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THURSDAY, NOV. 2, 1871.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The Express is the official organ of the United States, and of the county of Bexar and the City of San Antonio.

The Express is the appointed official organ of the Judicial District composed of the counties of Bexar and Wilson, and of the 27th Judicial District composed of the counties of Medina, Uvalde, Bandera, and Maverick; also for the 1st Judicial District, composed of the counties of El Paso and Presidio.

The Express is the official organ for the 27th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Comal, Blanco, Kendall, Kerr, and Gillespie.

We regret that the resolutions of the

Republican State Executive Committee,

adopted at its meeting in Austin, on the

23d inst., reached us too late for publication, in condensed form, in this issue.

Republicans will find great encouragement

in the noble expressions of the men, who

compose the Committee, who are convinced

that our principles are right, and will

continue to prevail forever in a free country.

The Committee is unqualified and

straight-forward in its utterances, and

discusses all matters pertaining to the

party, fully. We have hard work before us,

for the enemy is well organized, and the

policy, marked out by the Committee

should be closely followed, to insure suc-

cess.

The Democratic papers of the State are now busily publishing a batch of fabricated evidence in regard to the cause of mar-

tial law in Limestone county, the subject of which is to show that the Governor's

proclamation was unnecessary. It is so

difficult undertaking for the Democracy to obtain all the statements, and even affida-

vias, they may require, pro or con, on any

political subject, but they will find it easier

another thing to make the law-abiding

people believe that there were no lawless

demonstrations, against peaceful voters,

made in Limestone during the late elec-

tion.

We are glad to be informed that a new telegraphic line, we believe the Atlantic and Pacific by name, will be completed to New Orleans next week, and that it will be pushed on to Texas rapidly. In connec-

tion with the same is a new "associated press" company, for the transmission of news to the papers. The telegraph com-

pany propose to reduce the price of pri-

ate messages to a very low price, and the "Associated Press" company will also

make equally liberal reductions to news-

paper. This enterprise and competition

has been long needed, and we rejoice that

the people of the South are so soon to be

delivered from the past outrageous monop-

oly. As politics and favoritism are to be

entirely excluded by the above organization,

we would suggest that the whole State of Texas resolve to give an undivided

support to the same. All the Texas peo-

pers should join together in getting the

"press dispatches," that the price may be

reduced to the lowest possible figure. Let

the News, Civilian, Bulletin, Union, Tele-

graph, Times, State Journal, Gazette,

Statesman, San Antonio Express, Herald,

and other papers, make a start in this im-

portant matter.—State Journal.

The Railroad Convention at Shreveport did the usual amount of wind work.

Among the enunciations put forth by those

present is the allegation that the North

Louisiana and Texas Railroad will be

transferred with a perfect title to men of

capital, who will with the assistance of

the people along the line, close the gap

between Monroe and Shreveport. Although

this transfer has not been consummated it

is believed that all the difficulties be-

tween the parties litigant have been ar-

ranged upon a basis which will insure the

sale of the road and the satisfaction of all

outstanding demands upon the road.

The Southern Pacific, it was rumored

had closed a contract for iron for the ex-

tension of the road beyond Longview, while the International is being rapidly con-

structed, and will in the next twelve

months reach the line of the Southern

Pacific. By this means connection will be

opened with Houston.—Galveston Citizen.

An effort will be made at the approach-

ing session of Congress to establish a postal

telegraph system. We hope it will suc-

ceed. Such vast interests of the public

entrusts to the telegraphic wire should

not be placed in the hands of private in-

dividuals or corporations. The postal tele-

graph system has done well in Great Bri-

tain, and it will do well in this country.

It looks very much as if Mr. Whitmore

would follow in the steps of Gen. Clark.

We sincerely hope so. Mr. Whitmore we

believe is fairly pleased, and we think

Northeastern Texas deserves a Republi-

cans Representative to bring it up to that stage

of advancement which marks every part

of Texas under direct Republicans, inde-

pendence—Houston Citizen.

We regret to announce that Lt. Governor

Campbell is seriously ill. We hope

that it will be of but short duration.

Senator Phelan was chosen to preside

over the Senate during the illness of the

Lt. Governor.—State Journal.

The recent Bonapartist alarm, men-

tioned in the telegrams, seems to have been

accompanied by no serious develop-

ment on the part of the late Emperor, who

is still living quietly in England.

Our latest advice state, that another

race has occurred between the English

yacht Livonia and the Columbia, and that,

this time, the latter was beaten.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

[SPECIAL TO THE SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS.]

London, Nov. 1.—Reorganization of British army is progressing; regiments are being broken up, war standing, immediate armament of war material.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Correspondence of the government with government offices in India, indicates a determination to grant out polygamy in Salt Lake.

Commercial Telegrams.

It is thought the French Assembly will remove its sessions from Versailles to Paris during the winter, on account of cold weather. The means of protection against winter in the snows at Versailles is not deemed adequate.

The cotton movement for the week has been large both in receipts and exports. Receipts at all ports 96,969 bales against 22,528 bales the previous week, and 46,044 bales three weeks since. Total receipts since Sept. 26, 62,030 bales against 437,600 bales for the corresponding period the previous year, showing a decrease this year of 74,853 bales. Exports from all ports for the week 39,911 bales, against 41,388 bales the same week last year. Total exports for the expanded portion of the cotton year 159,151 bales, against 169,925 bales for same time last year. Stock at all ports 910,506 bales against 921,908 bales for the same time last year. Stock at interior towns 424,432 bales against 394,800 bales last year. Stock in Liverpool 518,000 bales, against 609,000 last year. Indian cotton export for the week 39,503 bales, against 29,577 bales last year.

Weather at the South was generally favorable for picking operations.

Treasury purchases one million bonds each Wednesday, and sells one million gold the 1st, 3d, and 5th Thursdays of November.

Solomon Ellenein was shot and instantly killed on the 28th inst., at Tigerville, Terrellsboro parish, by William Vorhees, a desperado. The murderer was arrested.

The mayor of the city of Salt Lake and four others, have been arrested by the United States Marshal, charged with the murder of prisoners, and taken to Camp Douglas. Some wild words attended the proceedings, but no resistance. Orson Hyde, one of the twelve apostles, flew southward to avoid arrest.

A dead body has been found near the

city, with four bullet holes in it.

Warrants were out for Brigham Young

and his son, Joe, on charge of the murder

of Richard Yates. The indictments are

based upon the testimony of Bill Hick-

man, formerly a secret agent of the Mor-

mons.

Prisoners quartered comfortably.

Elder Gee, O'Connor arrived on the 30th

inst., from San Francisco, and preached

the same afternoon in the large tabernacle

to an audience numbering about 10,000.

He counseled his hearers to abstain from

any act of violence and submit to the law.

God would protect them and deliver them

from their persecutors. The crowds gathered

him, as said, would only strengthen and

glorify them in the end. The Church

would not be overthrown; their faith was

the inspiration of the divine spirit, and would endure forever.

Elder Pratt, however, did not seem very

anxious to let him speak. "I am sorry for you," he said, "but I have no sympathy from any Federal official." He seemed to go to jail for twenty years, but did not want any injury for me or others. He predicted that God would totally overthrow and anni-

hilcate the present persecutors of the

Mormon people.

Nothing further has been heard from

Orson Hyde, the apostle.

Major and many of the officials of Lexington, Ky., were arrested on indictment from Federal Court, charged with felony, growing out of disturbances at August elections.

Shipment of California wheat abroad this season—aggregate 470,000 bushels.

Available shipping now in the State is estimated at 50,000 tons.

It is stated in official circles that Brig-

ham Young is 120 miles South of Salt Lake

City, with his course still upward. It is

not known to what point he was bound.

Some think he intends to leave the coun-

try, and others that he will find a refuge in St. George, 360 miles from Salt Lake.

It is certainly doubtful whether he will ap-

pear for trial, and whether the heat of the

church will bear until the trouble is over.

Delegate Hooper has gone to Washington

to see the President, and to endeavor to

effect some compromise. The church is in

the greatest ferment.

A reporter of the Tribune called upon the

woman in whose barn originated the fire

which destroyed the city of Chicago on

last Sunday night and Monday morning.

It was the intention to "interview" her re-

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

WHAT DOES HE MEAN?—A. Wolff sells smoking pipes and children's balmors at fifty cents. The figures marked on the different articles indicate mental aberration.

STRANGERS in addressing citizens will make themselves very popular by always calling everybody as "general." This is a sin, on the principle that the greater contains the lesser.

EXTRAORDINARY STATE.—One that fit No. 12 boots—but that accomplished by a small man encumbered with a large barrel, about sunrise this morning, he cast a heavy shadow nearly half way across the Main Plaza.

MILITARY PRISON.—On the Sunday morning the following named prisoners left this city under guard enroute for the penitentiary of Baton Rouge, La.

David Philo, private Co. 14th Cavalry, under sentence of imprisonment for twelve years, for having unlawfully resisted the authority of the officers of the day, Lieut. Taylor, by drawing a pistol during the scuffle which ensued, the Lieutenant was slightly wounded in the hand by the discharge of the pistol. This happened on July at Fort Griffin.

Private Gorman, Yates, and Evans, sentenced to two years imprisonment each for desertion from Fort Griffin.

Private Chas. P. Sin, sentenced to imprisonment for five years for stabbing a comrade at Fort Stockton in Sept. 1870. Pain is described as a desperate character.

They left this city under a strong guard in charge of Lieut. Alured Lark.

The following is a List of Marriage Licenses, issued by the Clerk of the District Court during the month ending October 31st, 1871.

Samuel Haywood and Maggie Wood, Charles Harris and Julia Irvin, et al.; Abraham Coker and Jennie Matthews; Eduardo Martinez and Juana Flores; George Franklin and Ella Simpson, et al.; Constable Leyer and Magdalena Lopez, hard.

Jesus Tarango and Tiburcio Lopez; Inocencio de Leon and Domingo, Salas.

George Roberts and Hattie Brown, et al.; Andreas Dehoff and Catharine Hoffmann; Simon Lipok and Mathilda Kaermack; John G. Manning and Mary Randle.

Henry C. Ferris and Mary L. Luckey; Julius Schustag and Ellen Frances Schaub.

Sam'l W. Morris and Augusta P. Gleason; Priscilla Flores and Carolina Aguirre.

John Shriner and Josephine Keller; Joseph Kellee and Matilda Schutte.

It is more than probable that within the space of a few years, three lines of railroad will centre in this city, as it is evident that Mr. Pierce will carry out his contract, also that the Indiana road will be built, while the completion of the International has always been looked upon as a certainty. Those who have had occasion to observe the effect of railroads upon towns and cities elsewhere predict an increase of population, wealth and enterprise, that will go far beyond the wildest dreams of the most sanguine. There will be an influx of Northern capital and Yankee ingenuity, that will cause the San Antonio of to-day to be remembered very much with the same feelings we now look back upon the local condition of things twenty years ago. When San Antonio finally gets within hours travel beyond New Orleans, on the great natural highway to the Pacific, she will have secured for herself a position of which she cannot be dispossessed; she will be sooner or later the Atlanta of Texas. But there is always a reverse side to every picture. Our most responsible men will wear eye glasses, part their hair in the middle, and anck the ends of their little noses worse than ever. Our honest tax payers will be murdered in their counting rooms, as happens in every well regulated city of any importance, corner leasers from New Orleans will injure among us, and stare our wives and sisters out of countenance, in a manner that has never been equalled in this community, except in one or two instances, and the streets will be made unsafe with Grecian bands and waterfalls. These will be the first fruits of civilization, and we can see them budding already. We call the attention of every patriotic man to the daily increasing number, size and color of the store signs that obstruct our side-walks, and also to the fact that objection has been raised to the time honored local custom of using the street as a sun pen. Coming events cast their shadows before. The railroad is coming.

REPRODUCTION.—The prevalence of the mail, which has set in with great severity, it appears that business or pleasure, and the usual wagon, frequently bring to our lonely western city at least two or three dozen strangers each week, and it is peculiarly within the province of the local editor to give them information, interests and hints and suggestions as may be of value to them during their sojourn in our charming city. Supposing that the victim of malignant conscience has not succumbed to the baseness of tampering through the medium here and elsewhere, and has actually arrived in our city safe and sound, we suggest that he put up at the "Menger," because it is the best hotel in Texas, is in a dry state, and we would have the infatuated wanderer get a good impression of San Antonio. Let me start, that he may be better able to bear a few discrepancies than await him. If he can't put up with what we give at the Menger, we shall put him down as a man that has always been in straightforward circumstances, and therefore no gentleman, and unworthy of notice. Now the first thing the atheist bumper generally wants to do is to gash about the ALAMO. This is right, but for Heaven's sake don't make a mistake and go over to the Alamo park in front of the Menger, like a cabbage-head New York drummer did, last spring, and slop over thus: "How majestic! What painful memories do you around this venerable, venerable, pile?" Just then he was interrupted by a butcher, who made a coarse remark which indicated that he well understood the nature of the gentleman's complaint. That was piled on the agony a little too mountaneous, and he piled no more just then. The citizens of San Antonio who hold in greatest remembrance the memory of the men who have given that old Alamo an immortal page in history, would have erected a suitable monument long since, but are waiting to see if some fool, taken from Massachusetts, where they have no school tax to pay, won't do it for them. If their names are not forgotten before that monument is erected, they will be handed down from generation to generation. And I venture to a precious memorandum of the battle against the Mexican occupation and usurpation, by their grateful and appreciative countrymen (which I applied for). We mention the "good citizens" however, against whom living the tiger dark, for if he were not chewed up by dogs, he would certainly get

sink in the mud bottom, to cattle that lounge around after them, and we have seen some of those who said that the cows had eat them, and that they were to eat them out by themselves. We shall from time to time make similar suggestion for the direction of fresh victims, and right here we would hint that in order to improve their minds and cultivate their intellects, they subscribe to the WEEKLY EXPRESS without delay.

A correspondent of the N. Y. Tribune, writing from New River, Virginia, describes the habits and customs of some of the mountainers in that section. He says:

"Among their social customs are two which seem to be handed down from ancient history. One is the custom for commonly firing the gun in the house, which, I think, denotes safety, for it is their custom not to marry a woman until her first child is born. For this they give, only enough impression that the people are poor, doctors not attainable, and the birth of the first child, as they believe, always dangerous to the mother's life, wherefore the intending husband chooses to wait the arrival upon the parents the trouble of a possible funeral. He wants a wife who will wash, sew and keep house, but if she is to die, he doesn't want her at all."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Information having reached this office that some parties in San Antonio, Texas, other than our regular authorized agents, were advertising themselves as agents for our machine. We hereby caution the public not to purchase of them, for while they have procured in an unhandy and dishonest method, a few of the wretched Singer Family Sewing Machines, they cannot continue to be supplied, as the Singer Manufacturing Company have but one agent in any designated locality; and the only authorized and responsible Singer Sewing Machine Agent for San Antonio and vicinity, is Messrs. Reed & Mather, No. 69 Commerce Street.

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CITY BREVIETIES.

Statutes at large—loaned law books.
A GENERAL Court Martial convenes in this city to-day.

WAY IS IT we have no spirit rappings in San Antonio.

NUMBERS of German immigrants passed through Houston for the interior.

Is it not possible for San Antonio to be destroyed by fire during a severe norther after the manner of Chicago?

Our weekly is out; it presents a fine appearance and is a great deal better than it looks.

CHILD.—Men going to market put their hands in their coat-pockets, probably to feel how cold it is.

The hide trade that used to flourish in this city has fallen off to nothing in consequence of the stock law.

OUR local column will be found particularly stupid to day, this is, however, the result of deep design.

CRIDER is building an iron clad carpenter shop on Paseo street, opposite Mr. Dittmar's new residence.

THE amount of money raised in the United States for the benefit of the Chicago sufferers will be enormous.

LISTENED to the contradictory testimony offered in the District Court, is enough to make a man doubt the evidence of his own senses.

PATRIMONIAL HALL left yesterday with a large escort for a trip up the country; he will visit Stockton, Concho, McAvett, Clark and Duane.

The bright sun shiny weather is drying up the streets and alleys. The mud hole near the Commercial can now be crossed with loaded wagons.

THOMAS ALBURY, a young man, and son of Perry Albury, was standing his trial yesterday, for playing Ku Klux out on the Medina, a few years ago. Full particulars to-morrow.

DE THOPORHE HERTZBERG, our Senator, arrived in this city at an early hour this morning, from Austin, on a brief visit to his family.

DISTRICT COURT.—Chas. District was found guilty of two offences, stealing a pistol and burglary. He goes to Huntsville for 5 years.

WE were honored, this morning, with a call by Mr. ANDREWS, the Traveling Agent of the Columbus railroad, who is about starting out with his force, for active operations on the line of his road.

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