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Herr Loe, formerly secretary of the German embassy at Paris, Count Hermann Von Arnim, and Dr. Gehlsen, editor of the *Reichsglocke* newspaper, have been tried and convicted at Berlin of violation of the press laws in publishing certain articles. Hermann, who is a son of Count Henry Von Arnim, was sentenced to imprisonment for three months, Loe to one year and Gehlsen for five years.

Three brothers named Potele were indicted for carrying concealed weapons, in Madison county, Tenn. The Sheriff summoned a posse to arrest them and was resisted. In the fight which ensued the Sheriff was killed, one of his posse slightly, and John Polete mortally, wounded. The other brothers escaped.

At the telegraphers' reception in Chicago on February 12, the dancers waltzed to music played in Milwaukee, eighty-five miles away. A waltz and several marches were transmitted by means of the wonderful telephone, the wires playing as distinctly and perfectly as human hands.—*Ex.*

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Sentence of death has been passed by a military court upon Cortina, the notorious Mexican cattle thief. Gen. Diaz has ordered that he be brought to the city of Mexico, and it is believed he will be shot on the way under pretense that he attempted to escape.

Russian ambassadors are in London endeavoring to obtain England's signature to a protocol defining the duties of Turkey with respect to the inauguration of reforms in the Christian provinces.

Baton Rouge *Advocate:* Mr. Wm. Knox was thrown from his horse Tuesday evening and had his left leg broken just above the ankle.

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3. " for maintenance of prisoners,	2750
4. Justices of the Peace,.....	1000
5. Constables,.....	1500
6. District Att'y and Dist. Att'y *pro tem.*,	500
7. Witnesses in Dist. & Parish Courts,	600
8. Jail Physician,.....	250
9. Grand and Petit Jurors,.....	1500
10. Coroner,.....	600
11. Jurors on Coroner's inquests,.....	100
12. Physician attending Coroner,.....	150
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.	
13. Police Jurors' per diem,.....	360
14. Sergeant-at-Arms, ...	60
15. Parish Attorney,.....	300
16. " Printer,.....	360
17. " Secretary and Treasurer,....	900
18. " Recorder, books and fees,...	150
19. Tax Collector, for Parish ass't rolls,	360
20. Parish Syndics of roads, bridges, etc.,	240
21. " Pauper's fund,.....	500
22. " Floating indebtedness, Redemption fund,	3000
23. " Tax Collector's commission,.	1675
24. " Contingent fund,.....	328
25. " Public school fund,.....	2127
Grand total,.....	$20560

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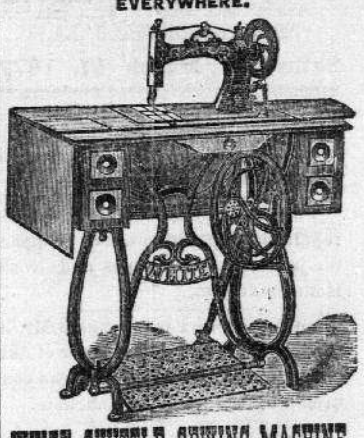

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