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Of all kinds in quantities to suit purchasers.
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We pure loaf sugar in boxes of 10, 25 and
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TELEGRAPHIC
SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXPRESS.
From The Convention.
HOUSTON, June 9.
Convention full and harmonious. Nomin-
ated E. J. Davis, for Governor; J. W.
Flanagan, for Lieut. Governor; W. Frank
Carter, for Comptroller; Jacob Kenecher,
for Land Office; W. D. Price for Treasurer.
Convention recommends the adoption of
the Constitution. Entire platform Lib-
eral.
J. G. TRACY.

American News.
WASHINGTON, June 8.
Published details, fully corroborated by
papers last night, except that the radical
majority is 4500 instead of 3000. This
election results in one negro register of
the city—an important office, and one
negro alderman. Last year seven negro coun-
cilmembers. Gain of six. Radicals swept
every ward. Only two Conservatives on the
board of aldermen.
The President appointed Colonel James
Brydland supervisor Internal Revenue for
Texas, vice Maj. Belger.
Nearly two millions of bonds were issued
to the Central-Pacific R.R. to-day. A fur-
ther issue completing the subsidy will be
made in a few days. The road has four
millions in pledge with the government as
security for first-class track.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 8.—Attorney Gen-
eral Williams delivered his opinion that the
appropriation and other measures, not in-
cluding ratification of the 15th amendment
passed after the resignation of 49 democ-
rats, ought to be obeyed as constitutional law.

European News.
LONDON, June 8.—The probable rejection
of the disestablishment bill creates great
excitement. Stanley admitting peril ur-
ges Lords to fight for all they hold dear,
and risk consequences.
The Post shows that rejection of the bill
by the Lords, does not defeat its ultimate
passage.
The News says the vote of the Lords
will postpone for a few months only the
downfall of the Irish Church.
The Telegraph says the country has spoken
unmistakably, and is forced to speak
again, its accents will not be lost from igni-
tation.
A. N. Y. special to the Herald says the
probability is, the Lords will be alarmed
at the passage of the bill.
MADRID, June 8.—Duke Gonos is a prom-
inent candidate for the Throne.
Regency read first time yesterday.
Berlin, June 8.—Bismark and King Wil-
liam have gone to Bremen.
VIENNA, June 8.—The Austrian govern-
ment refuses action regarding neutrality
of Suez Canal without consulting France.
MEXICO, June 8.—Senator Mariscal con-
ferred Minister to Washington.
Congress adjourned.
Negroes hover about the capitol.

MARKETS.
New York Market.
NEW YORK, June 8.
Gold 134;
Cotton firm, 31.
New Orleans Market.
NEW ORLEANS, June 8.
Cotton active and advanced; middlings
94@95.
Gold 134.

Foreign Market.
LIVERPOOL, June 8.
Cotton a shade firmer; Uplands III; Or-
leans II; sales 15,000 bales.
The editor of the Paris Vindicator has
been turned out of the office of County
Clerk, and another radical put in his place.
He says that this was done on account of
account of his "lamponing" the Conven-
tion for its shameful intermeddling with

the Memphis and El Paso Railroad." He
threatens vengeance on the individual who
has suspended him, (truly):
"By Jove! we have a bundle of rods in
sack that shall back this high and heavy
culprit into after-nice-meal! We shall
ruthlessly drag him from his skunk-bunch
if he were as potent as Cesar and as wary
as Machiavel!—Hearty—cheer—cheer—
hell, all only wishing him a safe asylum
from the blasting vengeance of an out-
cast editor."
When?

Destruction of Timber.
BY M. L. CURTIS, CLYDE, OKLA.
If there is one subject upon which it
seems impossible for farmers to properly
reason, it is the importance of saving what
little remains to us of our forests. Ohio
to-day has one mile of railroad for every
ten sections of land, with thousands of lo-
comotives and tens of thousands of cars,
and shops, depots, docks, bridges, tanks,
ties, sheds, &c., without number. The
shrill scream of the locomotive's whistle
reverberating through every forest pro-
claims its doom. And Ohio is only a sam-
ple of other timbered States. In addition
to their own wants are the long, junk ex-
tended for supplies. Then in addition to
this are the hucksters, hawkers, and run-
ners that swarm through the land in search
of ship timber, car timber, cabinet timber,
staves, spokes, &c. to be sent far and wide.
Besides this the demand for timber to
build steamers, and other vessels, docks
and elevators for our vast inland waters as
well as for the seaports, and the require-
ments to build our cities, towns and farm
buildings; to bridge our streams, fence our
fields, and warm our dwellings, and the
thousand other manifold uses to which
timber is daily applied, gives but a faint
view of the demands for to-day. But who
shall compute the demand of to-morrow?
Every cough from the locomotive's hor-
rifying augments it. Still, in the face of all
this, farmers all over our land who are not
plunged for timber, will argue, "Why let
the timber lumber the ground, which, if
cleared, would net \$5 to \$10 profit per acre
a year! This at interest would more than
buy our timber for all purposes." And so
farmers with scanty wood lots are clearing
acre after acre, and who shall arrest it?
The skillful chopper in one hour demolishes
the majestic oak that has required the
heavenly benedictions of centuries, and
shows for three centuries to grow it.—
Two years ago an old pioneer living in the
interior of Ohio told me that he had the
timber back on his 200-acre farm, that
yearly killed him and his wife in getting
it off, it would sell for \$300 per acre. And
it was true. I told this to one of my neigh-
bors who was about to clear off his last
timber on the plea that the use of the land
would be more profitable to him than to
save the timber. But I might as well have
told it to one of his trees. The time has
come when the growing of timber through-
out the prairie and other settled States
should be encouraged, and entered upon in
earnest. The writer, in a few experiments
in growing timber, where he now resides,
has obtained the following results: Cotton-
wood, 13 years growth, 60 feet high, and 18
inches in diameter two feet above ground;
Sycamore, about the same diameter, but
not so tall; one sample of Yellow Willow
showed the enormous growth of the annual
rings of over two inches in width; Locust
of 30 years growth attained a diameter of
12 to 15 inches, tall and symmetrical, and
it is a hardy, durable, and valuable kind of
timber. Some samples of Butternut, Black
Walnut, and Yellow Oak, both standing in
the fields, show about the same results.
Much of the reserved timber is dy-
ing, which the owners would gladly pre-
vent if they knew the cause. Some of the
causes are underbrushing and pasturing.

Condition of Texas.
The people of Texas want immigration.
This they know cannot and will not come,
unless they are restored to their proper
relations to the general government. They
want capital, Northern capital at that.
But they also know that it will seek in-
vestment in their State only when they
are in the Union again. They want also
internal improvements, their harbors they
would make available for ships of any ton-
nage. This the Texas hope to get by a
proper representation of their wants in the
national councils.
All here admit there are three to five
thousand consumptive mad-contents in the
State; but they say that with a vigorous
and determined commander they can con-
trol them and secure an honest expres-
sion of public opinion. This could best be
done between the maturity and the gather-
ing of the unprecedented crop expected
this year. The prices realized on last year's
crop have stimulated labor to a remark-
able degree. Women, black and white, are
in the fields, their labor being necessary,
and no plowman is to be lost to his own best
interests as to attempt by force to control
the votes of his laborers. Hence, in Aug-
ust, just as the white bulls are ready for
gathering he will be very careful to do no-
thing to irritate his workmen and deprive
himself of the results of his own time, ex-
pense and labor. This argument is admit-
ted here to be a delusion, but it is said to
appeal to the people with greater force
than any other. The popular voice de-
mands an open, free canvass of the ques-
tion of the day, and there is a general feel-
ing for white and black to assemble to-
gether in public meeting to listen to the
discussions, and great assurances are given
that such meetings will not rarely be dis-
turbed.

The admirable policy of General Grant,
with the assurance that good, loyal con-
duct will not pass unnoted, has had a re-
markable effect on the people of this State,
and public opinion is fast changing the
whole feeling of society, doing away with
the revolver and the bowie knife, and I am
assured that the time is rapidly approach-
ing when any man, for the first time in the
South, can freely express his opinion with-
out danger of bodily harm. The truth is
the South can no longer afford to submit to
the old regime.
The people in the whole South, and also
in Texas, have rapidly acquired wealth

since the war. If anything, the Southern
people have learned that honest, free com-
petition pays best, that the laborer is wor-
thy of his hire, and that in order to secure
their own earnings, they must also secure
the lives of those on whom they depend
for success. The best portion of the peo-
ple of Texas have come to the conclusion,
and learn from conversing with people of
all classes, that this, after all, is the best
government they have ever had; that all
they have, all they are, and all they ever
hope to be, depend on the integrity and
perpetuity of the American Union. Politi-
cal parties, they say, may carp, and with
envy and jealousy refuse to unite on a
sound basis of reconstruction; but never-
theless, from all heart, the people of Texas
seem determined, as a last resort, to throw
overboard any Jonah in the way of their
progress, and to come up to the issue like
men who have had enough of the bayonet,
and enough of the sword, and some one
prominent here only told me the other day
that they are sure that all the "wayward
sisters" their State, once the "Lone Star,"
is coming back, a shining star in the bril-
liant constellation. [Gal. cor. New York
Herald.

Western Texas.
The vast extent of the territory that
comprises Western Texas, includes within
its boundaries the varied resources that
are not found in any other country of equal
proportions. Intersected in every direc-
tion with running streams of pure water,
together with its great plains and their
fertile prairies, stamps it at once as a
stock raising region, that has no superior
in the world, and which is to supply it
with a larger proportion of its meats. At
the present time, upwards of four millions
of cattle roam over its prairies, the ship-
ment of hives from which find an outlet
through this port to foreign markets, or
find a purchaser among the numerous beef
packeries that are daily augmenting in
our neighborhood. Yet this region is very
sparsely populated, its lands lying idle,
and its prairies unroamed, except by the
wild man and wild beasts of the desert.
Let the imagination stretch forward to
the time when all these waste places
shall be filled with an industrious working
population, whose untold labor and capital
protected by good government, would
make these immense prairies one vast pas-
ture, that would graze, at the least calcu-
lation, twenty millions of stock cattle.
And this alone, with all its immense re-
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Fresh Flour.
San Antonio Steam Flour Mill keeps the
best quality of Flour on hand. Good qual-
ity warranted.
424-5-69.
JACOB LAUX.

NOTICE.
The undersigned can be found at the
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12 a. m., and 4 and 5 p. m. At other hours
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29-5-69dtf.

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Stock of
Fancy and Staple DRY-GOODS
CLOTHING,
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GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
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April 29 69dtf

JACK COCKE,
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Office, west side of Military Plaza,
near Courthouse. (April 29 69dtf)

A. BOYD DORENUS, D. D. S.
DENTIST.
Office—On Commerce street, adjoining Posten-
rielder's Store. (Oct 22 69dtf)

DR. WEISSELBERG,
Physician and Surgeon,
OFFICE, at Nette's Drug Store,
On Commerce street.
San Antonio, Jan. 3rd, 1868. 24w
DR. F. HERFF,
Respectfully announced to his friends that
he has resumed practice in the city.
Office, at Nette's Drug store, on Commerce
street. (14w)

The Daily Express.

Official Journal of the United States
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San Antonio.

A. Stenning & Co., Publishers.

THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1869.

FOR CONGRESS, FOURTH DISTRICT,
THOMAS H. STRIBLING,
OF BEXAR.

The Kickapoo Indians who now live near Painted Rock Crossing, State of Chihuahua, Mexico, and are devastating the vast pastoral region of Western Texas, went to that country from their reservation near Fort Scott, Kansas, in 1861, to avoid participation in the war of the rebellion. While on the way, they were met near the line of the Indian territory by a force of Confederates under Jack Baylor, a cruel frontier fighter, who at one time recommended extermination as the true way of trusting Indians. In this attack some of the principal men of the tribe, together with women and children, were killed. The majority of those finally rescued Mexico, where they swore fealty to the Mexican Government, and ever since have been making raids into Texas, killing many whites and stealing horses.

Major Moore, of San Antonio, now in Washington, has just completed an extensive trip of several thousand miles through the regions infested by these savages, and ascertained that they are anxious to return to their people on the reservation in Kansas, or rather the new reservation in the Indian Territory, set aside for them by a recent act of Congress. They, however, will not trust themselves in Texas without an escort of troops. Major Moore, by appointment, had a conference with Commissioner Parker on Saturday, during which he laid the matter fully before him, recommending that an officer be detached for the purpose of conferring with the Indians, and arranging for their return. The Major showed that such a course would relieve the Texas frontier from great evils, and possibly avert an expensive campaign.—National Republican.

Will the San Antonio Express, the Herald or some other journal on the frontier, give us the facts in this case? We desire to know if Major Moore has the proper credentials as Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary of the Kickapoo Indians. According to our way of thinking, these red skins do not want any escort, for they prove themselves able to take care of themselves. The escort should be for the other side—the frontiersmen. The idea of importing Indians, and especially such horse stealing and man scalping fellows as the Kickapoos, certainly has the flavor of originality, and seems to us as wise as it would be to take a burglar for a regular boarder, and ask him as a particular favor to count the spoons and wind up your watch before retiring at night.—Bulletin.

The above beats any of the recent efforts of 'Rubicon Tommy', and unless that renowned personage wakes from his lethargy, he will find, too late, that 'Major Moore, of the San Antonio Express,' has captured his laurels and taken his place.

The Kickapoos, who have been for nearly twenty years plundering our frontier, do not live in the State of Chihuahua, but in Coahuila, at Santa Rosa, where they have been settled since 1832.

The extensive tour through their country which Major Munchausen has just completed, consisted of a stage trip from San Antonio to El Paso, a distance of six or seven hundred miles, completed in the usual manner, by traveling day and night, and never entering upon the usual range of these marauders. During the trip the voracious Major never saw, heard, or smelt a Kickapoo, nor has he ever seen, or passed a word with one in his life. The saintly occupation of these pets is to cross the Rio Grande, between the mouth of the Pecos and Laredo, range along the upper waters of the Nueces, the Leona, Hondo, Medina, &c., sweeping off the stock, and killing and scalping men, women, and children. Their plunder they carry back to Mexico, and sell openly to all buyers, title warranted perfect. All pursuit stops at the Rio Grande. The Mexican authorities have been of late requesting them to take up their quarters elsewhere, for it is feared that our outraged settlers will retaliate on Mexico for harboring and countenancing these banditti. Hence Mr. Kickapoo wishes to recross Texas in order to rejoin the eight or ten thousand other red robbers scattered through the Indian country. He desires an escort and other luxuries, which our government should furnish at once, together with a few score white women and babies, on whom their lambs might exercise their innocent propensities for outrage, scalping, and torture, en route.

We regret that the dense ignorance now existing at Washington, with regard to our suffering and ravaged frontier, should be made still more gross and damaging by statements like the above. The remedy in this case is sufficiently plain. No friendly nation has a right to give shelter and protection to armed and

savage banditti, and to openly profit by their depredations upon us. The Mexican authorities should be notified, once for all, that this must come, and these murderers be either surrendered to us, or expelled from Mexican soil. If this demand meets with the usual shuffling and evasive answer, then let loose some Cavalry officer like Custar, with two or three hundred of his rough riders, direct upon their rendezvous at Santa Rosa, and clean the robbers den, with fire and sword. Like the venerable Bishop Whipple, the people of West Texas unreservedly believe in "good Indians," but to make them good, they must first be well killed.

If General Reynolds has advised delay in holding the election, it will not be the least among the many wise, impartial, and far-sighted acts which will make his administration here memorable.—S. A. Express.

Here is cloven foot at last. At a time when every interest—social, moral, and material—is suffering for the want of reconstruction of peace, harmony, and good government, we have a paper published among us, gloating over an indefinite prolongation of this state of things.—San Antonio Herald.

Our "Boulds Baker" neighbor, is anxious to reconstruct; he would like to take the job by contract; in fact he is familiar with all the details, having twice assisted in the work.

He helped reconstruct Texas in 1861, in the interest of Jeff Davis and slavery. He was very active in cheering on the delectable hunt after Union refugees, the extermination of the yankee Nation, and the hanging of the "d-d dutch." He worked at it five years, but his reconstruction did not stick; the net result being three thousand millions of debt, a half million of graves, and the ballot in the hands of the "nigger." A looker on would have thought that one such set-back in a life time would have been enough, even for our sanguine and sanguinary Neighbor. But not so, after recovering breath he became again enthused, and in 1866 aided in the second reconstruction of Texas.

Alas, Alas, Congress put its foot ignominiously and heavily upon his political edifice, and it all went flat. Now is the third time—most fatal of all. Uncle Sam not appreciating the heaven born efforts in the past of our beloved neighbor for "peace and harmony," has concluded to reconstruct without his valuable aid. It is greatly to be feared that General Reynolds does not consult the Herald as to the time when an Election should be ordered; while to cap the climax of all these woes, "we have a paper published among us gloating over these things. It is indeed a wick-wick-wicked world, and Boulds Baker will not save it.

PARAGRAPHS.

Who ever hears of a murder committed at the North for political opinion? Political excitement and acrimony runs frequently as high there as here, and passions become roused to the fullest extent, but with the exception of an occasional scrimmage, generally bloodless, at the polls on election day, nothing serious results from it, and all is forgotten in a few hours. No ambulance, no waylaying and overpowering of defenseless people ever results from a difference of theory in regards to matters of State government. Political, like religious, toleration has become a matter of education, more or less, with the great mass of the people of the North, and until such time as it may receive a similar treatment at South, the repose and good order of the community must be despaired of. The quiet words of General Grant, "Let us have peace," can only be realized when a strong public sentiment not only refuses to shield offenders against the law of the land, but unites vigorously in bringing them to just and proper punishment.

A FRIEND OF OURS who is something of a wit and humorist withal, being at the White House the other day was excessively annoyed by one or two strong-minded women, who were bent on seeing the President whether he would or not see them. After listening to their incessant clamor, gossip and importunity, he perpetrated the following impromptu:

"Oh! for the finger of wisdom,
The gossiping lips to seal,
To write on the White House portal,
Don't talk to the man at the wheel."

WHERE mad stones come from usually we don't know, but one now in the possession of Major James B. Lockhardt, of Athens, Ala., is one which he took out of the stomach of a deer, in 1746. It is dark brown, porous and egg-shaped, is two inches long and one inch thick, and resembles a calculus.

THEODORE Parker used to say that women, by our civilization, "were compelled to choose between marriage and nothing, which very often was a choice between two evils."

Parker says Bayly Johnson, as the representative of America, has gotten all the dinners, and now Motley is coming after her desserts. Which is good—for Punch.

Our Desert.

Like a great many other so-called deserts, the Great American Desert is not so bad as it is painted. There are spots in it which seem to be forsaken alike of nature and of man, but a greater part of the sage-brush country—even the alkali country—is inhabitable, and capable of sustaining a rural population. Nevada, in an agricultural point of view perhaps presents the most forbidding of all the States, will ere long supply her own people with the necessaries of life. The lands of Nevada may be divided into three classes, those which are absolutely worthless (say one-third of the whole area) those which could be made productive by irrigation, and those which may be occupied as ranches without irrigation. The latter class is far more abundant than a casual observer might suppose. The history of Eastern Nevada furnishes a curious illustration of this fact. For the first year or two after the country was opened by the pioneers, it was thought impossible to keep stock in these mountains and valleys through the winter. Now, horses and cattle of all kinds are turned out for the winter, and actually fatten on the white sage and the "bunch grass." The latter is a product remarkably adapted to this climate. It starts very early—as soon as the snow disappears from the valleys—comes speedily to maturity, and, when the rains cease, wisely dries up and turns into a nutritious, standing hay. Its most useful peculiarity is the tenacity with which it clings to its seeds, which (in the variety known as sand-grass) are small, dark grains, which the Indians thrash out and convert into bread, and which cattle devour with avidity, even digging in the sand, sometimes to obtain them. This grass grows in bunches, almost as if planted in hills, and the traveler may frequently discern at a great distance of these bunches, sometimes several square miles in extent, contesting with the sage bush the occupation of the arid soil, and forming, with their light straw-color, a striking contrast to the dusky green and gray of the latter. I should think this grass might be cultivated with success on many sandy soils of the East, and would convert useless waste lands into valuable pastures. On the other hand, it is likely that Winter wheat and barley would do pretty well on some of the land here, even without artificial irrigation, since they would escape the destructive effects of the driest season. At present there are many ranches in the valleys of Nevada where stock-raising, haying, a little cultivation of grains, and a little dairy-work, are carried on with success.

Oat Meal as Food.

An exchange says, "If mothers would have their children grow up clear-eyed and comely, with frames of bone and not of cartilage, with transparent complexion instead of muddy ones, with full and well rounded limbs instead of scrawny ones, then do not always set before them bread of fine flour and highly-seasoned meats, but give them four or five times a week a breakfast of oat-meal mush. Do you say that they don't like it? Perhaps you don't know how to prepare it properly. The Scotch method of preparing oat-meal (or rather one of the methods,) is to make a thin mush, a little thicker than gruel, and the boiling should continue three or five minutes (not more) after the thickening is finished. This eaten with sugar or milk alone, or with syrup, is highly palatable, and is generally liked by children whose tastes are not vitiated."

Oil among the Ancients.

The ancients knew no method of refining oil. As a great luxury, they mixed it with perfumes, such as essence of roses and sandal-wood; but this rather detracted from than added to the burning properties of the liquid, and all that was obtained by the process was an increase of fragrance and a diminution of light. The dwellings of wealthy men like Verres, Maecenas, and Lucullus, who expended extravagant sums upon scented oils, would not have borne comparison, in point of lighting, with the grimest tap-room of a gas-lit public house. The gold and silver lamps, hung by slender, well-wrought chains to marble pilasters, only yielded at their best a lurid tapering flame, that gave out an enormous deal of smoke, fluttered in the slightest breeze, and went out altogether at a gust of wind. Neither was it possible to steady the light by closing apertures through

which the air came; for had Roman or Grecian houses been possessed of glass windows, they would soon have become inhabitable. The fresco paintings of Pompeian villas, the delicate mosaics on the walls of urban palaces, would in less than a month have been hopelessly covered with lamp soot. At the end of an hour's conference of an evening, a party of noble Romans would have resembled a congregation of chimney-sweeps. A tunic dyed in Tyrian purple would have acquired a mourning hue in no time.—All the Year Round.

Lima Beans.

There are probably hundreds of our readers who have gardens and do not raise Lima Beans—at least our observation shows that they are not so generally cultivated as they should be. The Lima is the very perfection of beans, whether taken in its green state or ripe. Any one who has an ordinary good soil can grow them, if he observes the precaution not to plant too early. Make hills by spading in some good compost or well-rotted manure, four feet apart each way. Set a pole firmly in the center of each. The pole need not be more than six or eight feet off the ground. Some recommend twelve, which is a mistake. It is the disposition of climbing plants to get to the top of their support before they begin to bear, and long poles bring late crops. It has been said that good crops can be had without any poles. We have never tried this, but propose to do it this season. Put five or six beans around each pole, pressing them into the soil with the eye downward, and covering about an inch. Early in June, when the cold storms are over, is usually soon enough. When well up, thin to four plants to each pole; and when they first run, if they are disposed to wander, give them a turn about the poles. Keep the ground clean, and pinch in the longer side branches, as well as the top of the vine when it has surmounted the pole.

A man, whose views of slavery were highly offensive to Texas, used to say that this country was too good for negroes; that the superior industry and management of the white race would ultimately supersede the blacks; a prophecy that seems in the process of being fulfilled; but what are we to say of a race whose industry and abstemiousness are too much for the competition of the Caucasian. Many political economists begin to speculate on the effects of opening our Pacific ports, and, through the railroad, the Atlantic slope, to emigrants from Asia with her five hundred millions of over-crowded inhabitants, used to hard work, and to supporting life on the smallest allowance of the cheapest food. A hundred thousand Chinese have already superseded that number of white men in California, and others are constantly coming and likely to come. Some of our contemporaries seem to apprehend a revolution in the character of our population from this source; but we do not believe the emigration from beyond the Pacific will equal that from Europe, which will probably reach the third of a million this year. We confess our aversion, however, to a large emigration of Asiatics.—Galveston Citizen.

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Mr. L. SCHULZ is my authorized Agent during my absence. F. SIMON.

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and an infinite variety of General Merchandise. J. J. PENTENRIEDER.

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Stables from Fairchild's position, near head of the San Antonio river.

Eleven Brooms and one Hat.

These of the latest imported BK combed, on both sides, and the balance broom of P on both sides.

The sale is in a small house, near Mexican head, about 143 yards high.

I will give ten dollars per head for the recovery of the animals, and one hundred dollars for the detention of the same. 22-2-59. E. W. PRAY.

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A dwelling house with four rooms, kitchen, servant room and store room. It is situated on the north-west side of the Alamo, on corner street. For terms apply to Mr. C. VIVIAN, back main street, on Pecos street. 25-2-59. P. MAUREMAN.

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Local Intelligence.

CANDIDATES.

We are authorized to announce A. O. COOLEY, of Gillespie county, as a candidate for Commissioner of the General Land Office, at the next election. Subject to the action of a full Republican State Convention of Texas.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT STOWE, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3.

We are authorized to announce the name of PEYTON SMYTHE, as a candidate for Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, at the coming election.

We are authorized to announce Col. L. B. CAMP, of Bexar county, as a candidate for Commissioner of the General Land Office, at the next election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. ERENDOREFF, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ROBERT D. BURNS, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES N. FINE, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. MACORMAC, as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Bexar county, at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. TEEL, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court for Bexar county, under the proposed new Constitution, at the coming election.

MR. D. H. DAVIS is our authorized Agent, to receive subscriptions and advertisements, and give receipts for the Express.

SUICIDE.—The body of a woman was found this morning hanging to rafters of the house she had occupied. Her name is Garving.

THE LADIES OF THE Presbyterian Church hold their Festival at the Masonic Building this evening at 8 o'clock. Come and share in the good time, and help furnish the ice-cream, cake, lemonade, boned turkey, marjines, coffee, and other delicacies that will be furnished in abundance. Admission 50c. Children half price.

THROUGHOUT the West there is but one voice of good cheer. Kansas will yield a magnificent crop of wheat. In Iowa, the rain unfavorable elsewhere, has benefited the wheat and oats. Illinois has saved her oats and corn successfully, and her fruit orchards promise splendid returns. In Wisconsin the farmers have largely substituted the cultivation of wheat for hops, and their Indian corn will much exceed the returns of any previous year. Tennessee has suffered somewhat in fruit, from late frosts, but the farmers console themselves with the superb promise of their grain fields. While Texas will present, as her contribution to the world's support, such a crop of cotton and cereals as none of her Southern sisters can parallel.

YESTERDAY being the anniversary of the announcement by General Granger of the far famed Proclamation of Abraham Lincoln, was duly celebrated by the colored people of San Antonio. A procession of about 150 persons, with the pupils of four schools, bearing the National flag and appropriate banners, repaired to the San Pedro Springs, where they happily spent the day. They were addressed by M. G. Anderson, Wm. Becker, Dr. Stoen, A. Cook, and others, who made appropriate and patriotic addresses. The proclamation of Freedom was read, and an abundant spread of choice food covered the tables, to which all were welcomed and feasted; and dancing, music by the band, and general festivities, were kept up till the going down of the sun.

DISTRICT COURT.—Meeting of the bar was held at 12 m. Judge Strubling chairman of the meeting. After pleasant introductions to the members of the bar the meeting came to order, and the object stated by Henry Lewis, Esq. In view of the large accumulation of business on the docket, it was thought better by all the members of the bar that some arrangement should be given to Bexar county than the regular seven weeks term affords. In view of such arrangement it was moved by Col. Newton, and unanimously carried, that the Commanding General of the District be requested to so change the term of the District Court that the Bexar Court should commence after all the other courts of the District had been held, namely, December 12th, and continue until all the business shall be disposed of. The meeting of the bar was a full one, and general unanimity prevailed.

We have been out to the farms that were reported injured by the late hail storm, and find the damage even greater than at first supposed. In addition to the places named in our last issue, three or four others were almost ruined, the corn cut into shreds and the cotton beaten into the earth. Some effort, we believe, will be made at replanting cotton, if seed can be procured, which we think somewhat doubtful. On the nearby near York's Creek Church, many milk-eared rabbits were found killed by the hail, which fell in streaks ranging from the size of a buckshot to that of an egg.—San Marcos Pioneer.

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Proposals for Army Transportation. HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of Texas, Office of Chief Quartermaster.

SEALED PROPOSALS. In duplicate will be received at this office, until July 25th, 1863, 12 m., for the Transportation of Army Supplies from the 1st day of August, 1863, until the 30th day of June, 1870, on the following route, viz: Route No. 10 from Columbus, Texas, to San Antonio, Texas.

Bidders will state the rates per 100 pounds for which they will transport supplies. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids offered. Each bid must be accompanied by a guarantee of at least two persons, (whose responsibility may be certified by the Clerk of a Court of Record,) that the bidder is competent to carry out the contract, if awarded to him, and the residence and post office address of each bidder and guarantor, must be stated. No bid entertained, not conforming to these conditions. The attention of bidders is called to Section 16 of the Act of Congress approved July 17, 1862. The amount of Bond required from the contractor will be fifty thousand (\$50,000) Dollars. Form of contract may be seen at the Depot Quartermaster's office, San Antonio, Texas, and at this office. Proposals must be endorsed, "Proposals for Army Transportation on Route No. 10," and addressed to the undersigned. By command of Brevet Major General J. J. REYNOLDS MORRIS S. MILLER, Deputy Quartermaster General. (June 26)

Review of the Market.

Large table listing market prices for various commodities including flour, sugar, coffee, and other goods. Columns include item names and prices.

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REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The National Republican Party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Chicago, on the 20th day of May, 1868, made the following declaration of principles:

FIRST. We congratulate the country on the assured success of the reconstruction projects of Congress, as evinced by the adoption by a majority of the States...

SECOND. The guarantees of Congress of equal suffrage to all loyal men of the South, was demanded by every consideration of public safety, of gratitude and of justice...

THIRD. We denounce all forms of rebellion as a national crime, and national honor requires the payment of the public indebtedness in the utmost good faith to all creditors at home or abroad...

FOURTH. It is due to the labor of the nation, that taxation should be equalized and reduced as far as possible, and the national faith will be maintained...

FIFTH. The Government of the United States should be administered with the strictest economy, and the corruptions which have been so shamefully nursed and fostered by Andrew Johnson, call loudly for a radical reform...

SIXTH. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, that because a man is once a subject he is always so, must be resisted at every hazard by the United States...

SEVENTH. Foreign immigration, which in the past has added so much to the wealth and development of the resources, and the increase of power in this nation...

ELEVENTH. That we recognize the great principles laid down in the immortal Declaration of Independence, as the true foundation of Democratic Government...

Resolved, That we highly commend the spirit of magnanimity and forbearance with which the men who have served in the rebellion, but now frankly and honestly co-operate with us in restoring the peace of the country...

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