





Local Intelligence.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS

Table with columns for ARRIVE and DEPART, listing mail routes to ALLETON, VICTORIA, WACO, EL PASO, EAGLE PASS, and CORPUS CHRISTI.

Entertainment AT THE CASINO HALL

Saturday Night, Feb. 15th, 1869.

None but members and their guests (strangers) admitted. (Feb 12 ds.)

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD.—As will be seen in our columns, the Government advertises bids for wood, for Fort Duncan.

PROF. DELLING'S SCHOOL was a pleasant affair on Wednesday evening. His school is increasing very fast, and his scholars learn rapidly.

WANTED TO PURCHASE.—Capt. Bonner, chief of police, wishes to purchase a lot in the center of the city. Who wants to sell?

NEEDLES AND FISHING TACKLE.—Andrew Clark & Co., 48 Maiden Lane, New York, advertise with us that they have on hand Fishing Tackle and the Warren Needle, which has for the last thirty years had a world-wide reputation.

THE HOUSE.—For the first time in weeks our despatches contain some interesting news. The scene in the House of Representatives, in joint session to count the Electoral vote, presented an unprecedented proceeding.

The debates in the House upon Butler's motion to censure Vice-President Wade, will be awaited with interest.

MOUREAU & GROSS.—at New Braunfels, advertise their business in our columns today, as Commission Merchants and Cotton Factors. These gentlemen are reliable business men, and will look after the interests of their customers.

POLICE ITEMS.—Feb. 16.—Benj. Laurence arrested upon a charge of violating a city ordinance by being drunk and disorderly on the public streets. Fined \$5 and costs. David Marshall, drunk and disorderly on the public streets. Fined \$5 and costs. David Garcia, drunk and disorderly. Fined \$3 and costs.

TO THE CITY MARSHAL: I think it my duty to advertise and to inform the police of the city, that my grindstone is stolen from my yard last night, and that the thief has gone through the adjacent lot, as it is to be seen.

F. MOLLER, opposite H. Grenet's warehouse south.

COMMERCIAL.—Our quotations in Groceries have undergone a little change. Coffee has advanced 1 1/2 cent, in New Orleans, and quotes in this market at 21 to 22 and 23 to 24; corn ranges from 56 to 60c; potatoes, Irish, \$2 to \$10 per barrel; Bitters, Hostetters, \$10 per doz.; Hides have advanced to 12 and 13 cents per pound. Dry-Goods remain nominal—high rates of freight are now demanded from the coast, averaging from \$3.50 to \$5 per hundred, which must effect the market here. Business continues slack, a heavy trade is anticipated by the opening of Spring.

THE MEXICAN.—The meeting held in our city Tuesday night, which was engineered by the Austin "Ring" and presided over by Confederate General Knox, with "Confederate Commissioner" Maverick, who now owes the Government for all the property given to him by traitor Twiggs, amounting to three millions or more of money, as Vice-President, seems to have been a decided failure, so far as the orator of the occasion is concerned.

This individual—Rossy—fading himself in the presence of the barefooted, could not articulate a word for some time. Finally he stammered out:

"We have had a four years war." A by-stander—one of the faithful—replied, in an under-tone: "Every d—d fool here knows that," another remarking, *sic* *coec*, "and they can tell by our clothes that we don't belong to the winning side."

A LETTER FROM THE RING.—Alexander Rossy, the low light of Democracy, is in possession of a letter from J. P. Haynes, the grand liar of the Austin Ring, and Andrew Johnson, collector of internal revenue for Austin, which letter traduces Gen. Davis, the President of the late constitutional convention, and states that he was displaced from his position as President of that body, and that Armstrong of Lamar, was installed President with the connivance of Gen. Canby. We can inform the parties that such lies will not accomplish their purposes. Gen. Davis adjourned the convention, after which Jack Hamilton's drunken faction went through the same of organizing with the old Genl. Armstrong, in the year. The substance of the letter is as follows: "I am acquainted with you, Gen. Canby, who told them to go home. They were 'drunk' and 'small' and 'small' and were told that if more than two of them attempted to enter the constitutional hall at one and the same time they would be lynched. The letter referred to is expected to appear this morning in the Herald. Rossy should be careful how he talks about what is to appear in his paper, for the 'editors' appear very susceptible."

The Editor of the *Democrat* Monday is in receipt of the following from Gen. Canby:

Please place the name of those individuals upon your subscription list, and inform them that they are to be placed upon the same. The names of those individuals are as follows: Rossy, Haynes, Johnson, and Armstrong. The names of those individuals are as follows: Rossy, Haynes, Johnson, and Armstrong.

Denton Monitor. We most respectfully decline, as it is not our custom to place a name on our books before the money is "plunked down."

Ah, the cash system, which experience has prompted us to adopt, gives us the "drap" on thieves, greenback-grabbers, and swindlers. They can't get the Monitor, ah, he—without the "cash."

Review of the Markets: Wholesale Prices Current—Quotations in Goods.

Daily Express Office, Feb. 12, 1869. Corrections made in our Prices Current weekly. Our quotations of today are nominal with a few exceptions:

Dry-Goods, Prints, Sings, &c. do purple & pink. do blue & black. do white & black.

Brown Domestic, Indian Head, 4-4. Harrisburg, 4-4. Tronout C, 4-4. Suffolk, E. Bedford, R.

Brown Drills, Stark A. Superior.

Blonched Domestic, Lehigh 4-4. Masonville 4-4. Hope 4-4. Red Bank 4-4. Green H. C. Cameo.

Picks, Amoskeag A C A. Amoskeag A. Algonquin.

Hickory Stripes, York. Heymaker. Pittsfield.

Jeans and Kerseys, Alpine. Longworthy. Hillside. Beverly Twills.

Sewing Cotton, Coats & Do. Green and Daniels. Blackstone.

Lansey, White, Rock. Stillman, solid. Oakland.

Boots and Shoes, Brogans, split & doz. Men's Buff Brogans. do Brogans wax. Brogans, Boys. Men's Calf Boots. do Grain do. do Kip do. do But sewed.

GROCERIES, Crackers, Butter and Soda. Sugar. Beans, Mexican. Candles 16 oz. do. do 14 oz. do. do 12 oz. do. do WAX 1/2 lb.

Coffee, Rio, ordinary to Fair. Prime to Choice. Java.

Candy, Stick. Rock. Fancy.

Chocolate, Sweet. Vanilla.

Fish, Kit—Mackerel, No. 1. Cod, 1/2 box. do 1/4 do.

Flour, Choice & bbl. XXX. XX. X.

Fruits, Raisins, 1/2 box. do. Lemons, 1/2 doz. Prunes, 1/2 doz. Fig, 1/2 dram.

Dried Apples. Currants. Citron. Almonds. Pecans, 1/2 bushel.

Porter and Ale, London Porter, 1/2 pint. do do 1/4 quart. Bremer Beer 1/2 pint.

do choice Goshen. Potatoes, Northern & bbl. Onions, 1/2 bbl. Krons, 1/2 bbl. Rice, 1/2 doz. Salt, fine and coarse. Sugar, 1/2 doz. do Crushed & bbl. do Pow'd & bbl. Whiskey, rectified 1/2 gal. Bitters, Hostetters, 1/2 doz. do Boker's, 1/2 doz. Brandy Cherries, 1/2 doz. do Peaches, 1/2 doz. Soap, Northern, 1/2 lb. Sardines, 1/2 box. Starb, 1/2 lb.

Spices, Pepper. Cloves. Nutmeg.

Tobacco, Virginia, 1/2 lb. Navy, 1/2 lb. Smoking, 1/2 lb. Sunny Side, gross.

Tea, Imperial, 1/2 lb. Young Hyson, 1/2 lb. Oolong, 1/2 lb.

Wines, Port, 1/2 gallon. Madeira, 1/2 gallon. Sherry, 1/2 doz. Claret, 1/2 doz. Vinegar, Cider, 1/2 gal.

Hardware, Axes, 1/2 doz. Hoes, 1/2 doz. Iron, 1/2 lb. Sweet, assorted, 1/2 lb. Sheet Iron, 1/2 lb. Castings, 1/2 lb. Plow Iron, 1/2 lb. do Steel, 1/2 lb. Bar Lead, 1/2 lb. Nails and Spikes, 1/2 keg. Coffee Mills, 1/2 doz. Ox Chains, 1/2 lb. Iron Axes, 1/2 lb. Buggy Springs, 1/2 lb. Vices, 1/2 lb.

Hides, Dry Beef. Kips, dry. Moss, dry.

Proposals for Corn, HEADQUARTERS, FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, STATE OF TEXAS, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASER, Austin, Texas, January, 30th, 1869, SEALED PROPOSALS.

In duplicate will be received at this office until Saturday, February 20th, 1869, at 12 M., for furnishing the Quartermaster's Department at San Antonio, with Fifteen thousand (15,000) bushels of Corn in sacks.

All bids to furnish the above must be for merchantable, sound, shelled corn, subject to the inspection of the receiving officer.

Delivery to commence on the 1st of March, 1869, and to proceed at the rate of not less than 500 bushels of the above amount per month, and to be continued until the whole quantity is continuously supplied at such rate.

Satisfactory evidence of the solvency of each bidder and of the security of his bid, will be required.

The right to reject any or all bids that may be offered, is reserved.

Proposals to be plainly endorsed "Proposals for Corn at San Antonio," and addressed to the undersigned.

By command of, Bvt. Maj. General CANBY, J. A. POTTER, Bvt. Brig. Gen. & Chf. Qr. Mstr. 5th Mil. Dist. Feb. 5th 1869.

Hartmann, Egar & Co., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, BOOK STORE AND GENERAL AGENTS.

Opposite San Antonio National Bank, Commerce St., San Antonio, Texas.

Will make cash advances on all Merchandise consigned to them for sale.

Particular attention given to the sale of Cotton, Wool, Hides, Flour and Corn, and Cash advances made on same.

REFERENCE—San Antonio National Bank Jan. 21. 69. 3m.

Proposals for Corn, HEADQUARTERS, FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, STATE OF TEXAS, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASER, Austin, Texas, February 4, 1869, SEALED PROPOSALS.

In duplicate will be received at this office, until Monday, March 1st, 1869, at 12 M., for furnishing the Quartermaster's Department at Fort McKavett, Texas, with such quantity of Corn as may be required, until June 30, 1869.

All bids to furnish the above must be for merchantable, sound, shelled corn, subject to the inspection of the receiving officer.

Delivery to commence by the 15th of March, 1869, and to be continued in such quantities and at such times as may be required by the receiving officer.

The bids to be required to accompany his proposals with guaranty, signed by two responsible parties, that in case his bid is accepted, he or they will, within ten days after date of such acceptance, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient securities. The responsibility of the guaranties must be shown by the official certificate of a Clerk of a Court of Records.

Form of bid may be seen on application at this office.

Bids to be plainly endorsed, "Proposals for Corn at Fort McKavett," and addressed to the undersigned, By command of, Bvt. Maj. General CANBY, J. A. POTTER, Bvt. Brig. Gen. & Chf. Qr. Mstr. 5th Mil. Dist. Feb. 7th 1869.

Livery and Sale Stables. East Side Alamo Plaza, San Antonio Texas. G. WILLIE PEAY & CO.

Having purchased all the right, title and interest of the firm heretofore existing under the style of Spangler & Peay, will continue the business at the old stand. Returning thanks for former patronage, we hope to merit in future, the confidence of the public.

Mules and Horses bought and sold at reasonable rates, nov. 13'68 dtf.

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Lundreth's Garden Seeds. GROCERIES. October 23rd, 1868, dtf.

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Passengers leave San Antonio on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock a. m. for Eagle Pass and Fort Clark.

Via Castrovilla, New Fountain, Dhanis and Hvalde. Fare Reduced. These routes have been newly stocked and the FARE REDUCED to the unprecedented low price of 15 cents Currency per mile.

T. G. WILLIAMS, Agent, at Steele & Williams, No. 10, Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas, October 16, 1868. dtf.

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Doors, Windows, Blinds and Millings of every description. Rippling and Planing Lumber, Making 1 inch and 2 inch Flooring, and all other articles connected with the Carpenter Business. Seasoned Lumber, White and Yellow Pine and Louisiana Swamp Cypress constantly on hand.

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