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From Bordeaux, a large assortment of

CHOICE WINES,

Of the Celebrated Brand, "CRUSE & FIL'S FRERES."

For sale by

H. GRENET.

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SPOFFORD-KELLOGG INVESTIGATION.

Continuation of Testimony Taken in New Orleans Yesterday.

New Orleans, Nov. 25.—Rev. Jeremiah Blackstone, colored, testified contradicting the statement of Bernard Williams that he, Blackstone, was paid, with others, five hundred dollars by Kellogg in Washington, did not see Kellogg until after notified by the committee that he would not be called to testify; also denied that he was the party in the affidavit referred to yesterday by Raymond, but was offered fifteen hundred dollars by Dix, who was working in Spofford's interest, if he, Blackstone, would furnish information to oust Kellogg. Blackstone denied that he had ever received money from Gen. Ledoux or any or his friends, or that he had ever made any payments as set forth in the so-called affidavit. Witness said the signature to the affidavit was his, only he could not explain how it was; he frequently went to the office of claim agent Dix and signed papers as witness which he did not see the contents, sometimes signed blank sheets to be filled out for pension claims; these might have been taken and affidavit written over the signature.

John Vigers testified to the general bad character of Bernard Williams, who had been arrested for larceny. No one who knows Williams would believe him on oath.

Arthur Gastinel, ex-recorder, testified concerning the general bad character of Bernard Williams, who could not be believed on oath.

Soloman Marks testified regarding the character of Bernard Williams, which is very bad. He swore falsely last year against a poor man.

Emanuel Heidenfelder testified as to the character of Bernard Williams, which is very bad. He was tarred and feathered during the war. Afterwards tried and sent to Ship Island for six months for stealing a horse; would not believe him on oath.

Ex-recorder, Eugene Bass, testified as to the character of Bernard Williams in the community, which was very bad; he had been several times arrested; his testimony was several times impeached before my court; during the war he was drummed through the streets with one half of his head shaved.

W. J. Moore, formerly assistant supervisor of registration, seventh ward, testified that by the registration lists the republicans had a majority of nine hundred in that ward; republican members of the legislature were elected, whether the polls were thrown out or not; knows there was violence practiced in the legislature when Kellogg was elected; no fraudulent registration papers were used; never told Peter Williams, or anybody else, that there was not a quorum in Packard's legislature; had a conversation with Peter Williams; told him I believe I had been discharged from the customhouse. My object was to ascertain what the democrats were doing. Prominent democrats have told Kellogg had to go, they wanted to make the strongest case they could before the committee, but Kellogg had to go; it was a foregone conclusion. The object of the committee in coming here was looked upon as a plausible excuse for ousting him.

New Orleans, Nov. 25.—The Democrat publishes a roll of employees of the custom house and mint, evidently prepared in the interest of Spofford, which it claims is reported to have been presented to the committee of the Union Soldiers' association and a committee of the Grand Army of the Republic. Parties whose names are signed as a committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, publish a card saying the Grand Army of the Republic is in no manner responsible for, and was not aware of the existence of, such report or document. The use made of our names was entirely unauthorized, either as a corporate or individually. Signed, T. L. Johnson, J. R. Howell and A. J. Ivins.

New Orleans, November 25.—To-day Gov. Kellogg presented a list of witnesses he desired summoned for to-morrow.

Senator Hill stated that as the visiting member had already summoned more than twice as many witnesses as the contestant, and the means of the committee were limited, he should decline to subpoena any unless the facts they were expected to prove were stated.

Senator Cameron reported that he had desired this rule adopted in the first instance, but the chairman had over ruled him.

Senator Hill said he was sorry he had done so, but now, Senator Cameron concurring, he would declare that to be the order of the committee.

In a somewhat heated discussion between Senator Kellogg and the chairman, Kellogg stated that so far his witnesses had occupied the time of the committee but one day, and if the court did not subpoena the witnesses he asked for, he would bring them to Washington at his own expense and have them examined before the whole committee.

THE PANHANDLE DIFFICULTY.

All Quiet in Wheeler County—Fatal Stabbing Affray at Dallas.

Special Dispatch to the Daily Express.

Dallas, November 25.—United States Marshal Norton returned from Wheeler county in the Panhandle last night, where he went to settle the troubles occasioned by arrests of citizens by Deputy U. S. Marshal Johnson for alleged violations of revenue laws. Eighteen of the leading citizens of Wheeler county, were arrested without difficulty and are being brought overland. Everything is quiet in Wheeler county.

William Harrington, formerly of Collin county, and Kirk Levi, of the firm of Levi Brothers, cotton buyers of this city, had an altercation this morning in which Levi stabbed Harrington with a large clasp pocket knife, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal. Levi was arrested.

Cooperative Colony Association.

New York, November 25.—The announced cooperative colony association, whose members as every one knows, are men, has determined to establish a colony in Cumberland plateau of east Tennessee. The association expect to purchase a suitable tract before January 1st and send a pioneer force to prepare for the coming of the main body in the spring. The plan is for the association to buy the land and furnish capital for buildings, stock and implements, and deed property to the colonists in separate tracts as they can; advances are repaid with a low rate of interest. Experiments in farming will be constantly made and there will be a reservation for timber and fuel, which will be common property of the colony. A village will be established in the centre of the domain, with a mill, mining store, school and machine shop.

Hanged by a Mob.

Macon, Ga., November 25.—Henry Walker, colored, a well known bad character in Johnson county, was taken from jail at Wrightsville last night by a band of unknown men and hanged to a tree near that place, where his body was discovered this morning. The best citizens express great disapproval of the act. It is thought by some that Walker was hanged by his confederates in crime in order that he might not implicate them.

LATEST NEWS BY CABLE.

The Land Agitation Continues in Ireland, and the Prospects are Considered Gloomy for the Winter, Etc.

THE SITUATION IN IRELAND.

London, November 25.—A dispatch from Dublin to the Times says while the Irish agitators tell the public that they are engaged in a legal and constitutional agitation, and ostensibly advise the people to keep within the law, the country abounds with evidence that different interpretations have been put upon their language. Threatening notices and acts of violence are practical comments upon their words. These are evil omens for winter.

London, November 25.—The press association says that the excitement throughout the west of Ireland shows no signs of abatement. Large bodies are being held in all populous places in the counties of Mayo and Sligo. Mr. Parnell, in addressing a large meeting last night in Sligo, asked the people to persevere in the agitation and remember his advice to keep a firm grip on the land.

Great crowds assembled in the streets of Sligo to-day. The examination of Davitt is proceeding. There is some fear of a riot, as municipal elections are being held, and the mayor is very unpopular. One hundred and twenty soldiers are under arms in barracks, and one hundred additional police in all. Western districts are very strongly garrisoned.

TRIAL OF IRISH AGITATORS.

Sligo, November 25.—Court to-day was again crowded with spectators. Messrs. Killen and Davitt appeared perfectly cheerful and fearless. Mr. Monroe, the Queen's counsel, said if he could prove the utterance of Mr. Davitt's alleged words, viz: "The manhood of Ireland should spring to its feet and say it would tolerate landlords and landlordism no longer," the magistrate would be bound to commit him. Police evidence was called to prove their utterances. Mr. Davitt, who had been occupied all morning preparing a written defense, before commencing to deliver it, protested against Mr. Monroe's remarks that he had already experienced the clemency of the crown, and declared that he was innocent of the charge on which he was convicted in 1870. Mr. Bailey, since his release from jail, complains of his treatment while in prison. Mr. Monroe, in the course of his remarks, said that Mr. Davitt was probably the most dangerous of Irish agitators, and specially pointed to his language comparing a Zulu assegaie to an Irish pike. During this examination to day Davitt declared he had been convicted of fenianism in England on the evidence of a professional perjurer. His cross examination of police witnesses failed to weaken the evidence against him, and he was committed for trial, bail being accepted.

INDIGNANT SCOTCHMEN.

London, November 25.—Great demonstration took place at Dundee, Scotland, last night; three thousand present. Resolutions condemned the arrest of Sligo prisoners.

PRINCE GORTSCHAKOFF AND THE WESTERN POLICY.

London, November 25.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Daily Telegraph says Prince Gortschakoff, Russian chancellor, is now returning to St. Petersburg with the fixed intention of instituting the nomination of Prince Nalabjeff as his successor, and once more resisting the partizans of what is known in Russia as the western policy.

LETTERS OF RECALL.

London, November 25.—Count Schouvaloff will present to the queen this week his letters of recall as Russian ambassador to England, and leave London at once for St. Petersburg.

Report of Internal Revenue Commissioner.

Washington, November 25.—The commissioner of internal revenue has handed in his annual report to the secretary of the treasury for the past year. The tables embodied therein show that during the past three years and four months 3,117 illicit distilleries have been seized, 6,968 persons arrested on illicit distilling, and 27 officers and employees killed, and 48 wounded while engaged in enforcing the internal revenue laws. The commissioner says that the state courts have taken cognizance of these offenses and have generally refused upon to punish such offenses. He therefore recommends enactment of a law authorizing United States courts to try and punish persons charged with assaults upon United States officers while the latter are engaged in the performance of their official duties. The report shows that 5,448 distillers were registered during the past fiscal year, and 5,481 operated. During the special tax year ending April 30th, there were forty-nine millions of gallons of spirits rectified, and during the fiscal year taxes paid on spirits withdrawn from warehouse aggregated $46,778,000. Discussing the reduction of tax on tobacco, the commissioner says during four months of the present fiscal year there have been collected from tobacco and snuff, as compared with a corresponding period last year, was $2,356,000. These figures indicate a decrease for the whole fiscal year of twenty millions of dollars. The internal revenue from tobacco and snuff in the fiscal year ending June 30th, this year was one hundred and twenty millions of pounds, an increase of twelve millions of pounds over the previous year. The total amount of collections from tobacco in all forms was forty millions of dollars.

The Catholic Church vs. Public Schools.

Boston, November 25.—The Roman Catholic church has made a declaration of war against the system of public education. The archbishop, in pursuance of advice given by the Pope to European bishops, has just directed all priests in the archdiocese of New England to establish parochial schools in their parishes, and to request parents to send their children to them, under pain of the churches' disapprobation. In some localities, where influences of public schools is thought to be especially hostile to Roman Catholicism, [illegible] there be no parochial school in the vicinity.

A Constable Killed by Cowboys.

Special Telegram to the Galveston News.

Henrietta, November 24.—A party of cow-boys got on a drunken spree this evening and began shooting promiscuously close to the business portion of the town. It is alleged to get obstable Brooks to come after the pistol they would have an opportunity to shoot him. He, hearing the firing, walked up where they were and commanded them to halt; they refused to obey and he fired his revolver; they turned and fired on constable Brooks, shooting him in the back and mortally wounding him. What took place became known in a few minutes, and twenty-five armed citizens started in pursuit, captured four of the party at a dance house a short distance from town and lodged them in jail.

General Assembly.

Columbia, S. C., November 25.—The general assembly convened to-day. The impression is that the session will be a short one.

B. F. Tabor accidently shot himself near Sulphur Springs last week.

FIRE RECORD.

Burning of Large Railway Stables in New York—Four Firemen Badly Injured and Many Horses Burned to Death.

New York, November 25.—The depot and stables of the eighth avenue railroad company, eighth avenue, between 51st and 52d streets, were discovered to be on fire this morning. The flames spread so rapidly that in a short time it was beyond control, and soon the structure was doomed. The walls have commenced falling, and it is reported that several firemen are injured.

When the fire broke out but few employes were about the stables. Heroic efforts were made to rescue the horses, but out of 75 on the second floor but 35 were saved. There were about 200 horses on the third and fourth floors, of which only 40 were brought out. The suffering of many horses saved from flames, scorched or burned, were terrible to witness. On the Fifteenth street side the flames spread with lightning-like rapidity, owing to the fact that immense quantities of hay and feed were stored there. It was here that two gallant but unfortunate firemen were terribly mangled, and another badly injured. A ladder had been run up the wall, and three members of engine company No. 1, of Harlem, were at work. Without a moment's warning the wall fell in, carrying ladder and firemen with it.

New York, November 25.—The fire which broke out in the eighth avenue street railroad company stables, this morning, was finally gotten under control, but not until the building had been entirely destroyed. Four firemen were buried under the falling walls, but only two were dangerously hurt. About one hundred horses perished in the flames. The company estimates its loss at $250,000. Fully covered by insurance.

HORRIBLE DEED OF AN INSANE MOTHER.

She Strangles Her Two Children.

Special Telegram to the Galveston News.

Corpus Christi, November 24.—This morning our town was horrified by a report of a mother having murdered her two children. The facts are these: Last Thursday a woman by the name of Emma Coghill was arrested under a charge of insanity; she, with her two children, was sent to the hospital by the order of the county judge; this morning her room door was found open; she had gone, and her two children, one eighteen months and the other three years old, were lying on the bed lifeless. Their bodies were perfectly black, death having been caused by strangulation. A stocking was found around each of their necks, and tied so tight that it was almost impossible to remove them. Their necks, when the stockings were removed, were about the size of one's wrist. The indications were that their struggles for life had been great. The woman was found about a mile from town in a thicket, perfectly insane. Her husband, Fred Coghill, died here some three weeks ago, and her mind has been gradually failing since then, and yesterday culminated in this horrible deed.

Our district court is now in session and has been for the past three weeks. There have been nine felony convictions so far, and there will be several more, probably, by the end of this week, when court will adjourn.

The Corpus Christi, San Diego and Rio Grande railroad will be built on as fast as possible to Los Angeulas, a point some forty five miles from San Diego, the present terminus.

Decision Regarding the Validity of Mixed Marriages.

Washington, November 25.—Chief Justice Waite yesterday granted a writ of error to the supreme court of appeals of Virginia in the case of Virginia involving the validity and constitutionality of a statute of that state which prohibits marriage between white and colored persons. Tinsley, plaintiff in error, came to the district of Columbia about a year ago and married a white woman. Upon his return to Virginia, he was arrested, tried for an offense, found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary, where, pending this appeal, he remains. Persons interested in a final settlement of the question of marriage of races, have brought the case to this court for its decision.

Annual A. M. E. Conference.

Petersburg, Va., November 25.—The annual conference of the A. M. E. Zion Church in America, which has been in session here for several days past, adjourned last night to meet in Hartford, N. C., on the third Wednesday in November, 1880. Before adjournment the delegates to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, New England, Allegheny, South Carolina and Tennessee conferences were elected. Among the appointments made was that of A. Cartwright, to Liberia, Africa.

Gen. Hooker and the Recreant Soldier.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

I served on Gen. Hooker's staff for nearly a year, and on one occasion was assigned to duty as judge-advocate of a general court martial before which a private soldier of a Michigan regiment was brought, charged with desertion. The evidence showed that the prisoner had deserted three times, on the last occasion "in the face of the enemy." The court martial sentenced him to be shot, and the record of his trial and conviction was forwarded to Gen. Hooker for his approval. A short time subsequently Gen. Hooker came to my quarters, which adjoined his own, and said:

"Bond, in this case against Private —, what do you think had better be done? Are there no extenuating circumstances?"

"None that I know of, general. He has deserted three times."

"Isn't there something in the case upon which you could base a recommendation of mercy?"

"Not a thing. The proof against him was positive and not denied, and the witnesses say further that when he was with his regiment he was a worthless fellow and a constitutional coward."

"That's just the thing," said the general positively. "The man is constitutionally a coward, and you recommend him to mercy on that ground. I'll tell you what's the matter Bond, his mother is at my quarters begging for her son's life, and I want to spare him."

In accordance with this suggestion, the recommendation for leniency was written, and a few minutes thereafter a feeble old lady with silver gray hair and a tearful face was bowed out of the general's door by the brave old hero, and turning away she exclaimed, with uplifted hands, "God bless you, Gen. Hooker." LEWIS H. BOND.

To-morrow's Sports

A meeting of all those interested in the sports of to-morrow is called to assemble at San Pedro springs at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Not only members of the Athletic club, but all desiring to participate in the exercises of Thursday are expected to be in attendance. The most important business will be the complete arrangement of the programme. All who will participate should send in their names, and for what they enter, either to the secretary of the Athletic club or to Mr. Asten, at Gregory & Co.'s, by six o'clock this evening.

San Antonio Opera Club.

There will be a full rehearsal of Belshazzar again this evening by the San Antonio Opera club. ALBERT BRUNMANN, Secretary.

THE CHIHUAHUA MUSS.

A Factional War—Something About its Possible Consequences.

FORT DAVIS, NOV. 14, 1879.

Editors San Antonio EXPRESS:

I am now able to give you something more definite about the Chihuahua revolution. As I have previously advised you of the retiring of the "pronunciados" in front of that city, and of the force of troops sent in pursuit of them by the governor, which resulted in an action near Villa Concepcion, 150 miles west of Chihuahua, with final withdrawal of the governor's troops for want of ammunition, all of which is confirmed. But it seems the pronunciados were playing a little strategy, and succeeded in their designs on the state capital. They retreated, as before stated, but divided their forces in the mountains, leaving about forty to attract the attention of the pursuing governor's troops. The balance, about 150 strong, took another route back for Chihuahua, and entered that city the evening of October 31st, without any resistance whatever, and were in the city before the authorities knew of their presence. Governor Trias was captured in the streets on horseback, and now held prisoner, with several other state officers and congressmen, two only of the latter escaping capture. The small force of state troops in the city surrendered without resistance, and an hour after occupation the state capital was completely at the mercy of the revolutionists. The federal employees were allowed to depart without molestation, and since that date, October 31, no reliable advice of the conduct of the victorious crew is known. The governor's troops which fought the few pronunciados near Villa Concepcion retreated back near Chihuahua, and when being informed of its occupation, this force, consisting of 70 or 80 cavalry, struck out for Santa Rosalia, arriving there the 6th inst., having been previously joined by Col. Lemolin, who escaped on foot from the state capital, together with the two congressmen above referred to. Col. Lemolin has assumed command of the situation, and declares himself military governor and commander-in-chief of the state. He has already augmented his force to two hundred strong, and is preparing to march to the relief of the capital. That he will accomplish anything but to further complicate the situation, nobody believes, and until the federal government sends a force sufficient to chastise both factions and establish order, the state will be at the mercy of marauding gangs of irresponsible men and thieves. I am reliably informed that a military chief has arrived in Del Norte with orders and authority of Col. Lemolin to raise forces, take arms, horses and money, and to march against Chihuahua, but the people politico refuses the aid required, and is organizing to resist interference from either of the contending parties.

It is very likely that a company of U. S. troops will be ordered to Presidio to protect the American merchants and U. S. custom house there, which are always in danger of being plundered by some of the contending parties during revolutions and disorders on the opposite side of the Rio Grande.

PIONEER.

The Nuptial Knot.

Another happy marriage occurred in this city last evening, Mr. Eugene Tempsky, formerly of Breslar, Germany, leading to the altar of Hymen Miss Mary Rhodius. The ceremony occurred at the residence of the bride's mother, on Soledad street, Rev. J. W. Neil, pastor of the Presbyterian church, performing the ceremony. Only the relatives, and a few very particular friends of the family, were present. After the conclusion of the ceremony, the usual congratulations having been extended, the party were invited to a most bountiful supper, where toasts appropriate to the occasion were drunk and all was contentment and pleasure. This young couple enter their new sphere with the best wishes of a host of real friends and admirers—the door to the future opens before them with many signs of promise in view. May their dream be realized, may Cupid ever cover their mutual feelings, and may peace and prosperity be theirs to the end of life.

Kerr County Observations

KERRVILLE, Nov. 24, 1879.

Editors San Antonio EXPRESS:

Mr. Charles Karger, proprietor of the Comfort house, (formerly kept by Ingenhutt & Karger), was married at the hotel on Sunday evening, November 23rd, by Squire Harkins, to Miss Alvina Weber, one of Comfort's fairest and most estimable young ladies. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few special friends and relatives, after which an elegant supper was served. Mr. Karger is widely known as one of our most energetic and wide-awake business men, and the happy couple start out on their matrimonial voyage under the most auspicious circumstances.

The amateur dramatic club of Kerrville gave an entertainment at the court house on Friday night which was pronounced a decided success. Messrs. Davis and Birney, and Mrs. Walker and Miss McDonald, personated the leading characters in a most creditable manner.

Capt. Schleiner and Mr. McKie returned to-day from a week's absence in San Antonio, and speak in the highest terms of business prospects and interests of the Alamo city. TEXAN.

Ladies' cloaks, misses' cloaks, childrens' cloaks, and only look at the prices. A nice ladies cloak from $2.50 upwards, and childrens cloaks in proportion. To be convinced of these astonishing facts we would ask you to call at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

H. C. Beatty, of Hill county, has been arrested at Corsicana for forgery.

The Brenham city archives, etc., have been moved into the new city hall.

The Central track has been laid to Whitney, 32 miles beyond Waco.

A crazy county convict is reported wandering in the woods near Hempstead.

The Clarksville Standard, after five years suspension, has resumed publication.

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FAR BELOW COST.

The House is two stories, with nine rooms, kitchen, stable and carriage house, all of the very best hard rock, and finished in the best and most improved style, with water, gas and all other

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throughout the building. Is situated in the

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three blocks from Main Plaza, having a front on two streets, and with good surroundings. For further particulars apply to

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AGENT FOR ADAMS & WICKES,

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Telegraphic News

GOOD NEWS

FOR THE PEOPLE.

The strike among the Cabinet-Makers does not effect the price of FURNITURE at ERASTUS REED'S. His large stock was bought before the advance in prices, and will be sold correspondingly low.

Later.

His orders for CARPETS were also in before they advanced, and he sells them lower than any one.

Latest.

He is receiving another Carload of BED ROOM and PARLOR SUITS, of the Latest styles, that for beauty and quality cannot be surpassed.

NO MORE EXCUSE

Of not having your broken window panes replaced at this cold weather, as

L. HUTH & SON

Market street, San Antonio,

Have just received one car load Window Glass of all sizes.

Hotel For Sale,

THE

Alamo House,

North side Alamo Plaza, including house and lot. There are 20 rooms in the house, kitchen, dining room and bar-room. Also good cistern and well. Now doing a good business. A bargain may be had by applying soon to

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Attention is called to my large stock of

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BROWNSVILLE COACHES.

Leave Brownsville and San Antonio daily at 6 a. m., stopping at Grayburg, Fairview, Rossbee's, Oakville, Alamo, San Diego, Kleg's Ranch, Santa Rosa and Lew's. Wm. Douglas, agent at Brownsville.

LAREDO COACHES.

Leave Laredo and San Antonio daily (except Sunday) at 6 a. m. This is the SHORTEST and CHEAPEST route to the SIERRA MOJADO MINES.

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Consisting of

BOOTS AND SHOES

in large variety.

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is fully stocked with stylish Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at all prices. Silk Velvets, Velveteens Satins and Silks. Artificial Flowers, Ostrich Tips in beautiful colors.

The Dry Goods Department

Contains Bleached and Unbleached Domestics, Prints, Flannels, Shawls and Dress Goods, bought before the late advance, and offered below present eastern value.

All our goods are bought for cash from first hands, therefore

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We will sell them lower than the lowest.

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THAT BOB TOOMBS DISPATCH.

A Chicago dispatch to the St. Louis Republican says:

"The editor of the News has verified the correctness of the dispatch received from General Robert Toombs, of Atlanta, Ga., on the 12th inst. The dispatch, as received, has been compared with the original and found to be correct in every word, hence there was no garbling in the transmission. The closing sentences are: 'He (Grant) fought for his country honorably and won. I fought for mine and lost. I am ready to try it over again. Death to the Union.'"

It will be remembered that Toombs claimed that his dispatch was garbled, and gave an explanation which materially altered the sense of his communication. However, we see no reason for making so much to do over the affair as some are disposed to make. Toombs is better known as an irresponsible blatherskite than anything else. Of course the republican politicians will endeavor to make capital out of the Toombs bombast, by declaring he but echoes the real sentiment of the southern people; but it is no compliment to the common sense of the people of the north to say they will so regard it. If some cross roads idiot in the north were to cry out "death or eternal slavery to the people of the south," the southern people would not regard it as an expression of the true sentiments of the people of the north, and it would be an insult to their intelligence for any one to tell them so. It would be regarded only as a fool's freak.

Politicians may rant and rave about the bitterness of one section against the other, but actual observation and experience through a general intermingling of the people of the north and south in conventions and other meetings and in the field of commerce, shows that the only difference between the people is one of politics, and the feeling is no more bitter as between the inhabitants of the north and the south, than it is between the opposing parties in the north. This fact is becoming so well known that the party that bases its hopes of success upon the existence of any hatred of one class of the American people for another will lose. The people are opening their eyes to the fact that they have been duped into a belief that their neighbors were their enemies by unscrupulous political schemers, and the republican leaders are welcome to all they can make out of the windy vaporings of Bob Toombs of Georgia.

THE NEW FACULTY.

The new faculty of the A. and M. college at Bryan is now partially organized as follows: President, J. G. James, of Austin; professor of mathematics, etc., Benj. Allen, of Kaufman; professor of English literature, etc., J. R. Cole, of Sherman; professor of ancient languages, etc., C. P. Estelle, of Brenham; professor of chemistry, etc., H. H. Dinwiddie, of Austin; professor of anatomy, D. F. Smith, of Bryan. Messrs. Roberts, Sayers, Pfeuffer and Peeler were appointed a committee to fill other chairs as soon as possible, and fill any vacancies that may occur, if those to which positions have been offered do not accept.

The following is the personnel of some of the new faculty of the State A. and M. college, as reported by the Galveston *News*:

Col. John G. James was born in Virginia, December 1, 1844, and graduated at the Virginia Military institute with honors, and served in the army of northern Virginia. In 1866-67 he was professor of chemistry and mathematics in the Kentucky Military institute at Frankfort, which position he resigned to establish in connection with his brother and Maj. H. H. Dinwiddie, the Texas Military institute, at Bastrop, which was afterwards removed to Austin. He was superintendent of that institute from its foundation, in 1868, until the present. In 1875 he was appointed by the secretary of the navy a member of the board of visitors to the United States naval academy at Annapolis. He says his election was unsolicited and a surprise. There are nearly one thousand alumni of his old school now in the state.

Benj. Allen graduated at McKenzie college and then attended the university of Virginia; was assistant teacher in McKenzie college in 1859, and has been engaged in teaching ever since. He leaves a good school in Kaufman, where he has been teaching several years.

H. H. Dinwiddie is a Virginian by birth; entered the Virginia Military institute in 1862, served in the army of northern Virginia in 1864; returned to the Military institute at the close of the war and graduated at the head of his class. In 1867 he was appointed assistant professor and adjutant of the Virginia Military institute, resigned that position and came to Texas in 1868, and was one of the founders of the Texas Military institute, professor of physics and chemistry in that institution till 1875; resigned that position and opened a select school in Austin. His age is 35 years.

James E. Cole is aged 40 years; he is elected in the chair of English literature; is a native of North Carolina; was educated at Trinity college, in his native state, where he graduated in 1861, with first honors. He immediately entered the confederate army and was promoted to the command of the regiment. He came to Texas in 1866 and was chosen professor of ancient language in the McKenzie college; was elected to the Texas legislature from Grayson county in 1869; served as a member of the legislature in 1870 and 1871; was clerk in the senate of the thirteenth legislature; devoted himself to agriculture several years; was president of the North Texas Female college, located in Sherman, from 1876 to 1878.

Charles P. Estelle is a Virginian; he graduated at Washington and Lee university, and also graduated in departments in the university of Virginia; subsequently he became assistant professor in Washington and Lee university; was associated with general H. D. Hill in the college of North Carolina; he came to Texas bearing the highest testimonials from generals R. E. Lee, D. H. Hill, and others; he was, at one time, in charge of Austin college, at Huntsville, Texas. At the time of his election to the present position, he was superintendent of the city schools of Brenham.

The daily report of the custom collectors show that just about 50 per cent. of the total duties is paid in gold, about 30 per cent. in United States notes, and the balance is standard silver. The great increase in customs collections has now created in the United States treasury the largest accumulation of gold to be found in the world, viz: $172,000,000—the amount of silver being about $50,000,000. The aggregate of specie held by the Bank of France is larger than this, but it is more largely composed of silver than in the United States treasury. Nor does it seem probable that this preponderance of gold in the United States treasury is likely to diminish unless there is some change in the regulations regarding the collection of customs. Of the specie that comes from abroad fully 85 per cent. is gold. For the past fifteen weeks the gold imports at New York have averaged $4,000,000 per week.

The Brownsville *Democrat* says: "A company for the building of a new road from this city to Roma, and perhaps Laredo, has been formed, with all the stock, necessary for incorporation paid, and with sufficient funds available to build it for some distance, and they are now waiting to secure a favorable recognition from congress, in the way of assistance, which, at the present outlook, is extremely doubtful."

The Chicago *News Freie Presse* declines submitting to any more "foolishness" or dilly-dallying by Mr. Schurz regarding that gentleman's connection with the *Westliche Post* of St. Louis, and demands a plain and prompt explanation of the existing relations between the man and the paper. It says: "It seems to become the duty of Mr. Schurz, who is one of the directors of the *Westliche Post*, to state clearly whether the views of that St. Louis paper reflect his own views, as far as the presidential question is concerned, or not. General talk, pretending that he has nothing to do with the management of the *Westliche Post*, and for this very reason cannot be held responsible for what is said in that paper, will not do any longer. The people have a right to ask of Mr. Schurz an explanation as to whether he fully approves of the attempt of the *Westliche Post* to bring the Germans into the democratic ranks or not, and they demand a conclusive answer."

The Augusta (Georgia) *Evening News*, to judge of the following, has been trying to personate Patience on a monument without success: "An eminent physician gives it as a professional opinion that morphine cover was good for a sore finger. It never cured the rheumatism, nor helped draw a prize in the lottery. It is not recommended for liver complaint. It is not sure against lightning, sewing machine agents, nor any of the ills which beset people through life. Almost any experienced journalist will tell you that there is no occasion for swearing outside of a newspaper office, where it is useful in proof-reading, and indispensably necessary in getting forms to press. It has been known, also, to materially assist the editor in looking over the paper after it is printed. But otherwise it is a very foolish and wicked habit."

The following were elected officers of the Army of the Cumberland association for the ensuing year at the annual reunion at Washington on the 19th inst.: President, Gen. Phil Sheridan; vice presidents, Gen. Underwood of Massachusetts, Gen. Barnum of New York, Gen. Carmer of New Jersey, Gen. Negley of Pennsylvania, Gen. Duffield of Michigan, Col. Robson of Kentucky, Capt. E. E. Rhum of Tennessee, Gen. Morgan of Illinois, Gen. Streight of Indiana, Gen. Myer of Ohio, Col. Johnston of Wisconsin, Col. Conover of Missouri, Gen. Martin of Kansas, Capt. Wood of Minnesota, Capt. Sellock of Iowa; Gen. Fullerton, treasurer; Capt. Steel, recording secretary; Gen. Cist, corresponding secretary.

The Galveston folks pride themselves on the fact that Louise Pomeroy placed her new play—"The Duchess"—upon the stage for the first time in that city. We regard this as scarcely a compliment to the critical tastes of the Galveston people. It is always desirable among the authors and actors in a new piece to give its first presentation before an audience not possessed of a very fine dramatic taste or discriminating sense that flaws or imperfections may be put through a polishing process before audiences not capable of discerning them. After a week's "rehearsal" of her new play before a Galveston audience, Louise might venture to produce it in San Antonio.

The decision of the supreme court in reference to trade-marks, declaring the law which they are based upon unconstitutional, cut off from the revenues of the patent office about $40,000 a year, and as all the fees from this source have been promptly collected, actions for their recovery in the court of claims are now in order. It is the opinion of the commissioner of patents that in a matter so largely affecting the business interests of the country some prompt remedial action should be taken by congress, and if found necessary, an amendment to the constitution adopted to fully cover the case.

The St. Louis *Republican* says of the Utes who have thus far testified before the commissioners at Los Pinos: "There can be no question a sorry set of savages. They are cursed by the heavens above, the earth beneath and the Great Spirit, and then proceed to lie with as much nonchalance as they would eat a meal. If the government of our illustrious forefathers, dozen or two of these Utes would be a good deal more in keeping with the principles, as the English do the Afghans, it would at least be justified in making a few of 'em smart for the good of the impudence of their perjury."

Hank Mickle and Calamity Jim are still on their trip in south Texas. Who the d—l are they, anyhow? Houston Telegram.

After that confession of ignorance regarding western Texas, the *Telegram* must not presume to speak again of this section as knowing anything about it. Hank Mickle and Calamity Jim are institutions of western Texas, known and beloved of the population as the special correspondent of the Express and his "faithful Rosinante."

Silver mining in Nevada seems to be on the decline. The king of the state produced $35,000,000 in 1878 and will probably not reach $22,000,000 in 1879. The great bonanza in the Consolidated Virginia and California is nearly exhausted. Those two mines turned out $1,500,000 a month for a long time, and now not one tenth as much.

The Galveston fire department is inefficient, and not half paid at that, and the *News* is alarmed about the situation. The city can appropriate only $[illegible] much to maintain the department, as we understand it, and that amount is inadequate. It is a dangerous experiment to practice economy on a fire department.

The news from Mexico is of a rather exciting nature. Everything appears in a turbulent state even at the capital, and from now on until the election at least all news from that country will be looked for with increased interest.

The Memphis Appeal talks. Various plans are being discussed, but that the sewers must be built, and that before another summer comes, is a matter on which all appear united.

The Memphis *Avalanche* publishes as an illustration of the rush of business in that city that on the 18th instant the receipts of cotton amounted to 5,856 bales.

New Leaders Wanted.

New York Herald.

It is going to be a good time for moderate and sensible counsel on the democratic side, and we trust, for the country's sake as well as for that of the democratic themselves, that the senators and representatives who last spring and summer united and made and nullify in about equal proportions will this winter take the leadership of their party, as they ought to have done last winter. There is a good deal of sterling good sense on the democratic side in congress, but it has hitherto sat in the corners of the capitol sucking its thumbs, while men like Thurman, Voorhees, Beck, Randall, Blackburn and McMahon ruled the roost. These people have now had their turn, with the result of leaving their party hardly a leg to stand on. An other Potter committee or another extra session, if either were possible, would finish the party and let the republicans have it all their own way. What the democratic party now needs is a rush of brains in the head.

"Inflation."

Kansas City Journal.

The amount of money now in circulation, or available as such, more than there was when the retirement of greenbacks was stopped, is between one hundred and eighty and two hundred millions of dollars. This is the much dreaded inflation of which we have heard so much, and yet the country is not ruined. On the contrary, there are men credulous enough to believe that it is more prosperous than for many years, even more solidly so than when under the abnormal excitement of war disbursements.

Of this large increase, eighteen millions is paper, and the rest gold and silver. The New York financial organs profess to be alarmed at this, but the country is not. The fact not only proves the substantial prosperity of the country, but it shows that contraction of the currency is only practical in a time of depression and disaster. The gold inflation which comprises two-thirds of all, is solely from the fact that we are producing and selling abroad more than we import and consume. The money too received for this surplus is the money of the world, and is that much absolutely accrued wealth to our people.

The farmers of the nation are very well satisfied with it, the labor of the country, with better and cheaper work, is content with it, thinkt to be, and the merchant and trader, who has abundant buyers with the ability to pay, is prudent and confident. And all these are averse to any tinkering with the present condition of things. They know that the disturbances of the past were destructive of all safety and prosperity, and they will not tolerate any men or party in efforts to unsettle what is so favorable to all.

Of course this influx of gold, on which all values rest, will have the effect of enhancing prices. It was so after the discovery of gold in California and Australia, and it will always be so in a large degree when a country increases its supply by the balance of trade. Such is the philosophy of the world's system of money, and no legislation can change it, and any attempt to do so can, in the nature of things, be productive of no good to the nation attempting it. If speculation follows such a condition of affairs it is because abundance induces enterprise, and as long as gold is the money of the world the people that gets its balance of profits paid in it, is correspondingly rich and prosperous. If it tends, as in this case, to unsettle the price of stocks and make dealing in money more uncertain and precarious, the men affected can invest their funds in some productive industry, or submit to what is. But whatever they do wish to do, the prosperity that we now enjoy cannot be abandoned for their accommodation. That much is fixed.

Horse Notes—What's Doing in Fleet Ones.

Kentucky Live Stock Record, Nov. 15.

Mr. Charles Brewer has sold to Charles Blanton a half interest in the bay colt Robert the Devil, 2 years old, by Bertram, out of Cast Off by Promised Land, for $14,400. Mr. Blanton trains the colt.

The Count of Hamilton has sold to Count Lehndorff, director of the Imperial Stud of Prussia, at Graditz, the chestnut horse Lot lypop, 6 years old, by Souvenir, dam Sugarstick by Stockwell, for $15,000.

Messrs. A. S. & E. Odell, New York, have sold the gray trotting stallion Independence, 9 years old, by Gen. Knox, dam of Gideon, son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian, for $12,000. They purchased this horse last spring from Wm. Potter, Augusta, Me., for $7,500.

Kirk, in the New York World of Nov. 8th, has compiled a table of the winnings of Mr. G. L. Lorillard's stable, amounting to $87,052.50, and says this sum will be increased by the addition of $11,000. Ten thousand of this was a guarantee by Mr. P. Lorillard to his brother out of the winnings of Duke of Magenta in England, and $1,000 forfeit was paid by Mr. P. Lorillard to Mr. G. L. Lorillard in the match between Sensation and Variety. This will make the gross winnings of the stable $98,052.50. Sensation heads the list with $20,250, followed by Ferida, with $17,805, Monitor $16,055, Lubnier $5,635, Anna Augusta $5,475, Harold $5,475, Dan $4,625, Willie $4,170, Rosalie $3,260, Wenah $2,375, Queen's Own $1,135, Bal. since All $517.50, Starlie $400, Lilac $300, Kingcraft $45. He started eighteen horses 175 times, was first 55 times, second 45, third 25, unplaced 50 times.

Illinois Charities

St. Louis Republican.

Illinois is a wealthy state, and its people do not need of their duties to provide comfortably for the unfortunates, who, through infirmity of body or mind, are unable to take care of themselves. The total expenditures for this class of persons in the year ending September 30 last were $758,144. This sum was distributed among ten eleemosynary institutions containing 2,478 inmates. The average cost of inmates of the Soldiers' Orphans' home was $138; for patients in the blind asylum, $370; and for the whole number of unfortunates in the ten institutions, $202. This is a larger sum than is expended on an average by the members of a laborer's family of five persons. There are thousands of such families whose total earnings do not exceed $500 a year, which would give an allowance of $100 for each member. The state of Illinois, therefore, provides as much for each of the recipients of its charity as a workingman who earns his own living can provide for the members of his family—to say nothing of the far better house room the pauper enjoys over the laborer. The entire public expenditures for charity in the state ($758,000) is perhaps as great as the entire ordinary expenditures for the state government, so that in a money point of view charity is quite as serious a matter as government.

Sales of Kentucky Short-Horns.

Kentucky Live Stock Record, Nov. 15.

M. Squires has sold and shipped to J. W. Crenshaw, Winfield, Kansas, 34 head of short-horns and high grades. Mr. Crenshaw has already established a cattle ranch.

C. L. Vanmeter has purchased for Mrs. S. J. Wilson, of Louisiana, a Rose of Sharon bull from A. Renick, a Young Mary heifer from J. E. Weathers for $150, a Camelia heifer from Thomas & Smith for $125, a London Duchess heifer from Wm. Warfield for $125, and a Lady Elizabeth heifer from James Eaton for about $100. Also a trio of Angora goats from Col. W. R. Scott for $125, a flock of Merino sheep from Capt. Mills, of Romney, for $30, a Cotswold buck of Robt. Cunningham for $30, and a shepherd dog from A. J. Alexander's herdsman for $10. The stock is all first class, and will be shipped by Mr. Vanmeter as soon as the river rises.

Mr. Tilden's Next Move.

New York Tribune.

The far-sighted democratic prophets, who are so sure Tilden is dead, should pause in their rapid deliverance of forecasts long enough to consider the probable effect of Kelly's being bounced from Tammany Hall between now and the spring of 1880. It is evident that the managers of Tilden's organs that has next still hunt will be for the possession of Tammany Hall, in order to present himself at the national capital with the undivided support of his party. John Kelly won't be of much force in that convention, if he goes without Tammany to back him.

One Branch of the Business Boom.

Washington dispatch to St. Paul Press.

A report received at the postoffice department to day from New York as to postoffice business, indicates a business boom of very great dimensions. During the past week over one million pieces of mail matter were received daily at New York, the total for the week being 7,200,000 pieces—the greatest week's work in the history of that office.

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1 GRAND PRIZE OF	20,000		20,000
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5 LARGE PRIZES OF	5,000		25,000
20 PRIZES OF	1,000		20,000
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Daily Express.

Wednesday Morning, November 26, 1879.

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Corpus Christi—Arrives daily except Monday by 5 p. m. Departs daily except Sunday at 6 a. m.

Eagle Pass—Arrives daily by 6 p. m. Departs daily at 6 a. m.

Fredericksburg and Cadwo—Arrives daily by 12 m. Departs daily at 1 p. m.

Fort Clark—Arrives Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday at 6 a. m. Departs Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a. m.

Boerne and Helena—Arrives Wednesday and Saturday by 12 m. Departs Mon. & Thur. at 6 a. m.

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Stamp, Register and Money Order Departments from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

General Delivery from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Railroad Time Table.

THROUGH EXPRESS EAST—Daily except Sunday.

Leaves San Antonio	7.00 a. m.
" Seguin	8.45 a. m.
" Luling	10.34 a. m.
" Columbus	12.50 p. m.
Arrives at Houston	3.00 p. m.
" Galveston	7.00 p. m.

THROUGH EXPRESS WEST—Daily except Sunday.

Leaves Houston	7.15 a. m.
" Columbus	11.15 a. m.
" Luling	2.28 p. m.
" Seguin	3.45 p. m.
Arrives at San Antonio	5.40 p. m.

NIGHT TRAIN EAST—Daily except Sunday.

Leaves San Antonio	4.15 p. m.
Arrives at Houston	4.15 a. m.

NIGHT TRAIN WEST—Daily except Sunday.

Leaves Houston	7.00 p. m.
Arrives at San Antonio	4.30 a. m.

TICKET OFFICE HOURS.—From 7 a. m. to 12 m., from 2 to 4 p. m. and from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays, 10 to 11 a. m., and 8 to 9 p. m.

N. B.—Train run by Galveston time, which is 15 minutes faster than San Antonio time.

STATE NEWS.

Snow fell at Fort Worth the other day.

Montgomery wants a telegraph line.

The population of Bolton is about 300.

Victoria is moving for a gulf coast fair.

Wild geese have been passing over Mason.

Kerr county has plenty of deer around.

Corn sells at 50 cents in Denison now.

They expect to strike "life" near Denison.

Curry's trial begins December 1, at Marshall.

"On to Gainesville," is the cry about Denison.

The Bellville Times is the latest journalistic venture.

McLennan county has $8,000 in the treasury.

Coketown is what an east Texas paper styles Waco.

The new Methodist church at Marshall is nearly finished.

The amount of gin-burning in the State is prodigious.

Rev. Conrad Haney is raiding the devil in north Texas.

Last week the Coke guards gave a military ball at Gatesville.

The McLennan county immigration society has been reorganized.

A telegraph line to Strawn is a thing of certainty in the near future.

The city of Memphis owes some money than the State of Texas.

Notwithstanding recent rains the Neches continues at a low stage.

The Denisonites had their annual bonfire last week, as instituted by Sam Jones.

J. C. Harris, freight clerk of the International at Houston, is no more.

A soap factory has been started in Brazoria Valley, in Brazoria county.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Market Reports by Telegraph.

MONEY, STOCKS, AND BONDS.

New York, November 25—Money 5 @ 7; exchange 487; government bonds steady, new 5's 102¼; 4½s 103; 4s 107; state bonds neglected and unchanged.

New Orleans, November 25—Sterling 48 @ 49; gold $1 00 per thousand; sterling bank 485; gold 4 @ 4¼.

COTTON MARKETS.

Liverpool, November 25—Cotton quiet and steady; middling uplands 6 1-16; New Orleans, 6⅞d; sales, 8,000 bales; stock, 1,000,000; including 510,000 American; receipts, 20,000; American 10,000; futures opened cheaper but declined and since partially recovered; spinners, for middling classes, November delivery, 6 3-32 sellers; November and January, 6 11-64d; January and February, 6 21-64d; February and March, 6 3-32d; March and April, 6 13-64d; May and June, 6 7-32d; new crop November and December, 5 29-32d.

Liverpool, November 25—2:30 p. m.—Cotton—Manchester market firm; futures quiet and steady.

Liverpool, November 25—Cotton—Middling uplands for middling clause November delivery, 6 25-32d; December and January, 6 27-32d; January and February, 6 29-32d; March and April, 6 15-16d; May and June, 6 7-32d; new crop November and December, 5 29-32d.

Liverpool, November 25—5:30 p. m.—Cotton—Manchester market firm; futures quiet and steady.

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New Orleans, November 25—Cotton—Quiet and firm; sales, 12,000 bales; middling, 11⅛c; good ordinary, 10⅛c; net receipts, 9,323 bales; gross, 9,323; exports, continent, 6,326 bales; coastwise, 1,500 bales; stock, 232,036 bales.

New York, November 25—Cotton—Quiet; net, 105 bales; gross, 600; futures closed steady; sales, 10,000 bales; November, 11 7-16 @ 11 29; December, 11 29 @ 11 30; January, 11 45 @ 11 50; February, 11 65 @ 11 67; March, 11 80 @ 11 81; April, 11 93 @ 11 95; May, 12 08 @ 12 09; June, 12 25 @ 12 26; July, 12 39 @ 12 41.

Galveston, November 25—Cotton—Quiet; receipts 1,923 bales; sales, 1,000 bales; stock, 97,272 bales; 2,500 bales; sales, 4,000 bales; stock, 97,272 bales; market closed firm; good middling, 11⅛c; middling, 10⅞c; low middling, 11⅛c; middling tinged, 10⅞c.

New Orleans, November 25—Cotton—Quiet and firm; sales, 12,000 bales; middling, 11⅛c; gulf, 11⅛c; receipts, 9,323 bales; exports to Great Britain, 6,326; France 1,817; continent 11,709.

Baltimore, November 25—Wheat—Southern firm; western easier; southern red, 1 @ 1 03; amber, $1 02 @ 1 06; No. 1 Maryland $1 03; No. 2 western winter, red spot November, $1 03 @ 1 04; December, $1 04; January, $1 07½ @ 1 08; February, $1 10½ @ 1 11. Corn—southern higher and firm; western, higher; southern white, 54@56c; yellow, 55@56c.

St. Louis, November 25.—Wheat—unsettled and higher; higher grades $1 02@1 09. Pork—easier at $12 00. Dry salt meats—shoulders quiet and weak at 5c; packed 5¼c. Bacon—quiet; clear ribs 5¾; clear sides 5¾. Rice—quiet and weak; ordinary to choice Louisiana 6¾@7¼c.

St. Louis, November 25.—Flour—firm and unchanged. Whisky—steady at $1 10. Pork—nominally $10 87½. Lard—higher at $6 30@6 37½. Bulk meats—firm; shoulders 4½c; clear rib 5¼c; clear sides 5¼c. Bacon—shoulders 5¾c; clear ribs 5¾c; clear sides 6c. Hams—unchanged.

New York, November 25—Coffee—firm and steady. Sugar—dull nominal and in buyers favor; fair to good refining 5¾@5¾c; prime 5¾c; refined unchanged. Molasses—

New York, November 25.—Wool—fairly active and very firm; domestic fleece, 30@55c; pulled 25@52c; unwashed, 18@30c; Texas, 19@35c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

St. Louis, November 25—Cattle—steady; shade higher; receipts, 1,300; shipments, 2,000; choice to extra shipping steers $4 00@4 25; fair to good shipping light 3.50@4 00; 950 head averaging 1000 pounds 3c per pound; native cows and heifers 2 25@3 40; common to fair stockers, 2 00@2 50; feeders 2 75@3 25. Hogs—Supply light; demand good and higher; fair to good mixed 3 90@4 00; choice to fancy 4 05@4 10; receipts 6,000; shipments, 150.

Chicago, November 25.—The Drovers Journal reports cattle receipts 6000; shipments, 2000; steady; common to fair 10c lower; at 2.50@3.00; butchers steady; through Texas steady and unchanged. Sheep—receipts 700; shipments 530. Cable quotations are 1@1½c lower for all kinds of cattle and very dull. Sad to some cases higher that good clearance was made, and that sheep are firm and a shade higher for light.

Weekly Review of the San Antonio Market.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY & WEEKLY EXPRESS, Wednesday, November 26, 1879.

The business of the week ending this evening has been very satisfactory and shows an increase over that of the corresponding week last year. Values of produce and general merchandise have steadily advanced and are still advancing so that instead of trade being restricted by short crops it shows an actual advance over that of last year. The increase of business is not alone due to the advance in the price of raw materials, but is also due to the fact that in one industry in the country, the resources which have hitherto been neglected and to the growth and extension of those enterprises which have been established here. The prosperity of our fall wool season and the making of San Antonio an open market where the wool growers sell their wool direct to our local buyers in competition with northern buyers instead of selling to commission merchants who constitute a ring or monopoly, as is the case in most other localities, has been the principal factor in our local trade. In this connection we will state that we learn from San Antonio buyers who have just returned from Corpus Christi that they made their purchases in every instance from commission merchants at that place and at prices below what the same wools would have sold at in San Antonio. More than this the price paid was for the wool free on board of the vessels at Corpus Christi for New York or Gal[illegible]. This wool had been purchased from the wool growers by the Corpus Christi commission merchants at so low a price that although our buyers purchased it at figures below the San Antonio prices, yet the Corpus Christi merchants made a large profit out of its sale. This in former years was the state of affairs in San Antonio also, but now the wool kings are dethroned and our market is free for all who choose to purchase wool and the wool growers receive the benefit of a free competition between the buyers.

For the information of our wool growers we give the following review of the Boston (Mass.) wool market, published in the Shoe and Leather Reporter of the 20th: There continues to be a good demand from manufacturers and those who have not supplied their wants, and the sales for the week foot up 3,258,000 pounds. The demand for territory wool is more active, and also for California wool. The price of this wool has advanced, and a lot of nearly 170,000 pounds has been sold at 40c. Valley Oregon has been in good request, and 41c has been obtained. In fact, all descriptions of wool are firmer than a week ago, and the tendency is still upward. Foreign wool is also advancing, and it is not now a profit to import. Most of the large mills have wool enough to supply their wants for several months, while the manufacturing clothiers have not purchased. Ohio and Virginia fine wool has sold at 50c; Ohio and Pennsylvania 48@c; Michigan X, 43c. Sales of the other following: 1,215,000 pounds California, 24@40c; 351,000 pounds Ohio and Pennsylvania, 46@51; 598,000 pounds Texas, Oregon and Territory, [illegible] 32,000 pounds Michigan and Western, [illegible]; 31,000 pounds Missouri, Georgia and Kentucky, 45@38c; 10,000 pounds New York and New England, 43c; 121,000 pounds combing and delaine, 46@51c; 203,000 pounds pulled wool, 37@[illegible]. The receipts of grain in this city by rail (there have been no receipts by wagons) include only 3 carloads of corn, 1 carload of oats and 3 carloads of wheat, making the total since the 1st of May 112 carloads of wheat, 245 carloads of corn, 151 carloads of oats, 4 carloads of barley, 1 carload of rye 1 carload of mixed grain. The total number of carloads of grain received in this city by rail since the 1st of January is 583.

Northern produce is in good supply and the quotations are unchanged. Recent receipts of apples are especially fine in condition, quality and variety. The stock of apples now in this city is ample for all present demands and the prices are very reasonable. We also note a fine lot of potatoes here which sell at two cents per pound. The best eating potatoes are firm at from 2½@3 cents per pound. Onions are in good supply and are firm at 4 cents per pound.

Fuel is cheaper now than it has been for a number of years. The plazas are well filled with wood wagons every morning, and well seasoned wood, mesquite, post oak, Burnet, and hackberry, can be bought at from $3 75@4 25 per cord. It must be remembered in buying wood from the plazas that the wood peddlers always ask extreme prices for their loads and require to be beaten down in their price to reasonable figures. There are also other parties in this city who will contract to deliver a sufficient supply for a year's use at four dollars per cord, and if a large quantity is required better bargains can be secured. Charcoal is in ample supply but is mainly used by the blacksmiths. The prices range from sixty-five to seventy cents per barrel. Coal is in good supply and is received from our coal mine about eighteen miles south of the city, and sells at $5.00 per ton for ordinary coal and $6.00 per ton for double screened coal.

Bacon has declined from a half cents to a cent per pound as will be seen by our quotations.

Game is large receipt and sells at reasonable prices.

The live stock trade is fairly active with better receipts during the past few days especially of butchers stock. We note the shipments during the past week of two carloads of Texas ponies, unbroken, to New York where there appears to be quite a demand being developed for this kind of stock. We suppose they are intended mainly to supply the polo clubs.

Prairie hay has been in good supply at sixty-five cents per hundred pounds.

The receipts of freight by rail to-day included 1 carload of government freight, 1 of mixed northern produce, 1 of bacon, 2 of mixed merchandise, 1 of oats, 1 of corn, and 1 of wheat.

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St. Louis Exchange	50c p m	1c p m

$10,000 to $30,000 worth of spring goods, to deliver as soon as they please, the bills to be dated on delivery. In regard to dating bills ahead, it is said that the buyers are not asking it to any extent. The trade generally is very active for the season, and with the coming of the buyers in force within the next few days, the trade bids fair to be brisk.

Present appearances indicate that the early buyers will purchase all the goods that the manufacturers have leather to cover, and that later orders will be subject to higher prices. The boot factories are generally shut down, while the manufacturers of shoes are starting up. The market is sensitive, and is as yet rather unsettled, though the price has been fixed on most samples; but with the uncertainty attending the future, the manufacturers are not inclined to guarantee sample prices but a very short time. There are about fifty buyers in the market, all representing large houses.

We have been thus liberal in making our extracts from the reports of other markets in order to show the causes of the present rise in prices in the San Antonio market, and also to show that the present advance is based on the actual demands of the manufacturers and the consumers, and not on mere speculation. What we said in regard to the San Antonio wool market will also apply to our hide market. San Antonio is essentially an open market. No ring can control this market, no matter how much wealth they may represent, and now that nearly all large lots of hides and skins are sold here at public auction, where our local buyers are brought into direct competition with northern agents and buyers, it is an utter impossibility to form a combination to keep down prices as is done in smaller markets.

Mexican dollars have a commercial value at our banks of 90 cts. They are taken in trade at from 80@85 cts.

Cotton is kept up strong at our quotations by the operations of the Mexican buyers in this city, although the prices paid here will not pay to ship to New York on. The receipts of the past week have been much larger than those of previous weeks and the general quality of the staple is also much better than that which was received earlier in the season. This is due to the top crop filling out much better than was expected, owing to more favorable weather. The total receipts of cotton to date amount to 1612 bales.

Pecans are in active demand but the receipts are falling off. The prices have advanced and are still advancing, as will be seen by our quotations. There is no prospect of any decline in prices until after Christmas, and by that time the entire crop of western Texas will have been marketed. We advise parties coming to this city with large lots of pecans to notify all of our dealers and then sell the pecans at auction. Competition between the dealers is very great and the demand for pecans is so urgent that extreme prices will be paid where they are sold at auction.

The stock of grain in this city is very small, though large receipts are expected by mail in a few days. Prices are very firm at our quotations, and the supply of grain now in this city is entirely inadequate for the local demand. There has therefore been a marked advance in prices, and for less quantities than ten bushels, a dollar and ten cents was demanded and obtained. These extreme prices are of short duration, however, and as soon as we receive the grain which has been ordered by our dealers, prices will decline again to the old figures. Oats are also very firm, and the stock is very low. The receipts of grain in this city by rail (there have been no receipts by wagons) include only 3 carloads of corn, 1 carload of oats and 3 carloads of wheat, making the total since the 1st of May 112 carloads of wheat, 245 carloads of corn, 151 carloads of oats, 4 carloads of barley, 1 carload of rye 1 carload of mixed grain. The total number of carloads of grain received in this city by rail since the 1st of January is 583.

Northern produce is in good supply and the quotations are unchanged. Recent receipts of apples are especially fine in condition, quality and variety. The stock of apples now in this city is ample for all present demands and the prices are very reasonable. We also note a fine lot of potatoes here which sell at two cents per pound. The best eating potatoes are firm at from 2½@3 cents per pound. Onions are in good supply and are firm at 4 cents per pound.

Fuel is cheaper now than it has been for a number of years. The plazas are well filled with wood wagons every morning, and well seasoned wood, mesquite, post oak, Burnet, and hackberry, can be bought at from $3 75@4 25 per cord. It must be remembered in buying wood from the plazas that the wood peddlers always ask extreme prices for their loads and require to be beaten down in their price to reasonable figures. There are also other parties in this city who will contract to deliver a sufficient supply for a year's use at four dollars per cord, and if a large quantity is required better bargains can be secured. Charcoal is in ample supply but is mainly used by the blacksmiths. The prices range from sixty-five to seventy cents per barrel. Coal is in good supply and is received from our coal mine about eighteen miles south of the city, and sells at $5.00 per ton for ordinary coal and $6.00 per ton for double screened coal.

Bacon has declined from a half cents to a cent per pound as will be seen by our quotations.

Game is large receipt and sells at reasonable prices.

The live stock trade is fairly active with better receipts during the past few days especially of butchers stock. We note the shipments during the past week of two carloads of Texas ponies, unbroken, to New York where there appears to be quite a demand being developed for this kind of stock. We suppose they are intended mainly to supply the polo clubs.

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MONEY—

Bank discounts, good paper	10@12 net
Outside discounts, good paper	10@12 net
Improved real estate securities	8@12 net
Gov'n City Improvements—	
Bonds	par
FURS—	
Bear, black No. 1	$2.00
" brown, "	1.50
Beaver, No. 1	90c
Coyote, "	15@20c
Fox, gray, No. 1, cased	25c
" " open	20c
" red, " cased	25c
" " open	20c
Fisher, No. 1, cased	2.00
" " open	1.50
Leopard cat	25@50c
Lynx, No. 1	6.00
" No. 2	5.00
Mink, No. 1, cased	30c
" " open	15c
Muskrat, No. 1, fall	5c
" " winter	10c
Otter, No. 1, cased	2.00
" " open	1.50
Raccoon, No. 1, open and square-handled	20c
Raccoon, No. 1, cased	15c
Skunk, No. 1, black cased	50c
" " open	40c
" " short striped cased	30c
" " " open	25c
" " long " cased	20c
" " " open	15c
" " broad "	10c
" " white	5c
Wolf, grey	50@75c
Cat, wild, cased	20
" " open	15c.
HIDES—	
Mexican, heavy weight, 20 lbs. and over	19½@20c
Mexican, light weight, 15 to 20 lbs.	17½@18c
Butchers, selected, 20 pounds and over	19½@20c
Butchers, light 15 to 20 lbs	17½@18c
Country, selected, 20 pounds and over	19½@20c
Country, light, 15 to 20 pounds	17½@18c
Kips, 8 to 15 pounds	19½@20c
Bulls, calves and damaged	8 @ 15
Deer	30 @ 35
Goat, selected	40 @ 42
Goat, damaged	22 @ 25
Kid	15 @ 17
COTTON—	
Good Middling	10½
Middling	10¼
Low Middling	10
Good Ordinary	9½
Ordinary	9¼
Low Ordinary and Trash	8½
WOOL—	
Extra or fine	24@26c
No. 1 or prime medium	20@24c
No. 2 or medium	15@18
Mexican and Mexican improved	18@20
GRAIN—	
Wheat	$1 05@$1 60
Corn	90@$1 10
Oats	50@55
Cracked Corn	1 00
Corn Meal	95@1 00
Yellow Corn Meal	90@95
Oat and corn chop per cwt	2 25@2 50
Bran, per hundred pounds	1 00
Corn fodder per ton	$22 00
Baled hay per ton	$12@15
" " rejected, per ton	$11 00
Red Rust proof seed oats	65c
Nicaragua wheat	1 50
LUMBER—	
Texas pine, rough per M	$ 20
" dressed on one side, per M	25
" " both sides, per M	30
" flooring, per M	45
White pine siding, clear	35
" " second clear	30
Florida pine, dressed, per foot	2½ c
" flooring, do	2½
Laths, white pine, per M	5.50
" Louisiana cypress, "	6.00
MARKET PRICES—	
Beef	6
Veal	7
Mutton	7
Pork	8
Tripe	10
Sausage	12½
Turkey	10@20
Wild Turkeys, hens	20@30
" gobblers	35@40
Chickens, retail	20
" wholesale, per doz	$1.50 to 1.75
Hens per dozen	$2 00@2 50
Ducks	20@30
Rabbits	10
Quail, per dozen	50
Venison, hindquarters per pound	6½
" forequarters per pound	5
LIVE STOCK—	
Cows, per head	$8 00
Milch cows, per head	18 00@22 00
Two year old stears and heifers, per head	7 00 @ 8 00
Three " " " "	10 50 @ 11 50
Mexican cows, per head	1 00 @ 1 50
Improved Mexican	1 25 @ 1 50
Graded to shear 4 pounds	1 75 @ 2 25
Graded to shear 5 pounds	2 25 @ 3 00
Graded to shear 6 pounds	2 75 @ 3 50
Mutton, weighing 8 to 10 lbs	75 @ 1 00
" " 10 to 16 lbs	1 10 @ 1 25
Horses, unbroken, 13½ hands high	10 00 @ 15 00
BACON—	
Long clear sides	10½
Breakfast uncanvassed	11
COFFEE—	
Rio fair ℔ b	16
Rio good fair	17
Rio, prime	19
Rio, choice	20
Rio, ground	22
Chicory	15
CANDLES—	
Star, 6's, 7's and 8's, ℔ box	$5 75
Paraffine, colored, per ℔	20
RICE—	
Louisiana, per ℔	8¾
Carolina	9½
WHISKIES AND BRANDIES—	
Best Brands	2 25@3 00
Common Brands	1 00@1 50
Best Brands Brandy	3 25@3 00
ALES, PORTER, ETC.—	
Manlove's Beer, quarts, pts, per case	6 doz $2 00
Deetjen's Ale " " "	2 00
English Ale " " "	2 00
English porter " " "	2 00
St Louis Beer, Anheuser " " "	1 50
Milwaukee Schlitz " " "	1 50
CROCKERY.	
SUGARS—	
Fair, per ℔	10¼
Yellow clarified	11½
White Clarified	12
N. York A	12½
Crushed	13½
Powdered	13½
MISCELLANEOUS—	
Wood, per cord	$3.75@4.25
Charcoal, per barrel	65@70c
Coal, per ton	$5.00@6.00
Eggs	20@25
Butter, Northern, per pound	15@25
Butter, Texas, "	20@25
Lard, Northern, "	9¾@15
Lard, Texas, "	10c
Potatoes, Irish, per pound	2½@3c
" sweet, per bush	1 00
Green Apples, per bbl	4 50
Onions, per ℔ lb	4c
Cocoanuts, per 100	4 00
Pecans, per bushel	$2@2.50
Seitzer Water per doz	2 00
Brandy Fruits, French	8 75@1100
" Jellies, Gelatts	2 50
Vinegar, common pergallon	18
Vinegar, pure cider "	45
FLOUR—	
Silver Crescent, per bbl	7 50
XX	7 50
XXX	8 50
Family choice	8 25
FRUITS, NUTS, ETC—	
Layer Raisins white, per box	2 75
" " half box	1 50
Prunes, Turk, per ℔	11
Apples	10
Currants	15
Dates	9
Citron	35
Peaches	20
Almonds	25
Filberts	20
Brazil Nuts	14
Lentils	10
Peas split and green	6
Beans, white	6
Sago	10
Barley	6
Macaroni	1 75@2 50
SPICES—	
Pepper, ℔ b	20
Allspice	20
Ginger	20
Cloves	25
Cassia	20@25
Nutmegs	1 25
SALT—	
Liverpool coarse, per sack	2 00
do fine	2 50
do rock	1.50
CANNED GOODS—	
Oysters 1 ℔ cans, per doz	90@1 10
" 2 " "	1 70@2 25
" 2 " spiced	1 75
Lobsters, 1 ℔ cans	2 00
Potted Ham, ¼ ℔ cans	2 00
" " ½ "	3 00
Lima Beans 2 "	85
Tomatoes 2 "	1 75
Tomatoes 3 "	2 40
Pickles quart "	9 00
" ½ " "	4 00
" ¼ " "	4 50
English asst. quarts "	8 00
Brandy Cherries, French, per dozen	4 50

Daily Express.

Wednesday Morning, November 26, 1879.

Meteorological.

Daily Bulletin—Signal Service U. S. Army, division of Telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture.

Observations recorded at 3 P. M. Nov. 25.

Locality	Bar.	Ther	Wind		Rain	Weather
San Antonio	29.93	.71	SE	....	....	threat'n
Sill	29.84	.69	SW	....	....	fair
Mason	30.00	.70	SE	....	....	cloudy
Davis	30.15	.67	SW	....	....	cloudy
Brownsville	30.05	.71	S	....	03	light rain
Eagle Pass	29.95	.71	S	....	....	cloudy

Weather Indications for To-Day.

WASHINGTON, November 25—Indications for the west gulf states are rising followed by falling barometer, stationary and rising temperature, southeasterly winds, partly cloudy weather and probably followed in the southwest by local rains.

LOCAL NEWS AND GOSSIP.

—Black buntings at A. A. Wolff's.

—G. R. Harrison tunes and repairs pianos and organs. RHODIUS & TEMPSKY.

—Have you seen Shafer's new goods. If not, go and look at them; they are No. 1.

—W. W. Herron, attorney-at-law and notary public. Office in the Devine building, Soledad street

—McGovern's barber shop and bath rooms, one door north of Hord's Hotel.

—J. Landa's flouring and corn mills, New Braunfels, Texas. je28-1y.

—Hot drinks, egg-nogg, etc., at Walker's.

—Just opened, a few more of those handsome boys stiff hats at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

—The Hugnenot white blankets arrived again. A. A. WOLFF.

—Call on Rhodius & Tempsky's and read the flattering testimonials of the work of their piano repairer and tuner, G. R. Harrison.

—Great reductions in dress goods. A. A. WOLFF.

—My stock of cloaks and dolmans is replenished again. Sizes to fit the smallest child as well as the largest lady. A. A. WOLFF.

—Delivery of fruit trees from Rosebank nurseries, Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 27th, at Redmond & Miller's livery stable, Main plaza. Customers please call promptly. S. S. MOORE, General Agent.

—Overcoats and ulsters are now in great demand, and if you would know the headquarters for same at prices ranging from $5 upwards, we can readily say it is at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

—A good hand on dresses can have room, board and wages, at Mrs. Alice Jones, dress maker, on west Houston street, three blocks west of gas house. n23 tf

—Corns, bunions, ingrowing nails extracted without pain by A. Frey, chiropodist, office at Pride barber shop, 55 Commerce street, and Thompson's barber shop, opposite Menger hotel. Calls at private residences promptly attended. nov2 1m

—Good board and pleasant rooms at reasonable rates can be had at Mrs. Gordon's, on Alameda street, near Menger hotel. tf

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—Your cough is relieved and a good night's rest is certain, after a dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

—Call at the Central and convince yourself at $1 per day, or 25 cents a meal.

—At 10 o'clock this morning the Michael Bros. stock of wines, liquors, cigars, etc., will be sold.

—Reserved seat tickets for Adah Richmond troupe now on sale at Hart's.

—Mr. George S. Williamson and party expect to leave on their return to the Sierra Mojada mines this afternoon.

—A negro child, while playing about a cow near the third ward colored school yesterday, was severely gored in the face.

—The case of Jim Pace, charged with robbing the El Paso stage, will be called at 10 o'clock this morning in the federal court.

—Dr. Kearney is having a lot cleared on the south side of San Pedro avenue, preparatory to the construction of a large and commodious residence.

—An effort is on foot, with no mean prospects of success, to induce General Grant to spend the approaching winter in San Antonio, instead of Cuba.

—Col. H. B. Andrews' mining expedition to the region of the recent rich discoveries in Presidio county is expected to depart the first of the coming week.

—The sale of the Michael Bros. stock of wines, liquors, cigars, tobacco, etc., will commence at 10 o'clock to-day, at the store of Goldfrank, Frank & Co.

—Mr. August Klappenbach, of Castroville, convicted of unlawfully opening a package of mail matter, was yesterday fined one cent by Judge Duval, of the federal court.

—A merchant of this city has just received a package from the north upon which the freight charges from New York to Houston were $1.44, and from Houston to San Antonio $1.15.

—In the federal court yesterday, Mr. Boole, brewer at Boerne, Kendall county, was convicted on the charge of violating the internal revenue law by wholesaling beer. His fine will be imposed to-day.

—Rain promises are good. Several refreshing showers fell about the city yesterday. At the head of the river, during the afternoon, the water came down in torrents—at least, the telephone so reported it.

—The immigration aid association meets at 4½ o'clock this evening at the library room of the Alamo literary association, turner hall. A full attendance is desired, important business is to be transacted.

—Shell oysters to-night and every night hereafter, at Fest's headquarters for Milwaukee lager, corner Alamo and Commerce streets. The only place in town for fresh oysters by the dozen or can. Try us.

—Two or more fat men are wanted at the springs Thursday. Distance, 100 yards, and parties must weigh not less than 225 pounds. A fat men's race will also be one of the amusing features of the exercises to-morrow afternoon, provided parties for such a contest step forward.

—The reported drowning in Corpus Christi bay of William Cox, formerly connected with the Menger hotel, of this city, is thought to have been a mistake. The party drowned was some other Cox, and not the man whom it was at first supposed to be.

—It is rumored that Maj. Lerich, now in charge of San Pedro park, will shortly yield the premises to the custody of Mr. Gus. Dauler. The public mind appears to be ripe for almost any sort of change, and from all accounts Lerich must be in about the same fix.

—The exercises at San Pedro springs tomorrow under the auspices of the Athletic club will begin at 9 o'clock a. m., sharp, the programme being a very lengthy one. Many business houses, if not all, will undoubtedly close their doors the greater portion of the day to give their employes a chance to enjoy the sports.

—There will be a sweepstakes trotting race at the springs, on Saturday, November 30th, free for all. Entrance fee $5. The horse trotting the nearest to four minutes takes the purse. Entries, to be made at the office of the street railroad company, close Friday evening at six o'clock.

—Instead of the regular prayer meeting at the Soledad street Methodist church this evening, the pastor will deliver the first of a series of very interesting lectures upon "The Evidences of Christianity," to which the public generally are cordially invited. Those who have had the pleasure of hearing Rev. Mr. Young, will not doubt but that these lectures will be entertaining.

A LETTER FROM LEADVILLE.

Interesting Account of Mining Matters—A Mine Above the Clouds—San Antonians and the Sierra Mojada.

LEADVILLE, Col., Nov. 17, 1879.

Editors San Antonio EXPRESS:

You know there is magic in the name of Leadville, especially to those who are informed in regard to its progress and prosperity. Any item from the pen of its citizens is eagerly grasped at all over the world, with an avidity only excelled in this case by the incompetency of your correspondent, who can but meagrely describe all its life and activity, or discuss its mining and other questions of interest which daily occur. But my presumption is only strengthened by the fact that I have many friends in San Antonio who are ready to forgive my errors. I look for the leniency of others on account of their mental weakness, caused by

THE FURIOUS MINING FEVER

which the Sierra Mojada mines, Mexico, have spread in San Antonio as an epidemic. I receive the EXPRESS as often as the stage coach relieves itself of an awful burden of mail matter at our postoffice. When your weather clerk tells me it is warm, clear, and that Indian summer reigns there, it makes me feel more uncomfortable, and causes a longing wish to hasten my return home. Here we have had for the past few weeks a very heavy snow fall, the depth being over two feet, with drifts of more than twenty, and worst of all, old timers here tell us there is a prospect of much more, which, if true, will shut out all supplies and may cause a famine here if all are not prudent enough to take advantage of the next good spell, should we be so fortunate as to experience another before dread winter comes. The mildness of the two previous winters causes them to believe that this, the third, cannot also be an exception but must rage with its usual fury. Still with all these bad predictions, the people seem happy and but a few fear. Their prosperity, it may be, blinds them, and they consider their hopes and wishes for the future realized without obstruction. Indeed, they attempt almost anything that has ever been accomplished, and this is the cause of

A SAD ACCIDENT

which occurred to our mail coach on the night of the 14th inst. The passengers from Denver, bound for Leadville, had arrived at Weston, 40 miles from here, and the terminus of the South Park R. R., five hours late, being delayed by the heavy snow fall of that date. The coaches making connections at the end of the track had been stabled, and the proprietors had concluded to await until next day, rather than to cross the range and enter Leadville in such a dreadful storm as prevailed. But the obstinacy of some of the passengers prevailed upon Messrs. Wall & Witter, the proprietors of the stage line, to allow one Concord coach to start in the hands of one of the oldest and most experienced drivers on the route. Fourteen mounted the coach—nine inside and five on top, with Thos. Cooper at the end of the reins. The wind raged furiously, and the snow flakes melted as they fell upon the backs of the six spirited animals that bore the party toward the clouds. Early darkness overtook them as they began their quick descent from the steep range they had already climbed in safety, and though chilled, they arrived at a station called Rocky Point at the foot of the range on this side. Here Tom, the driver, proposed to spend the night, as darkness and the covered road uncut, might cause them some trouble on the foot hills. But most of the passengers insisted on continuing the journey, arguing that they might as well have spent the night at Weston as to stop now so near the end of their undertaking, and after the greatest dangers were past. At about eight o'clock, when dark as midnight, and all cold without and within the coach, the snow, suddenly, on one side, gave way, overturning the vehicle and all went rolling down the side of a hill making two whole revolutions and stopping with wheels overhead. What an awful fall it was—resulting in the death of Rev. J. W. Puckett, of Colorado springs, and inflicting many wounds and scars to the others, who were forced to walk to the nine mile house, a distance of two miles, to find refuge and relief. Early attention from Leadville made them comfortable and brought them to town to spend their sick days here. It is believed all will recover, though the three ladies who were on board are all seriously injured. This will serve as a warning and to prevent like misfortunes through the winter. Our mails here are, as you may conjecture, very irregular during the winter, both in getting to and from us, on account of the deep snows.

LEADVILLE IS STILL LIVELY

There are now about 102 paying mines here and 35 furnaces to convert their products into bullion. Our old bonanza kings still linger with us, and some of them still go to peet and "strike it rich." The Scooper mine, owned by Gov. Tabor, is now one of the mines in this camp, and the "Nevada," "Little Rische," and "Hardscuffle" prospects are now also rich producing mines. Another big strike in the Dyer mine is reported. Assays show 1000 ounces of silver to the ton, and 50 per cent lead. This mine is owned by a stock company known as the Dyer mining company. The decision of Judge Hallet, at Denver, in regard to confining miners to side lines, even if the vein, lode or deposit lie in a horizontal or nearly such a state, is an important one to this camp and all were pleased to hear of it. This is at present the most thriving town in the world. Young in years almost as infant, but yet all the conveniences of a much older metropolis. Our water works are going in full blast, (but freeze every night) and ere this reaches you Leadville will be lighted up by gas. The new Tabor opera house is completed and the finest artists are expected to appear through the winter, though we have constantly had as many as six variety shows. The (the Tabor) is the only first class theatre building here. It is a large and handsome brick building, elegantly decorated, and eclipses anything in Colorado. Gov. Tabor and W. H. Bush, of the Clarendon hotel, are the owners and projectors. We are about to have the greatest daily organ of Colorado established here, and it bids fair to beat the "Leadville Democrat"—democratic in politics and backed by some of the wealth of Colorado, in the names of Loveland, Moffat and Barrett.

Strange to say, away out here in the heart of the Rocky Mountains in the vicinity of Leadville is to be found the finest race track of the west. In summer it is a pleasant drive, being about three miles distant and across the Arkansas river. It has all the conveniences of an eastern equestrian arena. Our latest entertainment was the lecture of Miss Josephine Meeker, daughter of the late Indian agent and captive of the Indians, during the last fortnight. It was full of interest and information. Her language and elocution being very fine. This afternoon

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could be heard rending the air as if from a delighted crowd, and as I looked down into the streets there were about ten men carrying two long iron rods on which was placed an elegant cushioned chair occupied by a young, light-haired individual. At the head of the procession was a man carrying a sign reading on one side "*Pull Pat Determinator*," and the other "*a Tourlo Highwaymen*." Now, what this all means I must explain. Last night, about eleven o'clock on one of our main avenues, as a young barber was plodding his way home through the heavy snow fall, suddenly two men jumped out at him with pistols in hand and ordered him to "point toward Denver." Their intention was to rob him, which is a nightly occurrence here. He did lift his hands up, but fell backed, and shot four times consecutively killing one instantly and wounding the other. The delighted citizens, in consequence, formed the odd procession and carried the young barber on their shoulders all over the city and are now getting up a subscription signed by our leading citizens for a purse of $1000 to be presented to the barber. I have no other Leadville news this time, but as I have just returned from

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it may prove of some interest to your readers to know what I learned there.

It was the most interesting, though hardest journey, I have ever made in Colorado—the most interesting, by cause of the sublime and magnificent mountain scenery and the rich mining developments which have been made within the last year; the hardest because the accommodations are as yet very poor, which makes traveling very fatiguing, especially to one not used to the light air. After a four days' and nights' journey we reached Silverton, the natural business centre of the San Juan country and its mines, and one of the prettiest towns in Colorado. It is located in a park or valley on the Animas river, surrounded by lofty and rugged mountains, a few of which are Mts. Sultan, Kendal, Blair and King Solomon. The average elevations of these is from twelve to fourteen thousand feet. On King Solomon mountain is situated the famous North Star mine No. 1, owned by Crook & Co., of Lake City. It is not only famous on account of its large productions of rich silver ore, but is also considered the highest mine in the world, it being 13,542 feet above sea level, above timber line, and in the clouds. On Mt. Sultan are a number of paying mines. The North Star No 2, for instance, is opened by three large tunnels 200, 350 and 500 feet deep, and each one shows a lode of Galena 12 by 36 inches in width. The assays show from three to nine hundred ounces and 60 per cent. lead. On Mts. Kendal and Blair are also some good mines, but as yet they are not thoroughly developed, though no doubt will be by the time the proposed smelting works are in operation. The poor miner still has to transport his ore on pack animals to Lake City. On Mt. Hazleton, about three miles from Silverton, is situated the famous Aspen mine, which has so far produced more ready money than any other mine in San Juan. Its owners have up to date taken out about $250,000. At the head of Poughkeepsie Gulch, about 14 miles from Silverton, are the famous Alaska mines, including five different mines recently purchased by Geo. Tabor and August Rische. These mines will no doubt prove, after development, to be the richest mines in Colorado. About sixty men are now employed, and work is progressing very rapidly in spite of the heavy snow drifts which are constantly experienced there. Not more than 50 yards distant is situated the gem of scenery, called "Lake Cane," namesake of the famous Italian resort. I would not mention this among mining news, but for the fact that there is a project on foot among eastern capitalists to drain this lake, which is a possibility. It is a known fact that very valuable fissue veins enter its waters at a depth where the mineral is most precious.

After visiting these points, my attention was called to

A NEW MINING CAMP,

Called Rico, about 50 miles from Silverton. Rico is situated at the head of Dolosco river, foot of the famous Niggerbaby mountain, and has now about 2,000 inhabitants who have rushed in there within the past few months, though a great many have left for the winter. Indeed, I met a party of 25 men who were bound for the Sierra Mojada mines, via San Antonio. Eastern capital has already been largely invested, and Senator Jones, from Nevada, intends to build a smelter there next summer. Rico will no doubt be the centre of excitement next summer. Already a telegraph line has been erected to Silverton and is being pushed on to Rico. The terminus of the Denver and Rio Grande is now at Alamora, about 100 miles from the nearest mines, and the company is now advertising for bids for an extension to Silverton. On my return home, I was compelled to lay over at Chama and while there witnessed the hanging of Bob Perry by the vigilance committee. He was accused of killing and robbing a freighter with whom he was going to Canon City on his way back to Texas. Perry died protesting innocence, but the circumstances were too strong to leave any doubt as to who committed the murder. On arriving here I telegraphed this item to you, thinking your paper might break the news of his fate to his family.

To finish this lengthy letter, let me say that we had the pleasure of meeting Capt. G. W. Rumsey, formerly of San Antonio, who is here settling his mining interests to leave it in good shape and preparing to start for the Sierra Mojada mines in a few days, via Fort Worth and El Paso. The Captain intends leaving San Antonio before returning to Colorado next spring. More anon.

EXPERT.

Adah Richmond on the Boards.

The EXPRESS received a call yesterday from Mr. George J. Deagle, representing the Adah Richmond Comic Opera company, to appear in this city the latter part of the present week. Referring to this excellent company of artists, the Richmond, Va., *Standard* says:

"Last night Miss Adah Richmond and her Comic Opera company presented, before a very large and fashionable audience, Von Suppe's new Russian opera of Fatinitza, and to greater praise can be bestowed than to state that the expectations of all present were more than realized. Miss Richmond, in her dual character of Vladimir and Fatinitza, acquitted herself with great credit. She is a pleasing, graceful person, vivacious and spirited enough in her acting, and free from the suggestiveness which mars the performance of, and the majority of star bouffe singers. There was at no time the slightest approach to coarseness and vulgarity. Miss Richmond's voice, albeit something of a contralto, is rich and flexible and strong. It is under fine control. In the concerted song in the harem she sustained herself quite well and demonstrated her claims to be considered an accomplished lyric artiste. We cannot, owing to the crowded state of our columns, mention the other members of the company in detail, but they were all superlatively excellent, and all should be perfectly satisfied with the enthusiastic applause they received. The company is first-class and worthy of a most generous support."

County Court—Criminal Bulletin.

The following is the criminal bulletin for the December term of the county court of this county:

MONDAY, 1ST.

556. The state vs H. Toepperwein.
786. " " J. D. McAuliff.
794. " " " "
817. " " Manday Farrell.

TUESDAY, 2D.

811. The state vs Sallie Brewer.
807. " " Paul Vollen.
809. " " Francisco Goian.
826. " " Henry Stahl.

WEDNESDAY, 3D.

827. The state vs. Charles P. Evans.
829. " " A. W. Gifford.
816. " " Conrad Duckert.
824. " " Kitty Hutchinson.

THURSDAY, 4TH.

828. The state vs Lydia Petit.
832. " " Carrie Wright.
833. " " Ignacia Cortez.
842. " " Billy Bowman.
849. " " Louis Gutierez.
855. " " S. S. Womble.

FRIDAY, 5TH.

884. The state vs C. K. Reaved.
885. " " S. H. Frasch.
886. " " Henry Green.

Appellate Court Decisions

TYLER, TEX., November 22, 1879.

EDITORS SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS:

The court of appeals to-day decided the following cases:

Rance Johnson vs. the state; from Rusk. Affirmed.

A. Friedlander and Wolf Morrison vs. the state; from Rusk. Affirmed.

W. A. Roden vs. G. T. Roots; from Harrison. Affirmed, with damages.

R. J. Harry vs. Gayety Lodge No. 84; from Panola. Appeal dismissed because no brief was filed below, as required.

Henry Parker vs. the state; from Red River. Dismissed because defendant was not recognized nor committed to custody pending appeal.

Jack Cooks vs. the state; from Henderson. Affirmed.

W. W. Knight vs. the state; from Dallas. Reversed and remanded.

THOMAS SMITH, Clerk.

More Letter Boxes.

Postmaster Manning yesterday established three more letter boxes at convenient places upon our streets—one at Cosgrove's corner, one near the courthouse and one near Moke's store, north side Military plaza. Another box is to be put up in a few days near government headquarters, Houston street, which will give us a half-dozen. The boxes prove a great convenience. Persons mailing letters will find an opening on the right side of the boxes, at the top, shielded, however, by a lid, which must be raised.

—Wax-flower materials and artists' tool and materials at Muller' paint store. tf

Personal.

Col. H. P. Brewster has returned from an absence at Houston for several days.

Col. George W. Brackenridge returned night before last from his New York trip.

Col. W. A. Taylor, secretary of the Waco and Palestine railroad, arrived in the city last evening and is a guest at Hord's.

Miss Sallie Green and Miss Bessie Bell left the city by last evening's train to visit friends in Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. N. A. Taylor, of Houston, is in the city. "N. A. T." has been for some time connected as a correspondent with the press of Texas.

R. P. Tendleck, Columbus; C. H. Gulhard, N. Y; N. A. Taylor, Houston; J. J. Finlay, Galveston; G. H. Evans, Ft. Concho; J. Converse, C. C. Gibbs, Converse; C. Mathews, Palesting; E. Kleiber, N. O., are at the Menger.

Dr. W. T. Stewart, of Louisiana, Mo., is again in the city. He will remain here during the winter, and as last year, offers his professional services to our citizens. For the present his office will be at Mrs. Bracy's, back of the Vance house.

Mr. George H. Abbott, of Fort Davis, is in the city on his return from the north. Mr. Abbott took with him to the north about forty pounds of silver ore to be assayed. He thinks the west abounds in minerals of all kinds, which will soon be developed.

R. H. Clark, J. L. Warner, Fort McKavett; G. W. Williams, Oakville; F. O. Buckholdt, Fort McKavett; A. W. Duncan, Boston; H. C. Fountain, Pleasanton; George Faber, Columbus; H. B. Low, Scotland; J. Redus and family, Hondo, are stopping at the Central.

M. H. Erskine, G. W. L. Baker and wife, Seguin; G. J. Vorhees, John G. Eckford, George M. Brauck, New York; Wm. Brown, Guadalupe; L. N. Ferrell, Boonville, Mo.; Captain and Mrs. Glenn Turquand, Balcones Ranch; Col. Williams, Fort McKavett; T. J. Hill, Desoto Parish, La.; W. Taylor, Waco, Texas; J. Hornberd, J. P. Carleton, J. B. Roberts, Maryland; James Meriwether, Luling; David Hallig, Nebo, I. T.; H. F. Rice, Houston; R. C. Leland and wife, Jackson, Tennessee; D. R. Adkisson, Corsicana, Texas—are at Hord's.

Openly Defying the Law.

Hacherle, the now celebrated Medina county cattle thief, who, it will be remembered, escaped jail at Castroville on the 4th inst., is still in Medina county, and parties go into the county town every day and report having seen him. He comes into the very suburbs of the town, and was once seen within the corporate limits. A few days since deputy sheriff Hoog came upon him four miles from Castroville, and opened a rapid fire. Hacherle was too fleet, and got away. After pursuing him a few hundred yards, Hoog lost sight of him, and retraced his steps. It now transpires that Hacherle has a party with him, and that they were in ambush only a short distance from where Hoog stopped. Had he gone on but a little distance, he doubtless would have met his death. His party consists of four Americans, one of whom is said to be a noted convict, and the others are also thought to be convicts. They are openly defying the law, and Medina county officials seem to be powerless.

"TEETH WITHOUT PLATE."

Low's New Method.

What is claimed of this method is that one or more teeth can be attached permanently, in any part of the mouth, with such perfection that no food or offensive accumulation can deposit any more than around the natural teeth. Not only this, but you have the combined advantage of restoring the loss of the teeth and avoid the annoyance of a plate over the roof of the mouth, and without injury to the adjoining teeth, as with the old styled chasp plate, being immovable and water tight, and occupying no more space than the original tooth.

J. E. Low,
229 W. Madison Street,
Chicago, Ill.

Dr. Low will be at the office of Drs. Chess & Son about December 1st, and will put in teeth by the above method for any who may wish to avail themselves of the benefit of this improvement. Those interested please call on Dr. Chess & Son and make engagments.

Christmas Presents.

Those intending to purchase Christmas presents should read the advertisement of Mr. Paul Wagner, which will be found at top of column on local page. While making his orders for holiday goods, he made many selections for the pleasure of the children, and parents should take their little ones there to see them.

Farm For Sale or Rent.

On the Salado, seven miles from San Antonio, in an easterly direction, 35 acres in cultivation, good fence, good stone dwelling, out houses, etc. For terms inquire at the place. CHRISTINE KEILMAN.

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Desirable Residence for Sale.

By advertisement in this issue, a desirable residence is offered for sale at a bargain. The house is two stories, hard rock, centrally located, and contains nine rooms. Water, gas and all modern improvements in the building. See advertisement for particulars.

For Sale.

A pleasant, profitable business, requiring but little capital. Enquire at News Stand, 121 Main street, next to bridge. no26 1w

Sale of Michael Bros. Stock of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Etc.

The sale of the Michael Bros. stock of liquors, wines, cigars, etc., will commence this morning at 10 o'clock, at the business house of Messrs. Goldfrank, Frank & Co. This sale will afford purchasers an excellent opportunity to obtain bargains, and those wishing to buy should be on hand promptly.

For Rent.

The store in French's building, next to Berg & Bro. Also three desirable offices in the same building. GEO. W. CALDWELL, oct29 tf, Agent.

For Rent.

Commodious dwelling, with nine acres of irrigable land, on South Flores street and the river, now occupied by Gen. Bee; possession given immediately. I. P. SIMPSON.

Dr. Philips, Dentist.

Has removed from the Dauenhauer building to No. 17 Commerce street, over Ed. Rische's cigar store. All dental work guaranteed and prices moderate. nov13 tf

For Rent.

A comfortable dwelling house. Inquire at O. Pellipain's. nov26tf

—Another lot of those elegant square, crown gents stiff hats at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

—Mrs. President Hayes wears the Lucca kid gloves, and so do her sisters, her cousins and her aunts. A. A. WOLFF, Sole Agent.

—Our Australian Trade—Since the establishment of the Pacific line of steamers, the trade between the United States and Australia has increased wonderfully, and Hall's Balsam, for coughs, colds and all lung diseases, is now a regular article of export to that country, and one of their staple medicines.

—Our stock of mens and boys hats are the talk of the town. Every one will tell you that the only place in San Antonio to find an assortment of stylish ones is at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

—The Commonwealth Lottery of Louisiana is drawn next Saturday. Get your tickets before or you will be left. Capital prize $30,000. Whole tickets $2, half $1. nov. 25. d4t.

—G. Chess's dyeing establishment, Casino street, opposite Casino hall. All work entrusted to him will receive prompt attention.

—Haas & Oppenheimer have received another large lot of black and colored buntings, which are being disposed of very rapidly. If you want some come at once.

—Another fine assortment of these beautiful and stylish cloaks and dolmans have arrived, and in order not to be disappointed again, select one early at HAAS & OPPENHEIMER'S.

NEW UNDERTAKER'S ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 57 Commerce Street.

Having leased and stocked No. 57 Commerce street, (Mr. R. H. Neal's old stand), with a complete stock of undertaker's goods and with my fine hearses and carriages, I am prepared to furnish funerals complete at short notice. Charges moderate and satisfaction guaranteed. Office open day and night. PHIL DEI.

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For Sale.

A good cash business; location with good will and trade established for years; requiring small capital; paying $1,000 a year net profit. Apply to HEARD & GLASS.

For Rent.

The building lately occupied as the San Antonio National Bank. For particulars apply to Messrs. Goldfrank, Frank & Co.

A Card.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a recipe that will cure you, free of charge. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D New York City. mch19eod4w

Dr. M. J. De Rosset,

of New York, offers for practice in San Antonio. Calls may be left for the present at Hord's Hotel. n21 1w

Copartnership Notice.

The firm of H. Silberberg has made satisfactory arrangements with his creditors, and from now the firm will be Silberberg & Wood, who will do business as before at La Montana de Plata, Nueva Laredo, Mexico.

Oyster and Fish Depot Opposite Market Street Market House.

Fresh oysters and all kinds of fish received every evening from Galveston. Sold at wholesale and retail in quantities to suit. Restaurant attached, and meals served to order. Open day and night.

Dr. C. I. Blair, Dentist,

Having bought out Dr. Philips' interest in the dental office in the Dauenhauer building, still continues the practice of dentistry in all its various branches at the same office, corner Main plaza and Commerce street, and only the very best of work done. n21tf

Great Bargains in Second Hand Pianos in Perfect Order.

1 "W. Sassenhoff" upright	6½	oct. $	75.00
1 "Waters" square	7	"	50.00
1 Nunns & Clark square	6½	"	100.00
1 St Louis M'f'g. Co. elegant	7	"	225.00

Call at Valentine & Co.'s music store.

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Imported direct from Cuba, from $60 to $300 per 1,000. Also finest imported French liquors, at F. Vieyra's, New Laredo, Mexico.

Bexar Building and Loan Association.

A meeting of the stockholders will be held on Tuesday, the 2d of December, at 7½ o'clock p. m., in Devine building room No. 10, for the purpose of electing directors for the year 1880. JOHN E. OCHSE, nov25 1w Secretary.

Wanted.

Girl to take care of baby and assist in light house work. Apply south side Alameda street, second house west of Water street. nov25 3t.

Re-opened.

Theodore Schleuning has opened business again, on Alamo plaza, opposite the post office, with a first class stock of groceries, liquors, tobaccos, cigars, etc., where he will be pleased to see all his friends and customers. nov. 25 1m.

AMUSEMENTS.

CASINO THEATRE

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Matinee is announced for Wednesday evening at 3½ o'clock. For children of the schools only 10c admission.

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Friday, 28th, "FATINITZA."
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Saturday evening, 29th, "CHIMES OF NORMANDY."
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On Saturday, Nov. 29, at No. 51 Commerce Street, San Antonio.

All the stock remaining on hand of The C. M. Bruce & Co. assignment will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. This stock consists in part of iron pipe of various sizes, lead and tin pipe, pipe fittings in great variety, rubber hose, plumbers' material, rotary pumps, chain pump fixtures, one shower bath, iron wash stands and a large stock of gas fixtures, etc., etc.

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12dw tf **S. SCHWARZ.**

Notice of Public Weigher.

I would most respectfully inform the merchants dealing in hides, wool, cotton, &c., that I have been appointed by his Excellency, the Governor, as Public Weigher, and that I have qualified as such. Any business entrusted to me will be promptly attended to. Office on west side of Military Plaza, next to Brand's store. Orders left at the office of Messrs. Walling & Labatt, Market street, will receive prompt attention. MARTIN MUERGE.

nov21-3m

Important Notice.

To make room for a large stock of musical instruments, sheet music, etc., to arrive, we offer our elegant stock of fashionable writing papers, with envelopes to match, foolscap, legal cap, letter and note paper, business envelopes, blank books, stationery, pocket knives, writing desks, albums, leather goods, artists' materials, pictures and frames, games, base balls, bats, etc., at twenty per cent. less than the same article can be purchased elsewhere. This is a bona fide offer and a rare chance to obtain elegant holiday gifts as well as first-class stationery, etc., at very low prices.

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Tea sets,	3.50 to	20.00	
Chamber sets, China,	3.00 to	24.00	
Chamber sets, Japaned	2.25 to	14.00	
Casters,	1.00 to	30.00	
Plates,	.05 to	2.00	
Cups and saucers,	.07 to	3.00	
Tumblers,	.05 to	.75	
Mirrors,	.05 to	25.00	
Clocks,	2.00 to	29.00	
Perambulators,	8.00 to	24.00	
Baskets,	.05 to	4.00	
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