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**DAILY EXPRESS.**  
**TELEGRAPHIC NEWS**  
Associated Press Dispatches.  
**DOMESTIC.**  
NOON DISPATCHES.

**KIDNAPPING.**  
New York, March 23.—The recent kidnapping of the Spanish Hidalgo is developing into a conspiracy to swindle a Cuban lady named Gerona Fernandez out of \$31,000.

**POWDER EXPLOSION.**  
400 barrels of Janitor powder exploded in the city on Monday morning, blowing four persons into atoms and injuring two who have since died.

**GRANT AND OTHERS.**  
Washington, March 23.—The World's special says president and ex-secretary Grant, stated Grant and others were implicated in land transactions of doubtful honesty in connection with the Denver and Grand Central railroads. Also that the committee will not report sufficient evidence in the cadet case against Hays of Alabama, for conviction.

**CONGRESSIONAL.**  
Washington, March 23.—A resolution was introduced by Senator Edwards to-day proposing to substitute for article 19 of the constitution a new article of which the main features are the following: The electors to ballot in their respective States for President and Vice President, as at present, but the list of voters must be sent to the presiding justice of the United States Supreme Court, the Supreme Court, at a time and place to be fixed by law, is to publicly open all certificates, and count the votes, and the person having the greatest number of votes being President, and the elector to have been lawfully given and placed on the list of voters, shall be President, if such a number be a majority of the whole number of electors lawfully appointed. If no person has such a majority, the State of the vote shall be immediately certified to by the House of Representatives, which, from the persons having the highest number not exceeding three on the list of those who have been lawfully given and placed on the list of voters, shall choose the President immediately by viva voce vote. The representation from each State to have one vote, if a majority of its delegation agree on one candidate, otherwise, the vote of each State shall be counted. A quorum which is to consist of a member from two-thirds of the States shall be necessary for a choice. The voting must continue till a President is elected. In case the House fails to elect before the fourth of March next following, then the Vice President shall act as President as in the case of the death or constitutional disability of the President. The person having the greatest number of electoral votes for Vice-President to be elected, and determined as above provided shall be Vice-President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors. If no person is thus elected the Senate is to choose a Vice-President by a majority of its whole membership finally. It is provided that no justice of the Supreme Court shall be eligible for election for President or Vice-President till the expiration of two years after he shall have ceased to hold office.

**FOREIGN.**  
NOON DISPATCHES.  
**FOREIGN RAILROADS.**  
Berlin, March 23.—The government of Hesse Darmstadt and Brunswick, and those of most of the Thuringian Grand Duchies and Principalities, are understood to favor the Imperial railroad scheme, but the South German States are preparing a counter-proposition for the control of railroad administration by separate states, with, as far as possible, a unitary tariff and working regulations.

**DOMESTIC.**  
**MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.**  
**FIRE AT JACKSON, LOUISIANA.**  
New Orleans, March 23.—A fire on Monday night, destroyed the greater portion of the business part of the town. Loss estimated at from \$50,000 to \$70,000. Insurance only \$60,000.

**WASHINGTON NEWS.**  
Washington, March 23.—The Ways and Means Committee have concluded the cotton branch of the tariff. The duty on bleached cotton has been increased from 3 1/2 to 4 per cent.

**NEW YORK ITEMS.**  
New York, March 23.—The workmen of the Jupiter powder work which exploded here in the night of smoking pipes. The Irish Aid Association have arranged for the Centennial match. Hunter, book-keeper of the Mine bank, swindled that institution out of twenty-eight thousand dollars by false entries.

**THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.**  
London, March 23.—The Secretary of Foreign Affairs has been asked in the House of Commons whether it is true that the Government of the United States, after paying the Alabama Claims, has scrupled from one to two millions sterling, for which it is unable to find legitimate claimants.

**THE MARKETS.**  
Galveston, March 23  
GOLD—Closed at \$1 1/2 per \$100.  
SILVER—Closed at 62 1/2 per \$100.  
EXCHANGE—New York—sight 100; premium. New Orleans—sight par to premium.  
GOVERNMENTS—Dull and strong; new five 104.  
STATES—Quiet and steady; Tennessee strong at 105.  
COTTON—Dull and lower; good ordinary quoted at 12 1/2; low middling 11 1/2; good middling 12 1/2; receipts 20,000 bales; sales 10,000.  
HIDES—Firm; dry, selected, 16; salted, selected, 8; green, 6.  
LARD—Unchanged; full clip, medium to fine, 22 1/2; Western, 18 1/2.  
NEW YORK, March 23.  
MONEY—5 1/2 per cent; gold \$1 1/2; STOCKS—Active and strong, except Western Union, which is in a weak position; exchange, 104; short 104 1/2.  
GOVERNMENTS—Dull and quiet; new five 104.  
BONDS—Bonds quiet.  
COTTON—Quiet and steady; uplands 13; Orleans 12 1/2; futures opened steady.

**PLEASANTON CORRESPONDENCE.**  
PLEASANTON, March 23, 1876.  
DEAR EXPRESS:  
The Express has done me a great deal of good in the liberal manner in which they have patronized it. When your paper called upon the people for their support, some four months ago, it had just gone through an ordeal of pecuniary embarrassment, which was feared would injure the future prosperity of the paper, but the fact of the paper having come out on a new basis and under new management, seemed to inspire the people with new hope, and they favored it with a beautiful share of patronage—a confidence the Express should ever be proud of. Now the Express is on a more solid basis than it has ever been before, and bids fair to become—in what it respects—the leading journal of the West.

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I will stand my stallion  
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**FRANK SCHULZ,**  
at the Alamo Plaza,  
San Antonio, March 21, 76.

repairs and remodeling which sets it off to a good advantage. If Alamoso county don't have a new Court House, it at least shows its enterprise by repairing its old one. "Poco a poco" is the best way.  
Jack Frost gave our farmer friends a good scare Monday and Tuesday nights, if he has not really "froze out" their new hope for corn. Those about Pleasanton who have small garden patches saved them by covering.  
Two more new stores opened in Pleasanton, J. Sawalaky, whose advertisement appears in the Express, and W. N. Smith & Co., they have elevated their motto, "Cheap for Cash," prominently conspicuous. They intend to do business strictly on cash terms.  
I. L. M.

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**THOMAS J. DEVINE,**  
Attorney and Counselor at Law,  
SAN ANTONIO, TEX.  
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Franklin Insurance Company, " \$3,300,000 00  
Phoenix Insurance Company, Hartford, " \$1,000,000 00  
Mobile Underwriters, Mobile, Ala., " \$1,000,000 00  
Westchester Fire Ins. Com. N. Y. City, " \$500,000 00  
Home Insurance Company, Columbus, O., " \$512,000 43  
Atlantic Insurance Com., N. Y. City, " \$503,001 87

And will write Open Marine Policies in the well known Mercantile Mutual Marine Insurance Company of New York City, Capital and Assets \$1,028,525 65  
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Same room with Whitley & Cunningham.

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AUSTIN—(Austin and Fort Sill)—Arrives daily, by 4:30 A. M.; departs daily, at 6:30 A. M.  
SOUTHERLAND SPRINGS AND VICTORIA—Arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 11 A. M.  
FREDERICKSBURG—(For Elgin, Concho, Davis, McNeill, Quitman and Stockton, and all Posts in New Mexico)—Arrives Sunday, Wednesday and Friday, by 5 P. M.; departs Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.  
EAGLE PASS—(For Clark and Duncan)—Arrives Thursday and Sunday, by 6 P. M.; departs Tuesday and Friday, 6:00 A. M.  
CORPUS CHRISTI—(For Brown and Big Bend)—Arrives Wednesday and Saturday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.  
LAREDO—(For McPherson and Big Bend)—Arrives Sunday and Thursday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.  
BEEVILLE AND ROCKPORT—Arrives Wednesday and Saturday by 12 P. M.; departs Monday and Thursday at 1 P. M.  
FRIO CITY—Arrives Tuesday and Friday by 12 noon; departs Tuesday and Friday at 1 P. M.  
HANDERA—Arrives Tuesday and Friday, by 9 P. M.; departs Wednesday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.  
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B. MAURERMAN, Dealer in Guns, Rifles, Pistols and Ammunition. Main street opposite Schmitt's Hotel.  
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Also Lots 1 to 10, in Block 2, Lots 1 to 10, in Block 3, and Lots 1 to 10, in Block 4, Section No. 1, Lots 1 to 10, Block No. 1, Lots 1 to 10, Block No. 2, Lots 1 to 10, Block No. 3, and Lots 1 to 10, in Block No. 4, in Section No. 2. Also Lots 1 to 10, in Block No. 1, Lots 1 to 10, in Block No. 2, Lots 1 to 10, in Block No. 3, in Section 2, all subdivisions of original Lot No. 100, in the Southwest part of the City. Also 5 Lots on the West side of Water street, nearly opposite Martin Humbert's residence, running back to Alamo Diggs, about 300 feet. Also certain choice tracts of land within 10 miles of San Antonio. All the above property must be held for the benefit of creditors, and will be offered without reserve. Plans can be seen and all desired information will be given at our office.  
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THE WHITTLESEY CASE IN HOUSTON. We have noticed with a good deal of interest the effort made in Houston to prosecute and convict a number of Republicans...

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A FATHER LEAVES HIS DAUGHTER A FORTUNE OF \$30,000, WHICH SHE PERSISTENTLY REFUSES TO RECEIVE AND PLEADS NOT TO BE SENT TO HER EARLY HOME.

[From the Chicago Courier.] Last Saturday everything seemed to be going on as usual at the Central Station. Marshall Goodell, Superintendent Hickey, Deputy Dixon, Sergeant Behm, and all the detectives seemed to be in a brown study, and all looked as if they had a bad case of the blues.

THE FOLLOWING STORY, which we will publish as he relates it to our reporter. About a month ago we received the following letter from the Superintendent of Police in Cincinnati:

There is a young girl about eighteen years of age in your city. She ran away from home about a year after being seduced. Her name is Monte Holcomb. She is the daughter of the deceased Chief of the Cincinnati Fire Department, Richard Holcomb.

Some few more main facts were in the letter, but nothing more of general importance. Thirty thousand dollars is a big sum of money, and a person may call himself lucky if he has that much, so thought the brave, generous, matter-of-fact Hickey, and he immediately detailed one of his men to look the matter up and find the girl.

When I was but thirteen years of age, father, who is now dead, sent me to Yassar Boarding School. I graduated when I was seventeen. Of course, I went home. Father and mother gave a grand reception in honor of my graduation.

My God, I can't go back to her to see her good and noble face darkened with the shame of having a prostitute for a child. Oh God, it would kill me to hear her say, "My child I forgive you." No, no; I can not, I can not!

cried like a child. Soon after she resumed her narrative: "I eluded the police and came to this city, where I changed my name to that of Monte Hamilton, for fear that if I used my right name the police would discover me and send me back home."

This is my story, Mr. Chief, and now please do not send me home. Write my mother that I am dead. Oh, I wish I was dead, so all this trouble would be at an end.

The stubborn girl said she would not go back unless they compelled her to do so. Not that I like the life that I am leading, I hate it; but I can't go back. I've told you my reasons, and now please do not make me go back.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPERS AND THEIR OWNERS. VALUE OF THE LEADING METROPOLITAN JOURNALS. [Correspondence of the Cincinnati Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 9. The fact that Augustus Schell is one of the new proprietors of the Express, shows how our capitalists like to control the press. It has indeed become rather fashionable for this class to own newspaper stock.

CHANGES OF FORTUNE. In 1873 he had an immense business on his hands, and was carrying a vast amount of stock for other parties, but in the midst of this on came the panic.

THE TIMES AND JENNINGS. The Express is an evening issue, while the Times is a morning Journal and therefore of more natural importance—at least in a great city like New York.

ATTENTION, TRAVELERS. We will, from this time on, run a hack from Uvalde to Eagle Pass, leaving Uvalde Tuesdays and Fridays of each week.

of intoxication. To illustrate this, I will say that within a year an important institution of this city was the subject of a malicious slander which naturally got into the press.

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