is any law to prohibit the removal of the District Commanders without the consent of the Senate.
Soon after the commencement of the last session of Congress I reported a bill from the Committee of the House of Representatives, which contained a condition prohibiting their removal without the consent of the Senate. It passed the House and was sent to the Senate. The Senate struck it out and returned it to the House, who refused to concur in the amendment. The result was a Committee of Conference, where an animated contest ensued. There were several other questions in controversy between the houses, which the House offered to yield if this could be granted. The Senate perseveringly refused, declaring that they would sooner lose the bill. As that would frustrate all our legislation it could not be allowed. The House yielded, with a warning of the evils it would inflict upon the country. Some of the members of the Senate seemed to doubt their power under the Constitution which they had just repudiated, and wholly outside of which all agreed that we were acting, else our whole work of reconstruction was usurpation; or, perhaps, they had a desire to be thought gravely conservative and magnanimous. These ideas seemed to control the action of some half a dozen Senators, who preferred trusting the President.
My dear Colonel, a few Senators of great ability, undoubted patriotism and purity, have become so saturated with what they are pleased to call conservatism—whose meaning, I confess, I am unable to understand—that I fear they will forget the monster that was slain in 1776 and again in 1861, and will thus do great damage to the creation of a Government now so capable of being converted into a political paradise. This

is liable to happen, not so much by a direct and palpable attack upon its framework as by gradually forgetting the vital principles of the Declaration of Independence. Strike out one of the living sparks which gave life to our Goddess of Liberty, and the mysterious and intense heat, whose welding fires, near a century ago, and at present, are fusing the principles of freedom and reducing despotism to a cinder, will gradually cool, until the most conservative despot could thrust his sword into it without affecting its temper.

I have said above that I did not know the meaning of conservatism. I have since seen the report of a speech, said to have been made by an Ohio Senator at Canton, Ohio, which, if it be truly reported, and is to be considered as a definition of that doctrine, then it, to me, is very alarming—worse than copperheadism. It is legislation without authority, and reconstruction by usurpation.
I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
THADEUS STEVENS.

The good conservative, democrat, rebel, reconstructionist of this city were thrown into quite a hubbub yesterday at the report that General Ord was about to bring the axe down upon the necks of our city officials. An indignation meeting was held yesterday morning to remonstrate with General Ord against any change. A committee was appointed to wait upon the General and lay before him the deeds of loyal patriotism of our present officials.

We believe, so far nothing has been done to change the present status. It is, however, a singular circumstance that our rebel friends in this city, who are also much in favor of military rule, and so enthusiastic in support of General Ord, should all at once find it necessary to call an indignation meeting to request him to desist from decapitating rebels, and installing good loyalists in their places. It is strange that those who are so much in favor of military rule should be the first to find fault with it.—*Vicksburg Republican.*

THE BAY OF SAMANA.—It is well known that negotiations have for some time been going on between our government and the government of St. Domingo, with a view to our acquiring for the purposes of a naval station the large and beautiful bay of Samana. At a cost of five millions of dollars the bay, with five miles of land on the circumference, is at last to become the property of the United States. The bay is forty-three miles in length from east to west, about eight miles broad, and forms one of the finest harbors in the world. In a military and commercial point of view the acquisition is most important. Considering the growing importance of our relations with Central America, its value as a naval station is not to be overestimated.

GENERAL CHARLES H. TOMPKINS, who has been assigned as chief Quartermaster at New Orleans, was a Major and Quartermaster during the late war, and was on duty for a long time at the Lincoln Hospital. He was breveted Brigadier-General for meritorious services, and after the passage of the bill reorganizing the army, he was promoted to the position of Deputy Quartermaster-General with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the regular army.—*New Orleans Republican.*

THE REV. M. KEIL, the Southampton (England) antiquary, states that upward of 1,800 coins of Roman emperors were dug up recently at the military hospital at Netley; that more than half of them were Trajanian, senior and junior; and that a great many belong to Victorian and Claudian Gothians. Mr. Keil thinks this confirms the opinion that these emperors assumed the sovereignty of Britain, and that the headquarters of Trajan was at Clausentum, four miles from Netley.

A GENEROUS BALTIMOREAN.—John Hopkins, the wealthiest citizen of Baltimore, who is reported to be worth twenty millions, has endowed the John Hopkins Hospital, for poor white and colored persons, and the John Hopkins Institute, for educational purposes, embracing also poor white and colored children, to have separate apartments. Mr. Hopkins is a bachelor, and is still an active business man.

The *Paris Patrie* says the nationality of Crete is to be conceded, something in the same manner as in Egypt, the country to have its viceroys, the sultan to be suzerain. Crete wants something different from this—her desire is to become an integral portion of Greece.

Augustin Yfurbide, the adopted heir of Maximilian, is now at Rosedale, the residence of his mother, Mrs. Green, on the heights of Georgetown, and is a robust boy, four years old.

The Daily Express.

Official Journal of the United States.

W. B. MOORE, A. SIMMERING, JAS. F. NEWCOMB.
A. Siemering & Co., Publishers.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 17.

VERMONT ELECTION - RE-PUBLICAN VICTORY.

By a stray telegram in the New Orleans Republican we learn that Vermont has gone Republican by a fine majority. Strange it could not reach us by telegraph at the same time with the news from Maine.

JO. WALKER OF THE GAZETTE GETS TAKEN IN.

A couple of weeks since the State Gazette, ex-Governor Throckmorton's organ, made a grand display of effrontery of proprietors, one Jno. P. Brodigan, "a perfect Southern gentleman" becoming the fortunate purchaser. The last Gazette comes to us with a card from Jo. Walker acknowledging that he was victimized by the said "perfect Southern gentleman," who had decamped with some of Joe's loose change.

The description of the gay deceiver is given making him out quite seductive in appearance, and a reward of \$300 offered for his apprehension. He came endorsed by ex-Governor Wise as a "gentleman," and we can't see for the life of us why Jo. Walker should complain because he carried out his "gentlemanly" qualities. The Express had a similar experience, only to a little louder tone, when it was first started since the war; Brodigan played the "Southern gentleman" on Walker and Van Vleet played Northern correspondent from prominent papers on Siemering. So we can sympathize with you, Jo.

DISPATCHES FOR SOUTHERN MARKET.

Among our dispatches of Monday was the following: "The Dubuque, (Iowa) Herald is speaking of the election in Montana says that Jas. M. Cavanaugh is said to have been handsomely elected to Congress. Old Ben. Butler will probably move his expulsion, Cavanaugh stepped the Brute's face at the Charleston Convention and told him he was a dirty dog."

We could not afford to print this miserable slander, produced by an unknown copperhead newspaper, without making some explanation to our readers. Such dispatches are prepared for the rebel market, on the same principle that the New York Day Book and "Brick" Poney's paper are printed for the same traffic.

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

In speaking of the election in California, the New Orleans Republican says:

The Democrats, finding a serious split in the Republican ranks, began to take courage and indulge in a hope of success. Their convention was organized from some of the best material in the State. The nomination for Governor was offered to ex-General W. S. Rosecrans, who recently resigned his commission, and is interested in extensive mining operations in California. But the General declined the proffered honor, and Henry H. Haight was nominated. He is a son of the late United States District Judge Fletcher T. Haight, who was commissioned by President Lincoln. The Haight was originally from Rochester, but subsequently removed to St. Louis, where they lived several years, but finally made their home in California. Henry H. Haight is an original Republican, and was President of the first Fremont Club established in San Francisco, in 1856. He was one of the 477 Republican voters at the State election held previous to Buchanan's election to the Presidency. And he continued to be a strong and consistent Republican from that time until General Fremont issued his celebrated emancipation proclamation in Missouri. His disapproval and denunciation of this measure caused his alienation from his party, and he has ever since partially acted with and been wholly claimed by the Democrats. Two years ago he was a candidate for the office of Judge of the Supreme Court in opposition to Judge Sanderson, who was elected. Mr. Haight is a gentleman of marked ability, and will, no doubt, make a good Governor. But judging from his antecedents he will hardly give much support to "my policy." The choice of the majority of the Republicans was Hon. John Bidwell, but as he did not receive the nomination of the convention, he would not permit his name to be used.

The Hon. Charles Sumner has sold his residence in Boston, intending to make his home, the greater part of the time, in Washington.

THE NEW LINE OF POLICY.

The new line of policy indicated in the recent amnesty proclamation of Andy Johnson, and in telegrams announcing the plan to be pursued, challenges the serious attention of the Union men of Texas. The Congress of the United States, in a moment of weakness adjourned, and left the government in the hands of an executive whose diabolical aims they imagined they could prevent by enactment thinking he would not dare to trample the law and the will of the people under foot. Such legislation on the part of Congress was like binding the hands of a maniac with a straw.

It is now announced that this late amnesty lets in all the hitherto excluded rebels to the privilege of voting, and that the time for registering will be extended so as to register such rebels, and that elections will be ordered on the first of November in all the Southern States under this new order, thus intending to frustrate Congress. In this new line of policy Johnson has trampled under foot the act of the Congress of the United States, and virtually declared himself dictator; and in this attempt to overthrow our republican form of government he has not only forfeited his position, but his life, and is to-day a greater criminal and traitor than Jeff Davis. Davis was a square-cut and out-rebel, who led an infamous treason and caused misery and death untold. Johnson is a sneaking traitor, whose vehemence against traitors deceived the loyal people into placing him along with the patriot martyr, Lincoln, in the highest position in the nation. He has turned traitor to the people, the cause, and the country; he is attempting to reopen the wounds of civil war, undo all that was accomplished by the sacrifice of hundreds of thousands of brave men; he is attempting to strip Columbia of her garlands of victory, and to rivet again the chains of the slave. This is Andy Johnson's new policy, and he hopes to have pretty well accomplished it in the next eight weeks, and is daring enough to believe that it will cause a reaction which will prevent Congress from undoing his mischief.

The serious part of this to the Union men of Texas, is the consequences which this new line of policy may lead to during the eight weeks to come. We know that the fires of rebellion are simply smothered not quenched in our midst, and encouraged by Johnson, we are in danger of having an outburst of Confederate pent up fury; or, at least, we will see the old leaders of treason pushing themselves forward to lead again, and a system of Confederate terrorism attempted; these indications are already beginning to crop out. We have been content to let these rebel leaders and Confederate murderers live among us as long as they remained quiet, but Union men must make up their minds that these men shall not rule again. Let us profit by our experience of the past; let us not forget how treason commenced, how it grew under the manipulation of Divine and his coadjutors, and how at last hundreds of Union men were ignominiously hung, and driven from the State for their loyalty to the government. Let not this history be repeated, and if the war is to be fought over again let us do it at our door steps. Let us profit by the fruitful experience of the past. Eight weeks seems a short time to wait for relief, but in eight weeks there may be a hundred scenes similar to the New Orleans massacre. Let Union men band closer together, adopt for their watchword, vigilance, and put down the first appearance of the old disease by the means experience has proved to be effective.

The Methodist says: "Supposing all the trails worn this summer at the fashionable watering places were cut off even with the ankles, how many poor children would they clothe? how much would women rise in the estimation of men?" An innocent exchange remarks: "Suppose your aunt was your uncle, what then?"

No TELEGRAPHIC NEWS TO-DAY.—The telegraph wires are down between Houston and New Orleans, consequently we are unable to give our readers any telegraphic news this morning.

THE AXE FALLING IN MISSISSIPPI.

The New Orleans Republican contains the following:—

Vicksburg, September 2, 1867. The Union men of Vicksburg are delighted that the axe has begun to fall, and that Gen. Ord realizes the necessity of relieving them from the official presence of some of the bitterest rebels in the South, who composed the city government. He has done this, and so far carries out the true intent of the reconstruction acts.

Gen. Ord made to-day the following removals of "impediments" in the way of reconstruction: E. W. Wallen, Mayor; R. King, City Marshal; Kennedy, Deputy City Marshal; and Councilmen Stiles, Gussio, Bitterman, Walsh, and A. M. Floyd.

H. Kinsky and Dr. Birchett, of the present City Council, are retained. To take the place of the new city officers Gen. Ord has appointed Gen. J. A. Maltby, Mayor; Bapt. A. C. Flak, City Marshal; Capt. Hynes, Deputy City Marshal; and for Councilmen, R. F. North, N. M. Williams, J. E. Vegelson, Maj. Hoxie, Dr. E. A. Duncan. Other removals will be made this week. The work of reconstruction is thus bravely progressing; Union men here breathe freer and easier.

A farmer in Missouri, on being asked the number of his children, hesitated, and referred the questioner to his wife, and she replied "ten;" but when, in the course of conversation, the farmer was asked as to the number of hogs he possessed, he replied promptly, "seventy-one."

New Advertisements.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Postoffice up to the 16th day of September, 1867.

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Camuses, Eustacio	
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At their old stand on Main Plaza, on

Wednesday morning, 18th,

A well assorted invoice of Fresh Goods, just arrived, consisting of

Genl.'s Ready-made Clothing, Patterns, &c., &c.

The attendance of smaller merchants is especially solicited, as the goods will be offered only in wholesale lots, and bargains will be expected. 35-36

ALBERT TURPE,

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The highest Cash Price paid for Hides. sep17tf

Revenue Stamps.

Revenue Stamps of every denomination can be had at the Internal Revenue Office, French's Building, No. 14. sep9tf

MASONIC.

Alamo Lodge No. 44, A. F. and A. M.

Regular Meetings 1st and 3rd Saturday evenings in each month. Members of other jurisdictions are invited to meet with us.

S. G. NEWTON, W. M.

B. OPPENHEIMER, Sec. j28:

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All complete, for sale much below cost.

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HEADQUARTERS 35TH U. S. INFANTRY, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, September 16, 1867.

General Orders No. 22. It is with deep regret the Brevet Brigadier General Commanding the regiment announces the death of its Colonel, Brevet Major General CHARLES GRIFFIN, who died at Galveston, Texas, on the 15th instant, of yellow fever.

The military career of General Griffin is well known to the country. He entered the army from West Point in 1847, and during the rebellion served with great distinction, having been with the Army of the Potomac from its organization to its disbandment, participating in every battle which it fought. Since the close of the rebellion he has been actively engaged in the duties of reconstruction in Texas, and it is no doubt owing to his great labors and untiring energy in that direction that his death followed so speedily upon his being seized with the fell disease now raging so terribly on our coast. Thus the regiment loses a gallant, brave and accomplished commander, and the service a distinguished and able soldier.

The officers of the regiment will wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days. By command of Bvt Brig. Gen. JOHN S. MASON, CHAS. P. SMITH, 1st Lieut. and Adjutant, 35th U. S. Infantry.

INDIANS.—We learn from Lt. Wolf, who has returned from scouting duty, that Mr. Thulle, a German, was killed by Indians five miles west of Castroville on Friday. Mr. Thulle, two other men and a boy were traveling in an ambulance or wagon, and were attacked in broad day light by the Indians. Mr. Thulle was killed but none of the others were injured. One of the men escaped to Castroville and gave the alarm; Lieut Wolf immediately started in pursuit, he found one man and the boy in possession of the wagon, the man having succeeded in keeping the Indians at bay. The Lieutenant then pushed on in pursuit of the Indians and gave them a close chase that they abandoned one of their horses; being badly mounted and their horses giving out, the troops were compelled to give up the chase, when if they had had good horses the Indians might easily have been overtaken. A well mounted cavalry scout should be kept out in that vicinity all the time.

KILLING OF JAMES McCANLY.—On Monday evening an altercation took place between James McCauly and James Finn, at the camp of the government employees, about three miles from town, which terminated in Finn shooting McCauly, who died from the effects of the wound. Finn was arrested by the military and turned over to the civil authorities. An inquest was held over the body of McCauly yesterday. Both the murderer and the murdered were New Orleans toughs, having gained some celebrity in the prize ring. No doubt the government is well rid of their services.

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(Official.)
PUBLIC ACTS OF THE
39th Congress of the United
States of America.

CHAP. CLXXXIV.—An Act to reduce Internal Taxation and to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide Internal Revenue to Support the Government, to pay Interest on the Public Debt, and for other Purposes," approved June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and acts amendatory thereof.

(Continued.)
SEC. 50. And be it further enacted, That there shall be paid on all beer, lager beer, ale, porter, and other similar fermented liquors, by whatever name such liquors may be called, a tax of one dollar for every barrel containing not more than thirty-one gallons; and as a like rate for any other quantity or for any fractional part of a barrel which shall be brewed or manufactured and sold, or removed for consumption or sale, within the United States; which tax shall be paid by the owner, agent or superintendent of the brewery or premises in which such fermented liquors shall be made, in the manner and at the time hereinafter specified: *Provided*, That fractional parts of a barrel shall be halves, quarters, sixths, and eighths, and any fractional part of a barrel containing less than one eighth shall be accounted one eighth; more than one eighth and not more than one-sixth, shall be accounted one sixth; more than one sixth and not more than one quarter, shall be accounted one quarter; more than one quarter and not more than one half, shall be accounted one half; more than one half and not more than one barrel, shall be accounted one barrel; and more than one barrel and not more than sixty-three gallons, shall be accounted two barrels, or a hoghead.

SEC. 49. And be it further enacted, That every person owning or occupying any brewery or premises used, or intended to be used, for the purpose of brewing or making such fermented liquors, or who shall have such premises under his control or superintendence as agent for the owner or occupant, or shall have in his possession or custody any brewing materials, utensils, or apparatus, used or intended to be used on said premises in the manufacture of beer, lager beer, ale, porter, or other similar fermented liquors, either as owner, agent, or superintendent, shall, from day to day, enter or cause to be entered, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, the kind of such fermented liquors, the description of packages, and number of barrels and fractional parts of barrels of fermented liquors made, and also the quantity sold or removed for consumption or sale, and shall also, from day to day, enter or cause to be entered, in a separate book to be kept by him for that purpose, an account of all material by him purchased for the purpose of producing such fermented liquors, including grain and malt; and shall render to said assessor or assistant assessor, on or before the tenth day of each month, a true statement in writing, taken from his books, of the whole quantity of number of barrels and fractional parts of barrels of fermented liquors brewed and sold, or removed for consumption or sale, during the preceding month; and shall verify or cause to be verified, the said statement, and the facts therein set forth, by oath or affirmation to be taken before the assessor or assistant assessor of the district according to the form required by law, and shall immediately forward to the collector of the district a duplicate of said statement, duly certified by the assessor or assistant assessor. And said books shall be open at all times for the inspection of any assessor or assistant assessor, collector, deputy collector, inspector, or revenue agent, who may take memorandums and transcripts therefrom.

SEC. 50. And be it further enacted, That the entries made in such book shall, on or before the tenth of the month, be verified by the oath or affirmation of the person or persons by whom such entries shall have been made, which oath or affirmation shall be written in the book at the end of such entries, and be certified by the officer administering the same, and shall be in form as follows: "I do swear (or affirm) that the foregoing entries were made by me, and that they are true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, the whole quantity of fermented liquors brewed, the quantity sold, and the quantity removed from the brewery owned by me in the county of _____."

SEC. 51. And be it further enacted, That the owner, agent, or superintendent of any brewery, vessels, or utensils used in making fermented liquors, who shall evade or attempt to evade the payment of the tax thereon, or fraudulently neglect or refuse to make true and exact entry and report of the same in the manner by law required, or to do or cause to be done any of the things by law required to be done by him as aforesaid, or who shall intentionally make false entry in said book or in said statement, or knowingly allow or procure the same to be done, shall forfeit, for every such offense, all the liquors made by him or for him, all the vessels, utensils, and apparatus used in making the same, and be liable to a penalty of not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars, to be recovered with costs of suit, and shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding one year. And any brewer who shall neglect to keep the books, or refuse to furnish the account and duplicate thereof as provided by law, or who shall refuse to permit the proper officer to examine the books in the manner provided, shall, for every such refusal, or neglect, forfeit and pay the sum of three hundred dollars.

SEC. 52. And be it further enacted, That the commissioner of internal revenue shall cause to be prepared, for the payment of the tax aforesaid, suitable stamps denoting the amount of tax required to be paid on the hoghead, barrels, and halves, quarters, sixths, and eighths of a barrel of such fermented liquors, and shall furnish the same to the collectors of internal revenue, who shall cause a supply equal in amount to two months' sales thereof. If there shall be any brewery or brewery warehouse in his district, and the same shall be sold by such collectors only to the brewers of their districts, respectively; and such collectors shall keep an account of the number and values of the stamps sold by them to each of such brewers, respectively, and the commissioner of internal revenue shall allow upon all sales of such stamps to any brewer, and by him used in his business, a deduction of seven and one half per centum. And the amount paid into the treasury by any collector on account of the sale of such stamps to brewers shall be included in estimating the commissions of such collector and of the assessor of the same district.

SEC. 53. And be it further enacted, That every brewer shall obtain, from the collector of the district in which his brewery or brewery warehouse is situated, and not otherwise, unless said collector shall fail to furnish the same upon application to him, the proper stamp or stamps, and shall affix upon the spigot-hole or tap (of which there shall be but one) of each and every hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel, in which any fermented liquor shall be contained, when sold or removed from such brewery or warehouse, a stamp denoting the amount of the tax required upon such fermented liquor, in such a way that the said stamp or stamps will be destroyed upon the withdrawal of the liquor from such hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel, or upon the introduction of a faucet or other instrument for that purpose; and shall also, at the time of affixing such stamp or stamps as aforesaid, cancel the same by writing or imprinting thereon the name of the person, firm, or corporation by whom such liquor may have been made, or the initials letters thereof, and the date, when cancelled. Every brewer who shall refuse or neglect to affix and cancel the stamp or stamps required by law in the manner aforesaid, or who shall affix a false or fraudulent stamp thereon, or knowingly permit the same to be done, shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars for each barrel or package on which such omission or fraud occurs, and shall be liable to imprisonment for not more than one year.

SEC. 54. And be it further enacted, That any brewer, carman, agent for transportation, or other person, who shall sell, remove, receive, or purchase, or in any way aid in the sale, removal, receipt, or purchase of any fermented liquor contained in any hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel from any brewery or brewery warehouse, upon which the stamp required by law shall not have been affixed, or on which a false or fraudulent stamp is affixed, with knowledge that it is such, or on which a stamp once cancelled is used a second time; and any retail dealer, or other person, who shall withdraw or aid in the withdrawal of any fermented liquor from any hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel containing the same, without destroying or defacing the stamp affixed upon the same, or shall withdraw or aid in the withdrawal of any fermented liquor from any hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel, upon which the proper stamp shall not have been affixed, or on which a false or fraudulent stamp is affixed, shall be liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and to imprisonment for not more than one year. Every person who shall make, sell, or use any false or counterfeit stamp or die for printing or making stamps which shall be in imitation of or purport to be a lawful stamp or die of the kind before mentioned, or who shall procure the same to be done, shall be imprisoned for not less than one nor more than five years.

SEC. 55. And be it further enacted, That every brewer who sells fermented liquor at retail at the brewery or other place where the same is made, shall affix and cancel the proper stamp or stamps upon the hogheads, barrels, kegs, or other vessels in which the same is contained, and shall keep account of the quantity removed by him, and of the number and size of the hogheads, barrels, kegs, or other vessels in which the same may have been contained, and shall make a report thereof, verified by oath, monthly to the assessor, and forward a duplicate of same to the collector of the district: *And provided further*, That brewers may remove malt liquors from their own manufacture from their breweries or other places of manufacture to a warehouse or other place of storage occupied by them within the same district in quantities of not less than six barrels in one vessel without affixing the proper stamp or stamps, but shall affix the same upon such liquor when sold or removed from such warehouse or other place of storage. But when the manufacturer of any ale or porter manufactures the same in one collection district, and owns, occupies, or hires a depot or warehouse for the storage and sale of such ale or porter in another collection district, he may, without affixing the stamps on the casks at the brewery, as herein provided for, removing or transporting said ale or porter in quantities of less than six barrels at a time, under a permit from the collector of the district in which the depot or warehouse is situated, to any other place, under such rules and regulations as the commissioner of internal revenue may prescribe, and thereafter the manufacturer of the ale and porter so removed shall stamp the same when it leaves such depot or warehouse, in the same manner and under the same penalties and liabilities as when stamped at the brewery as herein provided; and the collector of the district in which such depot or warehouse is situated shall furnish the manufacturer with the stamps for stamping the same, as if the said ale or porter had been manufactured in the district: *And provided further*, That where fermented liquor has become sour or damaged, so as to be incapable of use as such, brewers may sell the same for manufacturing purposes, and may remove the same to places where it may be used for such purposes.

SEC. 56. And be it further enacted, That every brewer shall mark or cause to be marked, in each manner as shall be prescribed by the commissioner of internal revenue, upon every hoghead, barrel, keg, or other vessel containing the fermented liquor made by him, before it is taken from the brewery, or brewery warehouse, or other place of manufacture, the name of the person, firm, or corporation by whom such liquor was manufactured, and the place where the same shall have been made; and any person other than the owner thereof, or his agent, who shall intentionally remove or deface such mark therefrom, shall be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars for each cask from which the mark is so removed or defaced.

(Official.)
THE STATUTES AT LARGE AND TREATIES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, PASSED BY THE 39TH CONGRESS.
Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru. Concluded at Lima, January 12, 1863; ratified by the President of the United States, February 24, 1864; exchanged at Lima, April 16, 1864; proclaimed by the President of the United States, May 19, 1864.
WHEREAS a Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru, for the settlement of the pending claims of the citizens of either country against the other, was concluded and signed, by their respective plenipotentiaries at the city of Lima on the twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, which Convention, as amended by the contracting parties, and being in the English and Spanish languages, is, word for word, as follows: Convention between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru for the settlement of the pending claims of the citizens of either country against the other.

The United States of America and the Republic of Peru, desiring to settle and adjust amicably the claims which have been made by the citizens of each country against the government of the other, have agreed to make arrangements for that purpose by means of a Convention, and have named as their plenipotentiaries to confer and agree thereupon as follows: The President of the United States Christopher Robinson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of said States to Peru, and the President of Peru Don Jose Gregorio Paz Soldan, the Minister of Foreign Relations and President of the Council of Ministers, who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found to be in due and proper form, have agreed as follows: Art. I. All claims of citizens of the United States against the Government of Peru, and of citizens of Peru against the Government of the United States, which have not been embraced in conventional or diplomatic agreement between the two governments or their plenipotentiaries, and of which the government, may, previously to the exchange of the ratifications of this convention, have been filed in the Department of State at Washington, or the Department of Foreign Affairs at Lima, shall be referred to a mixed commission composed of four members, appointed as follows: Two by the Government of the United States and two by the Government of Peru, in case of the absence, or incapacity of either commissioner, or in the event of either commissioner ceasing to act, the Government of the United States, or its Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Peru, acting under its direction, or that of the Republic of Peru, shall forthwith proceed to fill the vacancy thus occasioned.

ART. II. The commissioners so named shall immediately after their organization, and before proceeding to any other business, proceed to name a fifth person to act as an arbitrator or umpire in any case or cases in which they may themselves differ in opinion.
ART. III. The commissioners appointed as aforesaid shall meet in Lima within three months after the exchange of the ratifications of this Convention; and each one of the commissioners, before proceeding to any business, shall take an oath, made and subscribed before the most Excellent Supreme Court, that they will carefully examine and impartially decide, according to the principles of justice and equity, the principles of international law and treaty stipulations, upon all the claims laid before them under the provisions of this Convention, and in accordance with the evidence submitted on the part of either government. A similar oath shall be taken and subscribed by the person selected by the commissioners as arbitrator or umpire, and said oaths shall be entered upon the record of the proceedings of said commission.
ART. IV. The arbitrator or umpire being appointed, the commissioners shall, without delay, proceed to examine and determine the claims specified in the first article, and shall bear, if required, one person in behalf of each government on each separate claim. Each government shall furnish, at the request of either of the commissioners, the papers in its possession which may be important to the just determination of any of the claims referred.

ART. V. From the decision of the commissioners there shall be no appeal; and the agreement of three of them shall give full force and effect to their decisions, as well with respect to the justice of their claims as to the amount of indemnification that may be adjudged to the claimants, and in case the commissioners cannot agree, the points of difference shall be referred to the arbitrator or umpire, before whom the commissioners may be heard, and his decision shall be final.
ART. VI. The decision of the mixed commission shall be executed without appeal by each of the contracting parties, and it shall be the duty of the commissioners to report to the respective governments the result of their proceedings; and if the decision of said commissioners requires the payment of indemnities to any of the claimants, the sums determined by the said commissioners shall be paid by the government against which they are awarded within one month after said government shall have received the report of said commissioners; and for any delay in the payment of the sum awarded after the expiration of said month, the sum of six per cent. interest shall be paid during such time as said delay shall continue.
ART. VII. For the purpose of facilitating the labors of the mixed commission, each government shall appoint a secretary to assist in the transaction of their business and to keep a record of their proceedings, and for the conduct of their business said commissioners are authorized to make all necessary rules.

ART. VIII. The decisions of this commission, or of the umpire in case of a difference between the commissioners, shall be final and conclusive, and shall be carried into full effect by the two contracting parties. The commission shall terminate its labors in six months from and including the day of its organization, provided, however, if during the said period any case or cases shall be pending before the commission and requiring its decision, it is understood and agreed by the two contracting parties, that said umpire is authorized to proceed, and make his decision or award in such case or cases, and upon his report thereon to each of the two governments, mentioning the amount of indemnity, if such shall have been allowed by him, such award shall be final and conclusive in the same manner as if it had been made by the commissioners under their own agreement; provided that said decision shall be made by said umpire within thirty days after the final adjournment of said commission, and at the expiration of the said thirty days, the power and authority hereby granted to said umpire shall cease.

ART. IX. Each government shall pay its own commissions and necessary expenses; but the umpire shall be paid, one half by the Government of the United States and one half by the Republic of Peru.
ART. X. The present Convention shall be ratified and the ratifications thereof shall be exchanged in the term of four months from the date hereof.
In faith whereof the Plenipotentiaries of the two governments have signed and sealed, with their respective seals, the present convention.
Done in the city of Lima, in duplicate, on the twelfth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.
CHRISTOPHER ROBINSON, [L. S.]
JOSE G. PAZ SOLDAN, [L. S.]

And whereas the said Convention has been duly ratified on both parts, and the respective ratifications of the same were exchanged in the city of Lima on the twenty-fourth day of April last:
Now, therefore, be it known that I, Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States of America, have caused the said treaty to be made public, to the end that the same and every clause, and article thereof, may be

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In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.
Done at the city of Washington, this nineteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America eighty-seventh.
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