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TELEGRAPHIC. Home and Foreign. Latest News from the National Capital. Nominations and Confirmations. The Senate to Adjourn Since Die to-day—Matters Political and Otherwise.

WASHINGTON. Cabinet Meetings. Washington, March 16.—The Cabinet had an hour and a half session this morning to consider postoffice matter, after which the Postmaster General remained in consultation.

Nominations. Washington, March 16.—The President to-day sent in the following nominations: Mike J. Walton, for United States Marshal, Eastern District of Tennessee.

Confirmations. Washington, March 16.—The following additional confirmations have been made: Fred W. Sward for Assistant Secretary of State.

National Capital Gossip. Washington, D. C., March 16.—Ex-Governor Pinchback of Louisiana desires it announced that the account of his interview as published in the Baltimore Globe of Thursday morning, which states that the administration appears to have satisfactory assurance that violence will follow his withdrawal from office.

The Starvation Terror at Saratoga. Saratoga, Pa., March 16.—The committee appointed by the unemployed mechanics and laborers for the purpose of obtaining relief for the starving poor, waited on Mayor Rymer yesterday to ask his cooperation. The Mayor pledged himself to use his best efforts in their behalf and assured them that assistance would be granted without delay.

They Don't Like Stanley Matthews. The confirmation of the fears of the Ohio Southern Republicans that Stanley Matthews would come to the Senate from Ohio depresses the friends of Chamberlain, Packard and Kellogg. His nomination is regarded as an endorsement by Ohio of the pledges made by Matthews to the Southern leaders during the progress of the electoral campaign.

Death from Excitement. Boston, March 16.—Louis Rice, proprietor of the American Hotel, died this morning from excitement caused by a fire in an adjoining building.

THE GALLOWES. A Public Lanche Into Eternity. Four Negroes Expiate the Crime of Murder. Alken, S. C., March 16.—In 1876 two quiet Germans named Houseman and Fortmann, living five miles from this town, were murdered. The house was robbed and then set on fire and burned to ashes with the bodies. Suspicion was attached to negroes, Truman Brown, Lewis Thomas, Adam Johnston, Henry Davis and Stephen Anderson, and they were arrested. Proof was accumulated that they were the right parties, and they finally made confession. They also confessed burning the Baptist Church at Alken.

A Difference. New York, March 16.—The dispatch from Mexico, of the 13th of March, was incorrect in stating that Minister Foster had received a note from President Diaz. He recognizes him as President Diaz, but will not formally recognize him as President Diaz until after the meeting of Congress and his inauguration.

A Millionaire Bankrupted. Montreal, March 15.—Henry Tiffen has failed for an eighth of a million. He owned the Desastre Ship Factory, in which Tiffen was interested, is not affected.

FOREIGN. London, March 16.—The Standard announces in official form that Elliott will soon resume his functions as ambassador at Constantinople, and Elliott's return will be followed by ambassadors to other great Powers.

DEATH OF L. K. COCKHAM. Proceedings of the County Court. When the County Court assembled yesterday-morning, County Attorney Anderson presented and moved that the Court adjourn over until to-day, out respect to the memory of L. K. Cockham, a member of this bar, whose death was announced, and that a Committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the feelings of the Court and in honor of the deceased.

Proceedings of the Law Club. The San Antonio Law Club met last evening and adopted the following resolutions in respect of the memory of their associate and recent Vice-President: L. K. Cockham. It has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst our worthy Vice-President and friend, L. K. Cockham, and therefore be it

MYSTERIOUS AND MURDEROUS ATTACK. Elder Frank Green Fired Upon by an Unknown Party, and Badly Wounded. Rev. Frank Green, presiding elder of the African M. E. Church for this district, met with a fire mishap last Saturday evening. He had been visiting the various churches under his charge, and Saturday afternoon last arrived in Wadler on his return from Luling to this city. He accepted the hospitality of a friend, and between 7 and 8 o'clock, while seated at the supper table, some unknown parties fired upon him through cracks in the wall of the house. Although there seemed to be four or five weapons discharged, at the first fire, according to Green's statement, no ball struck him until he ran out of the house, when another discharge of fire-arms was made upon him, and he fell wounded in the right thigh, the ball ranging down to near the knee, where it is still embedded. The attacking party then fled.

Acquitted. Before the District Court adjourned yesterday, the case of Geo. Horns, whose brother was found guilty of the Conanche bank robbery and had his punishment fixed at ten years in the penitentiary—was called, and a nolle pro. entered. Green was charged with being implicated with his brother in the bank robbery.

Bridge Completed. Austin, March 15.—The new bridge was completed across the Colorado to-day at the foot of Congress avenue. Appropriate ceremonies marked the auspicious event.

Markets. GALVESTON, March 16. SILVER—60¢. GOLD—100¢. COTTON—50¢. WHEAT—100¢. CORN—50¢. RICE—100¢. SUGAR—100¢. COFFEE—100¢. INDIGO—100¢. SPICES—100¢. OILS—100¢. FURS—100¢. HIDE—100¢. SHEEP—100¢. GOATS—100¢. PIGS—100¢. CATTLE—100¢. HORSES—100¢. MULES—100¢. DONKEYS—100¢. EGGS—100¢. BUTTER—100¢. CHEESE—100¢. LARD—100¢. SOAP—100¢. CANDLES—100¢. TOBACCO—100¢. TEA—100¢. COCAINE—100¢. OPIUM—100¢. CANNON—100¢. MORTAR—100¢. GUNS—100¢. RIFLES—100¢. CARTRIDGES—100¢. BULLETS—100¢. MINES—100¢. FUSES—100¢. MATCHES—100¢. SOAP—100¢. CANDLES—100¢. TOBACCO—100¢. TEA—100¢. COCAINE—100¢. OPIUM—100¢. CANNON—100¢. MORTAR—100¢. GUNS—100¢. RIFLES—100¢. CARTRIDGES—100¢. BULLETS—100¢. MINES—100¢. FUSES—100¢. MATCHES—100¢.

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SATURDAY MORNING, March 17, 1877.

COMMODORE Morgan is ill. He will be in Houston on the 15th of April.

The St. Louis Globe Democrat reports two excursions as having left St. Louis on the 15th for Texas.

The endorsement of Stanley Matthews by the Ohio Legislature has a bad effect upon the ultra Republicans.

Germany is watching France with a very suspicious eye. The latest is an announcement that the further extension of the Paris fortifications will be considered a cause for war.

Petitions from twenty-three States asking for a constitutional amendment granting the right of suffrage to women have been presented in Congress...

Mrs. S. J. Gould, wife of Judge Gould of the Supreme Court, died at Galveston six days ago. Her remains were taken to Leon county for interment in the family burying ground...

Hon. John Hancock arrived at his home in Austin on the 14th, and the Gazette says he looks as strong and vigorous as usual. His appearance indicates that the unusually severe winter and arduous duties at Washington did not in the least impair his health...

Advices from Constantinople give a gloomy picture of the condition of government affairs. One letter says: "Under former Sultans there were instances of tyrannical, improvident and rapacious government, but under Sultan Abdul Hamid we are in full anarchy..."

It has been customary for a new President to send abroad, as diplomatic representatives of the government, gentlemen who will be found to represent the foreign policy of the administration. With this view, Mr. Hayes will make important changes in the foreign missions...

A DISPATCH from an exchange closes as follows: "Mr. Blaine then replied to Mr. Bayard not with the high decorous and dignified manners that are usual in the Senate, but in the House style of argument, plunging at him furiously as he charged at him Hill, and Proctor Knott. First there was a taunt, then an insinuation, then a dash of keen and cutting irony, then the mock humility of having 'returned to dispute with me great a man as the distinguished Senator from Delaware. Bayard sat dumfounded. He had been in the Senate for almost twelve years, and his father and grandfather had been there before him, but none of these were assailed oratorically in that way before."

Mr. Blaine's speeches in the Senate, he says, have been misunderstood if they have been taken to mean that he shall oppose President Hayes in his new policy. While he does not approve that policy, he thinks it is entitled to a trial, and if it succeeds, no man will more cheerfully or gratefully acknowledge its wisdom than he, but he does not believe President Hayes can recognize it as a legitimate one. He can recognize it as a legitimate one only if it is shown that it is the will of the people. He can recognize it as a legitimate one only if it is shown that it is the will of the people...

FRANKING of the horde of persons thronging the corridors of the Mr. Mr. Capitol seeking office, a correspondent in the New York Herald says: "The crowd desiring to see the President to day was so large that the hall, which was mainly occupied by men, while the ladies were crowded in the galleries, was filled with women. But few of them, however, succeeded in obtaining entrance to the President's office. The President's doorkeeper stood at his post, surrounded by important persons for an audience, each eager to be the first to enter. The President's doorkeeper had a number of business cards in one hand and a few 'respects' cards in the other, and they kept increasing all the time. As great was the crowd that strategy had to be resorted to, and all those whose official positions warranted them in having audience with the President were soon as possible were ushered into the Private Secretary's office, and thence to the President's room when opportunity occurred. The insignificant office seeker, whose name was 'Legion,' meanwhile paced about in the waiting-room, expecting admission every minute. The prospect was thin, even if the doors were opened to them all, the President would be able to see only a very small portion of them."

SHORT-HORNS IN WESTERN TEXAS.

While Western Texas is conceded by everyone to be one of the finest stock countries in the world, efforts to introduce improved breeds of cattle have not been wholly successful. The past year, efforts were made by different stock men to improve their herds by introducing the short-horn, the importations coming principally from Kentucky and Illinois. But the cattle have in only one or two instances done well. The cause of the ill-fortunes that we allude to are in the change of climate and diet, and the long and fatiguing freightage. They are taken off of green pastures, or out of stalls where a corn bin filled with grain ever remained accessible, and with the soft feed produced by careful treatment, the animals are jammed, tugged & towed to a car, and shipped to Texas to feed upon a diet that they have not been used to. The simple transportation is almost enough to kill the tender animals, and when we consider the change of climate, the change of diet, and the fact that many of the cattle imported become sick, and either die, or remain sickly scum thereafter.

It will be remembered that, on account of the difference of climate, the best success is to be achieved by importing young cattle—yearlings or thereabouts, which are easier acclimated. Very disheartening, indeed, to importers, have been the experiments, generally so far made. As a remedy it is known that will result to the natural health and vigor after reaching Western Texas, and becoming sick, the question springs, can not the cattle imported be placed in a condition before shipment that will render them invulnerable to the disease which is caused by the system of the animals not being in condition to undergo the various changes their removal to Western Texas from the northern States subjects them to. The only influences then to act to their injury, are tedious transportation and change of climate, which are so often overcome. A gentleman of Springfield, Kentucky, has, pursuing this treatment, exported to a stock man of Galadine county, among other animals, a yearling cow, which is doing as well as any that he has raised. The treatment consisted in the following: A test of the practicability of this suggestion has been made by a Kentucky breeder, and with perfect success. Before he fills orders for stock to be sent to Texas, he harnesses them for the voyage, giving them food as nearly as possible like that which they will be given when here, and exercises them, to work of the soft, milk flesh, and put on solid fat flesh instead.

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FOR OFFICE-SEEKERS.

A Washington dispatch of the 9th is as follows: "Senator Oglesby and the Illinois congressmen are over-run with office seekers. People are wasting their time and money coming to Washington to seek office, or to secure their retention in office, when it is perfectly useless. President Hayes policy, as he has expressed it over and over again to congressmen and others, is that good officials shall be retained, and new appointments will be made only when the good of the service requires it. The other day a congressman went to the president to have a postmaster in his district removed and another substituted. The president said it must be delayed until the new cabinet was confirmed, but the congressman said it ought to be done at once, as he wished to return to his home. The president said if there were any charges or complaints filed against the postmaster, the congressman replied that there were none, but he thought the good of the party required that a change should be made. It came out that the present incumbent opposed the congressman's recommendation, and that was the reason he desired his removal. President Hayes read the congressman a little lecture and sent him away. No removal will be made except for cause, and in cases where an official's term expires it will be a matter of judgment whether he be reappointed or not."

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The Chicago Tribune remarks that "the manufacture of sugar out of ordinary corn is an industry that needs no encouragement to enable it to become a source of great national wealth. It needs simply the removal of a tax—the tax on alcohol. We have been shown a specimen of raw sugar manufactured near this city from corn. It is white and very sweet to complete its manufacture into pure, granulated sugar alcohol must be used to remove the foreign matter contained in the crude product. A bushel of corn yields thirty pounds of raw sugar, and this when purified by alcohol, gives twenty seven pounds of good sugar, marketable at four cents a pound. In other words, a bushel of corn made into sugar would bring \$1.08. Our internal revenue system prohibits this development of the market for the farmer's corn, because, unlike that of more enlightened nations, it taxes alcohol destined for use in manufacture as heavily as that which is to be exported."

Take Care of Your Fowls

We shall have cold rains and cold nights, as they draw in, fowls, chickens and all who have young chickens, should see that they have comfortable places for shelter by day and night, where they can be kept warm and dry, and above all, kept from a draught of wind. By doing this you will avoid most of the diseases that fowls and chickens are subject to. A cold is but a slight disease, yet if neglected too long it results in roup. The first sign to complain of your fowls being sick, and think that some fatal disease has taken hold of them—This is the case if you find them coughing, sneezing, or if you find a change of food often, and a plenty, but not enough to make them fat and lazy, especially the Adams variety. A good dust pan filled with ashes or sand is indispensable to chickens that are coughed up, and when you drop them a visit they will be glad to see you, and if you have a dust pan they will be well paid by a good lot of clean fresh eggs and a good, healthy fowl for the table when you want one.

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Celebration of the Anniversary of the Patron Saint of Ireland.

In every nook and corner of the civilized world...

—St. Patrick's day in the morning.

—Bargains in Winter Goods can be had at A. Pancoast & Son.

—There was a grand betting tournament at Pleasanton yesterday.

—The Fay Templeton Dramatic Company are playing at Houston.

—Do you want a good suit of clothes Pancoast & Son's is the place.

—Have your titles investigated by John Eckford & Co., No. 19 Commerce street.

—Pianos for rent by E. F. Redfield & Co., No. 45 Commerce street.

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—Our new style Hats for spring of 1877 have just arrived.

—Pancoast & Son.

—John Eckford & Co. have the only complete and reliable abstract of land titles in the city.

—Two or three important cases were disposed of by the Recorder yesterday morning.

—Save Your Hair.—If you wish to save your hair and keep it strong and healthy, use Burnett's Hair Restorer.

—Two or three good moulders wanted at Alamo Iron Works San Antonio, Texas.

—A large excursion party from St. Louis is expected to arrive here on Monday or Tuesday next.

—A terrific wind, rain and hail storm visited the section around Luling and Marion about 9 o'clock last evening.

—We offer fifty desirable, irrigable building lots, on easy terms—one-third cash, and balance in three annual payments.

—Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are used and endorsed by the best Hotels, Confectioners, Grocers and the best families in the country.

—W. L. Simpson, a competent painter, calomine and paper-hanger, advertises in to-day's Express. Call and see how cheaply you can have good work done.

—Enameling from photographs done by a lady recently from the East. Call and see specimens at the Public Library, No. 45 Commerce street. Terms very low.

—Burnett's Cologne—in cork and glass stoppers—prepared from the purest and best materials—arrived in richness and delicacy of perfume.

—The straps don't seem to have much opportunity to enjoy themselves in this city. Six of them were gathered in as vagabonds by the police yesterday.

—No business was transacted in the County Court yesterday. This Court, as well as the District, adjourned out of respect to the memory of Mr. L. K. Corrahan, deceased.

—We received a call last evening from Mr. G. W. Garrett and Dr. D. H. Houston, of Floresville. They are here on business, and will return home to-morrow.

—An educated gentleman desires pupils in the classics and higher mathematics. Address C. E. Brockmeyer, San Antonio, Texas.

—Wanted, by the advertiser, of middle age, a situation as clerk in a hardware or fancy goods store. First-class references given. Apply to John Copeland, Public Librarian, 45 Main street.

—As usual, Jos. Trese & Co. will sell at their auction room, Military Plaza, to-day at 9 o'clock a. m., a large lot of house hold goods, etc. Read advertisement and see articles to be sold.

—Ballot session at Williams' Central Garden Sunday, March 18th, at 4 p. m. Gates open at 1 p. m. Admission 25 cents, children under ten, 10 cents.

—John Eckford & Co. have large bodies of land in the Western Counties, well adapted for sheep-growing and stock-raising. Also large and small tracts of farming lands in the vicinity of San Antonio.

—It is superior to any ale or beer ever brewed. A healthy beverage and fine tonic for ladies and children. Thos. Young's English Sparkling Extract of Malt. Sold by all druggists at 30 cents per bottle.

—Ernst's Restaurant, Main st. Board by the week, \$6.00, payable in advance. Table always furnished with the best market affords.

—Immediate relief for dyspepsia and constipation, and a strengthening tonic at reasonable price. Sold by all druggists, 30 cents per bottle. Try it. Thos. Young's English Sparkling Extract of Malt. Use no other.

—If you want good bargains call on E. Selligman, at the New Fancy Grocery Store, Zerk's building, Market street.

—When you go to market, call at E. Selligman's new Fancy Grocery Store and price his goods. Everything new and fresh, and at as low prices as anybody can sell them.

—Board and furnished rooms for single gentlemen, or gentleman and wife without children, one square south of Military Plaza, on South Flores street. Inquire on premises. Mrs. J. B. Bennett.

—Burnett's Flavoring Extract.—The superiority of these extracts consists in their perfect purity and great strength. They are extracted free from the poisonous oils and salts which enter into the composition of many of the feeblest fruit flavors now in the market.

—To go on city in this State, or any other State, with the ordinance against concealed weapons, a person who speaks rigidly enforced with a person who speaks rigidly enforced with a person who speaks rigidly enforced.

—On Wednesday next, March 21st, Jon. Trese & Co. will sell, in front of the Courthouse door, by auction, a tract of 120 acres of land, within the city limits and one mile south-east of the Menager Hotel. This will be a splendid opportunity to purchase a valuable property at much below its real worth. See advertisement on this page.

—Calculate the immense value to the human race of this new principle remedy for Coughs, Colds and Consumption, Dr. J. H. McLean's Lung Healer. Give as they desire in the month, a gas is generated, being inhaled, it will cure chronic Lung disease. Trial boxes, 25 cents. Dr. J. H. McLean, 214 Commerce Street, St. Louis.

—A Raving Maniac. Young Arover's insanity is becoming worse every day. He carries everything he can think of in the most impulsive and extravagant manner, and yesterday assaulted the Superintendent of the poor house, Mr. Delacoste, when that gentleman took his supper to him. He first threw a cap at Delacoste, and then he took him by the neck of his coat, and he was being held by a number of men, when he was taken to the lunatic asylum.

—We had the promise of a pleasant day yesterday morning, but the promise, like many others, was not fulfilled. It became too hot to hold out before night.

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Sudden Death of L. K. Corrahan.

We received by yesterday's mail a letter informing us of the death of Sam Marcos...

—At the house of his parents, at 15 o'clock Wednesday evening last, of Mr. L. K. Corrahan. Mr. Corrahan left San Antonio Friday, reaching his home on Sunday, and was immediately confined to his bed, afflicted with a serious attack of pneumonia.

—The disease soon passed beyond the control of his physicians, and on Wednesday evening, as stated, he passed away. Being the first to inform his many friends in this city of the sad, unexpected and startling event, we realized the high regard entertained for the deceased in our city by the common grief with which our information was received.

—Mr. Corrahan was a graduate of the Lebanon, Tennessee, law school, and had been for about two years, or since his matriculation, pursuing his profession here. His father was a brilliant one.

—Honesty, integrity, sobriety—and strength of character—backed by a grasping mind and a retentive memory, and polished and purified by a Christian faith, were qualities eminently concentrated in young Corrahan. By constant study, avoiding evil associations, he had begun to assume a steady upward course in the intellectual as well as the moral and social worlds, and had he lived, would have lived to great high honors at the hands of his fellow men, to achieve the distinction of a great self-made man.

—To the younger members of the San Antonio bar, was the story of his death particularly griefful, and they hardly yet can realize that it is true. Only a week ago he was with them, well and happy, and soon more robust in appearance. But he is gone, and his many friends must submit to the loss of him from all-wise Providence which took him from them. Considering his health, and his strength of frame, his recent presence, his joyous and apparently, the most perfect health, the fact that he is no more impresses us with the force of the truth, that in the 'midst of life we are in death.' But let us hope that where we lose our friend doth gain—that while we miss his presence here on earth, exultant angels rejoice that he is in heaven.

—The much credit cannot be given Messrs. Main & Brown for their enterprise in furnishing our citizens with luxuries from abroad. Their consignments of fish, celery, etc., received last night, is a fine one. They will get daily receipts by express, and their enterprise should be rewarded with a liberal patronage.