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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1875.

Ostrich Feathers.

The raising of ostriches for the teathers, which form so important a feature of the stock in trade of nowadays, appears to have become quite an industry on the Cape of Good Hope, whither the business leaders of the gang which some time ago. has recently been attracted from up robbed and murdered Dambart and Straus, the country. A correspondent saw a flock of twenty of them pasturing bers recently made a raid on the town of in a meadow near the Observatory, Ixtlan. and was surprised to learn that they were valued at \$350 each. They fed on grass like cattle, and required very little care. Usually they are tolerably docine, but at certain seasons they become irritation. The shocks extended to San Christabel, where houses were destroyed and ble, and will sometimes go so far as even to attack any person who hap peus to approach their vicinity. In such cases they do not make use of their beaks, but kick forward at the Spanish Antilles. their antagonist, and as their legs are yery powerful, and the middle toe terminates in a sharp and massive claw, if the blow strikes home | Agents of the three trunk lines running it is sure to inflict a severe and not | West from this city have been notifieed of infrequently a fatal wound. When the reduction of rates made on sugar and enraged they are not very easily coffee only, as follows: Chicago, 30 cents beaten off, and one of them is a per 100 pounds; Dayton, 26 cents; Indianadangerous adversary for an unarm polis, 28 cents; St. Louis, 43 cents; Columed man. Singuiarly enough, not bus, 24 cents; Cincinnal 23 cents; Louis dangerous adversary for an unarmwithstanding their long legs, a fal-len log or a fence a foot high is to them an Imparable barrier—they Chicago. This order is for oar loads of will never try to step over it. Each 18,000 pounds and upward for one consigbird yields from \$150 to \$250 worth of feathers per annum; those from It is believed by merchants that the rethe femnles being gray and those from the males all black, except a merely a beginning of a lowering of all single white plume which grows under each wing, and which is the most valuable of all. As in addition to the teathers a number of young birds are reared each year, within one hour after the announce and as the cost of keeping the flock is small, it will readily be seen that successful ostrich farming is a very lucrative operation.

General Grant and the Louis-iana Delegation.

Mesers. Burk, Zachary and Leonard, the Conservative committee from Louisiana in the interest of the proposed compromise between the contending factions in that State, called on the President yesterday at the same time, frankly confessing that Mr. Wheeler's proposition was not exactly what they thought they were entitled to.

In reply, the President stated that he could not take official cognizance of the negotiations pending between the con tending factions; but that he would be very glad to hear that the difficulties which had for a long time marred the peace and prosperity of Lonisiana had been settled on a basis to command the support of both of the contending factions. The President further stated that he had drawing will undoubtedly take place on the very confidence in the judgment of Mr. Wheeler: that he was eminently a fair to try their luck to invest at once, as Wheeler; that he was eminently a fair man, and he had no doubt would do them full justice. During some further converdable, made happy by securing the \$10,000 sation on the Louisians question the Pres. prize, ident remarked that, had he been Governor of the State, he would, at the first movement of the insubordinates, have ar rested the ringleaders and turned them over to the courts; and further, that he would have faithfully excented the sentenees of the courts; that he would never have consulted his opponents as to what course he should pursue, or as to what appointments he should make. To which Major Burks, the spokesman of the delegation replied : "Mr. President, had you been Governor, the troubles of which we now complain would never have arisen." The President scknowledged the compliment, and the delegation withdrew, Subse quently the delegation had an interview with Mr. Wheeler, and proposed to compromise on the basis of his original proposition, slightly modified in accordance with their views. This Mr. Wheeler destined to secept. giving the delegation to understand that they must accept bis original proposition, otherwise he would 60 Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas,

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gar measures will be taken to enforce the acceptance of this settlement by both of the contending factions in Louisians.

Latest By Mail

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CONTINUED RELIGIOUS EXCITEMENT — AS SASSINATION OF A PROTESTANT.

City of Mexico, Feb. 16, via Havana,-The religious excitement in the country is intense, and there are fears of an outbreak, A Protestant Bible reader has been sesses insted in Vieta Hermoss. The Liberal press demand the punishment of the perpetrators of such outrages bereafter secording to the full vigor of the law. A number of Indies have published oards declaring that their signatures to the recent protest against the law abolishing conventa were obtained under false pretences Others dony that they signed the paper, The Pajare Ferds, an ultramentane jour-

nal, has raised a storm of indignation by declaring that only Messalinas and Aspasias among women now belong to the Liberal party. Even ladies of the Church party protest against the language used.

The police of Jalisco have arrested the bandit Sarmiento, who was one of the two American travelers. A band of rob-

An earthquake at Guadalajara, on the 11th instant, damaged the houses and churches. The Sebornco volcano at the several persons killed.

Mexican vessels have been placed or on the same footing as Spanish in the payment of port and navigation charges in REDUCTION OF RATES OF FREIGHT OD SUGAR

AND COFFEE. NEW YORK, Feb. 25-The Deputy Freight ville 39 cents; Quincy, 43 cents; and all other points on the basis of 35 cents to nee, same wate, and will be so waybilled.

LOUISIANA BONDS. New Orleans, Feb. 21- The consolidated bends of the State went up ten points of the report of the Hear committee in the

recognition of Kellogg. Sennior Nys-Me Misses a Train at

Washington, D C, Feb. 26-On the arrival of the train from Richmond at Alexandris this morning it was discovered that ex-Senator Jas. A. Nye, who, when hast seen, occupied a section of a sleeping car, was missing. His boots were still in his barth. He was on his way North from Jacksonville, Florids, with his daughter, Mrs. Vyas, and his servant. He retired and were introduced by Col. Casey, col. the previous evening in his usual health-President received the committee very cordially, and listened patiently to their fell off the car while in motion, as he had statement. The committee asked the not been heard from at any of the stations President whether in case they should where the train stopped. Some fears have agree to accept the Wheeler compromise lately been felt by his friends that his he (the President) would use his influence mental facilities were waning, and on this to induce the Republican party of Louis account he was induced to join his daughiana to keep faith with its promises, they, ter in Florida, whither she had gone to

LATER A telegram from Richmond says Senator Nye has been found there all safe, and nearly nude. It seemed he slipped out just as the train started and concealed himself in the depot.

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iginal proposition, otherwise he would drop the matter. After further consultation among themselves, at a late hour last night, it is understood, the delegation have concluded to accept Mr. Wheeler's proposition, and the matter will accordingly be settled to-morrow.

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OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF BEXAR COUNTY.

Gen. Joseph R. Hawley has been renominated for Congress by the Republicans of the First District of Connecticut.

MRS. BERMINE, of Leavenworth, Kan., is the last to give birth to end last night at "low twelve." joyed with good cheer. feur children at one time - two boys and two girls.

pointed Miss E. C. Stebbins, of rate, the pain has ceased, except so New Hampton, Chickasaw County, tar as its fearful recollection is tendered the different Associations of the a notary public. She is the only concerned. If there ever was an woman holding that office in the old fraud par eminence in any party, State.

MR. F. T. PALGRAVE, whose "Golden Treasury" is the best an thology of English poems in small compass extant, is compiling "The Children's Treasury," including the best poems for young persons.

The London Academy says that the Scottish collection of ballads known as the "Glenriddell Manuscripts," which Professor Child, of Harvard College, searched for so long, has been found in Edinburgh.

THE German Emperor has prosented to the public library of Geneva, of Switzerland, a splendidly bound copy of the works of Fred erick the Great, in 33 volumes. The edition is that published by the Prussian government, which is not on sale to the public.

It is stated that the Earl of Derby has accepted from Spain, as indemnity for the Virginius outrage on the British subjects, £500 sterling for each white and £300 for each black man murdered.

WHILE Mr. Brancroft, in one sense, concluded his history with the tenth volume, in order that in the event of his death his work might not go into literature an unfinished one, he is now at work upon an eleventh volume, which at least he hopes to add to the previous series.

vertiser calls attention to the fact sign the bill, nor did he wish to vethat no one of the United State to it. He sought to dodge the issue Senators known as Liberal Republentirely, and to throw all the rest when the following proceedings were had, licans will occupy seats in the next ponsibility on others. Now he is to-wit? Senate. It might have added, says compelled to "face the music." On motion, Dr. R. L. Graves was elected the Washington Republican, that not Lieut. Gov. Hubbard says that they one of the weak-kneed Republicans made him "face the music," and also the names of some who were not in the present House will ever be now he wants Coke to be made to present, entered at their request, via:

AN EXTRA SESSION of Congress is probable, if it turns out that some of the important appropriation bills failed of passage last night. A had but one opinion of Coke from Washington special to the St. Louis Democrat dated Feb. 27 says that the statement the President would not call an extra session if the river bill, or allows it to become a law, Shely, W. W.; Shely, Warren O.; Shrock, and harbor, deficiency, and sundry civil appropriations should fail, was fact, we shall think no better of an error. So far as the latter bill Coke than we do now; if he vetoes is concerned, should that fail, it is the bill we shall think no worse of held by the cabinet that an extra him than we do now. The man is Sunday at 5 o'clock P. M. session would be absolutely necessary. This bill, among a great number of minor matters, contains appropriations for all public printing and binding, engraving notes, ever. We do justice to all good that the programme had been published, bonds and currency, revenue service, light house system, expenses of all United States Courts, surveys of public lands, District of Columbia, including all national benevolent institutions, all public buildings, and lighting and heating the same, arsenals and navy yards.

THE FORTY THIRD CONGRESS concluded its existence last night. We have kept our readers pret- dead. ty well posted as to its proceedings. We shall not get the important action on some very grave questions at the very close for a few days. The press dispatches, sas passed by a vote of 149 to 80. as they are received here, will only give us inklings of what has been done, and that in a partizan and garbled manner. We have to depend at last for all true informa- stores the franking privilege temporarily tion on the special dispatches of so for as Congressional Record and other the St. Louis and Cincinnati papers. public documents, and permanently so As fast as they are received the readers of the EXPRESS will get in formation as to all that was done at the close of the session, including the final action on the important measures under discussion, The session has been an earnest, excited, and stormy one, and the whole intry has sympathized with its ribaldi's plan for the improvement of the

MRS. MACMAHON, the wife of the Proceedings of the Texas Veteran Association, March 2nd, 1875. President of France, is said to be a very sensible woman, for the reason that she is obstinately opposed to following: the Parisian tashions that are periodically inaugurated ed in front of the Old Alamo at 10 o'clock, for the rest of the world by the where we were joined by a band of music, "loose women" of the French capital. The example of these strumpets, she says, is not more worthy of imitation in matters of dress than in morals. And she is right.

THE LONG AGONY of deserved punishment which the Republican party of Texas has suffered for Whether or not the victim of this long and well merited suffering will ever fully recover from its ef-THE Governor of Iowa has ap- feets, remains to be seen. At any heart, adopted. it is J. Wainright Flanagan. Without respectable intellect, without the most ordinary culture, without ciation be, and they are hereby, tendered honor, without loyalty to either to M. G. Anderson Esq., the orator of the personal or party friends, the day. States, the disgrace of Texas, and the our aid in contributing to this occasion indelible odium of the Republican party of Texas, he had a species of in trickery and corruption, which enabled him to fill his own capacious and greedy palms and pockets with money the possession of which is a discredit to the high position which he most unworthily filled. But "the place that has known him will know him no more forever." Let us inspire fresh air, and begin life anew, now that this taint is removed from the political atmos-

THE Herald of this city publishes a letter from a correspondent in Austin which is terribly severe on Gov. Coke (so-called) and "little Guy Bryan," the Speaker of the House. The Herald pronounces Coke the most arrant "time-server" Texas has ever had for Governor. The correspondent makes it appear the Hon. J. H McLeary, our member in that Coke has done his utmost, with the help of his tools, the Attorney General and the Speaker of the House, to have the In- sine die. ternational railroad compromise bill defeated, whatever shape it might assume, to avoid having to take any position himself with re-THE New York Commercial Ad- gard to it. He did not wish to do the same thing.

> learn after a while that the Express Kamp, Aston; Lincksweiler, Andrew; rarely makes a mistake in its esti- Riebard; Stevens, E. A.; Williams, H. H; mates of public men. We have Laird, William. the beginning. We think as much badges shown as represented by Mr. Butof him now as we did in 1874. If he signs the International railroad W. G.; Kinney, Thomas; Rife, Thomas; bill, or allows it to become a law, Shely, W. W.; Shely, Warren O.; Shrock, much as we shall be gratified at the G. H. H.; Winner, John; Alsbury, Y. P. States; but also, and above all, for your hopelessly bad, and he cannot redeem himself. We have not opposed him and his administration from any partizan motives whatcondemn all bad and faithless pub lic men, Republicans or Democrats; W. Flanagan in the same category, be assessed against each member.

News Summary.

The President has signed the Civil Righta bill. Adjutant-General Lorenzo Thomas

Congress has adopted a rule that gentlemen attending as witness before either March. House shall be free from arrest, coming.

going, and during stay. The resolution not to interfere in Arkan-

The bill equalizing bounties passed the Senate.

The tax and tariff bill has passed the Senate.

The post office appropriation bill refar as seeds are concerned.

Gov. Kellogg has vetoed a bill to swindle the State of Louisiana of about a mil-

Hotele in Virginia and Baltimore are closing on account of the Civil Rights bill.

GARIBALDI'S PLAN FOR IMPROVING THE HOME, Febr. 23-The Government survayors have made a report, declaring Ga-

SAN ANTONIO DE BEXAR, TEXAS, In pursuance of resolutions previously adopted, we assembled tor the purpose of celebrating the day, and accordingly formthe Mexican War Veterans, the Alamo Rifles, members of the District, County and City officials, also by the Firemen in respectable numbers, and marched in

accordance with the programme published. At the Literary Association the Declaration was read by the Secretary, and a beautiful poem written by Miss Nettie Power Houston for this special occasion, was read by Dr. Geo. Cupples is presence of the matrons and a large assemblage, electing J. W. Flanagan to the and then adjourned to the Menger House United States Senate, came to an and partook of a collation, which all en-

Returning to the old Court House, when the following further proceedings were to flavor, that there is no deception in bothad, to-wit. Resolutions presented by Jas. L. Truc-

That the thanks of this Association be city, as also to the Mexican War Veterans, officials of the State, County and (ity for joining us in celebrating the Day ever memorable and dear to every true Texan. Resolved, That the thanks of this Asso-

Resolved, That the thanks of this Assolaughing stock of the Senate, the butt ciation be, and they are hereby, tendered of the press, the shame of the United to the citizens who so liberally came to

Resolved, that the thanks of the Association be, and they are hereby, tendered to the matrons of the Texas Veteraus, and low canning, and a long experience also to other ladies who graced the celebration by their presence.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Association be, and they are hereby, tendered Miss Nettie Power Houston for her contribution of the beautiful and pathetic poem, which has been read this day on this occa-

requested to furnish Miss Nettie with a copy of the foregoing resolution, (which The following pre-amble and resolutions

That our Secretary be, and he is hereby,

were also presented by Jas. L. Trueheart, T. V., and adopted : Learning that the International railroad bill has passed both Houses of the Legislature, only needing the sanction of the

Jovernor, it was Resolved, That the Texas Veteran Asso ciation of Bexar, respectfully urge and request the Governor to approve the same by signing the bill, and that our Secretary forward a copy of these resolutions with the names of the signers to the same, (which he has done, and the copy sont to

the House). Resolved, That the city papers be reposted to publish the toregoing proceedngs, whereupon the meeting adjourned F. L. PASCHAL,

Chairman T. V. A. B. C. EDWARD MILES, Sec. T. V. A. B. C.

Proceedings of the Veterans of the Mexi-

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, Feb. 25, 1875. In pursuance to a call made by Ms. E. G. Butler, about twenty members met at his store near the Alamo at 8 o'clock P. M.

chairman, and E. Miles acted secretary. A roll of the members present was made, Miles, Edward; Lucas, Wesley; Sharon,

On motion, the banner, emblems, and ler, were adopted.

ABSENT-Immicks, P. H.; Kingsbury, OFFICERS FOR THE MARCH OF THE 2ND. E. G. Butler, banner bearer; E. A. Sterens, color bearer; T. Johnson, Marshal, Adjourned to meet at the same place on

EDWARD MILES, Act. Sec. February 28th met pursuant to adjournment, 'minutes of last meeting read and

approved. and honorable public men. Democ- and extended the invitation to the Mexirate as well as Republicans; we can War Veterans, which was accepted by Dr. R. L. Graves, temporary chairman M. W. V., in a sew well spoken remarks.

Account of Mr. Butler secepted and orand we place Richard Coke and J. dered to be paid, that 50 cents per month

> E. Miles, secretary, and the Chairman were appointed a committee to confer with an orator of the dry. On motion, the thanks of the Associa

tion be extended to Mrs. Butler. The Association were invited by the clobrated composer, dated from Weimar to partake of a collation on the second of March.

MARCH END-CALLED MEETING. Dr. R. L. Graves in the chair, Dr. W. G. Kingsbury secretary. Minutes of last meet-

ing read and adopted. On motion, it was agreed that a permanent organization be now formed for one year. Dr. R. L. Graves was unanimously elected President, and Dr. W. G. Kingebury was elected Secretary. Dr. H. P. Howard was elected assistant Secretary.

Thomas Johnston was elected Treasurer. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Maj. J F Minter, Ed Stevens, E. Miles Sam Meore, Wm Prescott.

FINANCE COMMITTEE Maj T T Teel, Capt F H Heilig, Owen Shaw, Herman Huchner, H P Howard. BY-LAWS AND PRINTING.

Ed Miles, Jacob Waelder, T Johnson Color Bearer, Mexican War Banner-E G Butler. Flag Bearer, Louis Wank. On motion it was resolved that pach person enrolled in this organization state the company to which he belonged, or in what capacity he served.

to hand to the secretary his name as above On motion of the Secretary it was resolved that hereafter when any member of this Association shall die the balance shall follow his remains to the grave so long as there is one of us left.

On motion, it was resolved to meet at the store of Mr Butler on the first Sunday in May to consider the subject of sending a delegation to Austin.

On motion, the meeting adjourned to meet at the same place on Sunday evening next at 4.30 P. M. R. L. GRAVES, W. G. KINGSBURY, President Secretary

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B. G. ANDLEWS Esq., from the country, gave us a pleasant call this morning, and onion seed, raised on his own place, secording to the plan which we elaborately granted. described in these columns last summer. We shall plant and cultivate them according to the same plan.

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these streets to be again overflowed, to default be made in the payment of said the great damage of property, and the promissory note, and whereas, W. G. Kingsbury, the holder of said note as aforesaid. great discomfort of the inhabitants. We have been begged to call the attention of

THE LADIES of the Preabyteriau Churc Rev. Mr. Neil Paster, gave a very fin unch this afternoon, the proceeds of which are for the benefit of their church. We intouded to do ourselves the pleasure of attending, but pressure of business at the very hour prevented. We passed by, however, and witnessed a goodly array of good things and good people.

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der said deed of trust.

Therefore notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1875. said trustee. A. Dittmar, in pursu-1875, said trustee, A. Dittmar, in pursuance of said deed of trust, and the decree of the Hon. District Court, rendered in No. of the Hon. District Court, rendered in No. 4029, J. T. Thornton, administrator, vs. W. W. Shely et als., will sell at public ancition to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door in the city of San Antonio, within the hours prescribed by law, all those certain tracts or parcels of land containing four hundred and eighty acres, one tract containing three hundred and eighty acres, one tract containing three hundred and tracts are appear which the Shely. and twenty acres upon which the Shely rancho was situated and bounded as follows: On the north by the San Antonio Briver, on the east by lands owned by Mary C. Benavides.

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