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DIRECTORY

STATE OFFICERS.

Governor..... Joseph D. Sayers
Lieut. Governor..... J. N. Browning
Comptroller..... R. W. Finley
Land Commissioner..... Chas Rogan
Treasurer..... John W. Robbins
Attorney General..... Thos. S. Smith
Supt. Public Instruction..... J.S. Kendall

DISTRICT AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Congressman, 11th. district..... R. Kleberg
State Senator 27th district..... D. McNeil Turner
Representatives
85th. district..... F. W. Seabury
86th. district..... Wm. J. Russell
County Judge..... Thomas Carson
County Attorney..... Robt. B. Rentfro, jr.
County Clerk..... Joseph Webb
Sheriff..... Celedonio Garza
Treasurer..... Aug. Celaya
Assessor..... Eoquiel Cavazos
Collector..... Damaso Lerma
Surveyor..... M. Hanson, jr.
Ride Inspector..... Tomas Tijerina

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Precinct No. 1..... Atozenes Oribi
Precinct No. 2..... Jose Celaya
Precinct No. 3..... E. B. Raymond
Precinct No. 4..... Eugene Ke Lar
Justice Peace Precinct No. 2
..... J. I. P. Franklin
County court meets for civil, criminal and probate business on the first Mondays in March, June, September and December.

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor..... Thomas Carson
Chief of Police..... L. H. Bates
Treasurer..... Geo. M. Putegnat
Secretary..... Clemente Martinez
Attorney..... S. A. Beiden, jr.
Surveyor..... S. W. Brooks
Assessor and Collector..... S. Valdez

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

The following are the officers of and the times and places of holding court for the Western District of Texas:

U. S. District Judge..... T. S. Maxey
Attorney..... Henry Terrell
Clerk..... D. H. Hart
Marshal..... Geo. L. Siebrecht
Court convenes in San Antonio on the first Mondays in May and November in Austin on the first Mondays in February and July.
In Brownsville on the first Monday in January and second Monday in June.
In El Paso on the first Mondays in April and October.

TWENTY-EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

District Judge..... Stanley Welch
District Attorney..... John I. Kleiber
District Clerk..... Louis Kowalski
District court meets as follows:
Cameron County—First Mondays in February and 8th. day of October; continues in session five weeks.
Hidalgo County—Fourth Mondays after the first Mondays in February and September; continues in session three weeks.
Starr County—Sixth Mondays after the first Mondays in February and September; continues in session three weeks.
Nueces County—Ninth Mondays after the first Mondays in February and September; continues in session six weeks.

U. S. CUSTOM HOUSE.

J. H. Maris..... Collector
A. Thornham..... Special Deputy
A. A. Browne..... Chief Clerk
E. K. Goodrich..... Entry Clerk
MEXICAN CONSULATE.
Miguel Barragan..... Consul

TIME TABLE

—OF THE—

Rio Grande R. R.

On and after Sept. 15th., 1900, regular passenger trains will run as follows:

REGULAR TRAIN.

Leaves Brownsville (Daily at 9 a. m.
Arrive Point Isabel .. at 10:15 a. m.
Leave at 3 p. m.
Arrive Brownsville .. at 4:15 p. m.

JOSE CELAYA,
GENERAL MANAGER

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

JAMES B. WELLS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office Second Floor Rio Grande Railroad Building.

E. H. GOODRICH, E. K. GOODRICH,
E. H. GOODRICH & SON.
Attorneys at Law.
Dealers in Real Estate.

Complete Abstracts of Cameron County kept in the office.
BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS

JOHN BARTLETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Will practice in District, State and Federal Courts.

Office with Jas. B. Wells, in Rio Grande Railroad Building (opposite).

J.S. McCAMPBELL, R.W. STAYTON,
W.B. McCAMPBELL
McCampbells & Stayton.

Successors to McCampbells & Welch and McCampbells & Son.

Law and Land Office.
Practice in Supreme, Civil Appeal, Federal and other State Courts.

Special attention given to litigation in the Counties of Aransas, Cameron, Duval, Hidalgo, Nueces, Starr and San Patricio.

Abstracts of land titles furnished, and titles examined.
Main office Corpus Christi, Texas.
Branch office Rio Grande City, Texas

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Staple Goods,

Linens, Hosiery

Boots and Shoes,

Hats, Shirts,

Notions, e c.

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RICE WILL CASE.

A. T. Patrick's Lawyers Make a Statement.

New York, December 7.—Logan Demond & Hardy, attorneys for Albert T. Patrick in civil matters, made the statement today that some one interested in the first alleged will of William M. Rice has approached the heirs named in the so-called second will filed for probate by Mr. Patrick and offered to pay them the full amount of their respective bequests on condition that they would remain from contesting the instrument filed first for probate.

Isaac Sargent, a representative of the firm, who returned last night from a visit to the heirs at Sarinae, Springfield, Mass., and other places, said: I went to see the various Eastern heirs named in the will filed by Mr. Patrick in order to personally serve citations upon them. My endeavor was to facilitate as much as possible the probate of the will filed by Mr. Patrick. The sum total of their conversation with me was that they had been promised by the representatives of the people who are anxious to sustain the first will that they would receive, by way of compromise, the same interest that they would take if the probate of the will filed by Mr. Patrick should be successful so that whatever happens, the result would be the same, so far as they were concerned and there would be no expense to them.

"I saw none that found any fault with the will filed by Mr. Patrick. The heirs seemed to have known Mr. Rice fairly well and this last will seems to be in accordance with Mr. Rice's promises to some of them. They all denounce the first will and some of them seem to know the reason why it was drawn and signed by Mr. Rice. I can not tell you now what reason is, but it may be brought out in court later."

LET HIS BOY GO TO JAIL.

Congressman Meekison Said Thirty Days in Jail Would Teach His Son a Lesson.

Washington, D. C.—George Meekison, the 16-year-old son of Representative Meekison of Ohio, was in the police court this morning on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The exhibit against him consisted of a pair of brass knuckles, a revolver, a box of cartridges and four railroad torpedoes. The boy said he was about to leave for Ohio and wanted to protect himself from tramps. Judge Kimball thought the law had been violated and imposed a sentence of 30 days in jail or a fine of \$50. Representative Meekison thanked the judge for the sentence and said he would let the boy go to jail in the hope it would teach him a lesson.

The quart's probably considered William Penn mightier than the sword.

A NEW BOER REPUBLIC

May Be Created with the Permission of England.

New York, December 7.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin says: The London correspondent of the Leipsiger Tageblatt has received from a highly placed personage in England the following communication:

"If the Boers should now surrender, England will permit them to create a new Boer republic in the northern half of the Transvaal. It is in order to keep the possibility of this open that England has not yet officially announced to the powers the annexation of the Transvaal. One of the first conditions, however, is the announcement that the surrender must be made by Kruger. It is said he will be soon inclined to that course. In his visit to the French it taught him that any number of empty assurances of help would not come in the form of political help. It will make a further contribution to the education of Mr. Kruger, and it will be due to her alone that the Boers will owe thanks if England makes them concessions."

This statement acquires some importance from the fact that the semi-official Post reproduces the story and adds that it does not sound improbable, as England has every interest to erect a strong bulwark against the warlike tribes of Central Africa in order to insure the possession of territory they have just acquired.

What Would You Give

To be cured of catarrh? If you or your friends have this disease, you know how disagreeable it is. Its symptoms are inflamed eyes, throbbing temples, ringing noises in the ears, headaches, capricious appetite, and constant discharge of mucus. Fortunately its cure is not a question of what you will give, but what you will take. If you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great constitutional remedy, which thoroughly purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, you may expect to be completely and permanently cured. The good blood which Hood's Sarsaparilla makes, reaching the delicate passages of the mucous membrane, soothes and rebuilds the tissues and ultimately cures all symptoms of catarrh.

GERMANY AND KRUGER.

Government to Issue a Statement. Anglo-German Treaty in Regard to Africa Had to Do With Snub.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—I learn from a usual source that the German government has issued one form or another an exhaustive declaration which will justify its policy concerning Mr. Kruger in the eyes of the public. In this declaration there will be a passage in which the government will refer to the Anglo-German secret treaty regarding Africa, which inspires its present attitude.

TO SELL CASTELBANE'S YACHT

French Court Orders It to Auction If 750,000 Francs Are Not Paid.

Havre, Dec. 7.—At the civil tribunal today M. Davillier asked the court to sanction the seizure of the yacht Valhalla, belonging to Count Boni de Castellane, for 750,000 francs. M. Henry Bonnet of the Paris bar, on behalf of Count Boni de Castellane, stated that the yacht cost 850,000 francs, and 300,000 francs more were spent on her. He asked for delay on account of the case now pending in Paris, but the court refused to listen to him, and ordered the amount to be paid before the end of February, failing which the Valhalla will be put up at public auction, with a reserve price of 550,000 francs.

RECOMMENDS INDEMNITY.

A Mexican Was Lynched in La Salle County, Texas.

Washington, December 7.—In relation to the lynching in La Salle county, Texas, on October 5, 1895, of Florentino Suaste, a Mexican citizen, the president, in a special message to the senate today, recommended that the Mexican government be paid \$2000 for the heirs of the victim. The recommendation made from motives of humanity and "without reference to the question of liability of the government of the United States."

SCARED HIM TO DEATH.

Fatal Effects of a Sudden Appearance of a Deserted Wife.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 7.—Confronted by the wife whom he had deserted in England for another woman, William Boulton dropped dead. After the autopsy the verdict was announced that death had resulted from fright.

The manager: "How came you to leave your last place?" Applicant: "I was discharged for good behavior, sir." The manager: "Discharged for good behavior! That's unusual, isn't it?" Applicant: "Well, you see, good conduct took three months off my sentence."

It is easier to start a war than to stop it. The same rule applies to a war tax.—New York World.

A Cherokee Indian, after having been in the penitentiary five years, returned to his tribe, but he had forgotten their language.

A man who holds his head up high may stumble, but he never crawls.—Saturday evening Post.

There are few people who are more often in the wrong than those who can not endure to be thought so.—Rochefoucauld.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative-Bromo Quinins Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.