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NATIONAL CAPITAL NEWS.

A Resolution to Elect New Senate Officers Provokes Debate—Democrats Determined to Resist.

Senate.

Washington, March 24.—On motion of Crockett a resolution was adopted calling on the heads of departments for complete lists of and all books, reports and pamphlets published by the respective departments from March, 1789, to March 4th, 1881.

Dawes called up the resolution for the election of officers of the senate.

Davis, of Illinois, said: On a recent occasion I stated the reasons that determined my vote in organization of the senate, not expecting to satisfy a class of politicians accustomed to party discipline and unable to appreciate free thought and independent action. Fair criticism is always entitled to respect, and public men who shrink from it, even when harsh, do not deserve forbearance. An attempt has been made to have it appear that the legislature which sent me to the senate contained a republican majority, and that the popular vote of Illinois was largely republican. Both these assumptions are unfounded. The legislature at that time stood as follows, according to official compilation of the secretary of state: Republicans, senate, 21; house, 79; democrats, senate, 25; house, 67; independents, senate, 5; house, 6. It is thus shown the republicans and democrats were almost equally divided, and that the few independents turned the scale. For president, Hayes received 278,232, Tilden 258,601, Cooper 17,366 votes; Hayes' clear majority was 23,268. In a pool of over one-half million, these figures prove how closely balanced the two parties were in 1876 and 1877. More than 99 per cent. of the votes voluntarily cast for me, as senator, were from the democrats, without pledges, condition, or correspondence of any kind whatever. They knew my political antecedents, and they also knew that neither the honor, which was freely conferred on me, nor any other distinction that could be offered, would alter the convictions I had formed, or deflect me from the course of duty as it appeared to my best judgment. Having accepted this generous trust, under these circumstances, good faith required me to sustain the organization of the senate, as it was constituted in the last congress. No principle was involved, but merely control of committees and of officers. I have voted steadily against the change, and I shall continue. I do not regret at all that the new administration, which has to confront the country with its policy, should have control of both branches of congress. Responsibility for measures to be proposed cannot be avoided; with the power to initiate all legislation, the majority is not large enough to indulge in rash experiments, and the minority is sufficiently strong to check any tendency to excess until the end is reached. I am answerable only to my conscience and my constituents for this act. What my friend, the distinguished senator from New York, calls a constitutional majority, was dissolved when the vice president, not a member of this body, gave the casting voice for committees. However fleeting or factional that majority may be, we are commanded to accept it and to obey the majority that chose the committees, and it is fairly entitled to a choice of officers of the senate. One naturally goes with the other in order to perfect organization. The great voice of independent opinion can always be heard with effect, and the country has every prospect of peace and prosperity.

Dawes having refused to let his resolution go over for the present, though requested to do so by Pendleton, the democrats proceed to offer dilatory motions and called the ayes and nays thereon, now and then taking occasion to twit the republicans upon taking into the party fold a democratic confederate brigadier.

During the discussion, Brown, of Georgia, argued that the two parties in the country were so evenly divided, some of the offices of the government should be filled by democrats, and referred to the fact that a democratic senate had ten years ago retained one-half of the officers then in office.

He was interrupted by Logan with a question as to what his opinion had been on civil service reform when he had been a republican governor of Georgia.

Brown replied that he had never been a republican governor of Georgia, though he admitted that he had once been a republican, and followed by a question as to why Logan, since he had once been a democrat, did not come back and act with the democratic party?

Several amusing passages occurred between the two senators as to their previous political records, after which Brown continued with his speech, and referring to the action of Mahone on voting with the republican party, he said that everybody knew that the air was full of rumors of bargains and contracts, and all that he did not know, whether they existed or not, but the very fact that the republican party were so impatient to put in their officers, and other facts as to their connection with the senator who now controlled the senate, should cause the gentlemen to pause. The country would ask why this haste was made. A great many people thought that there was an understanding between the republicans and the senator from Virginia by which he was to have the patronage of Virginia. He did not know anything about that; it would appear better, under these circumstances, that the matter be postponed for the present. Continuing he said the recent actions of the republican party and the senator from Virginia had shown that the period had been reached when no more would be said of confederate brigadiers. That period had been reached that was spoken of by every old book, when it said the wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid, and the calf and the lion, and a little child shall lead them. That period has been reached when the lion of debt, paying 3 per cent. interest, and the lamb of repudiation and partial repudiation had lain down in a loving embrace together in the green pastures of luxuriant riches. He would not say that a little child or a little general should lead them, but that a gallant confederate general should lead them. (Laughter.) He hoped that the day had come when the bloody chasm had been bridged, and when that old bloody shirt, of which so much had been heard, would be folded up and buried beneath the hope of resurrection.

Johnston argued against the right of the vice president to vote upon the organization of the senate.

Farley asked leave to offer a resolution for the appointment of a committee of two senators to wait upon the president and inform him unless he might have some further communication to make the senate was ready to adjourn without delay.

Logan objected, and the resolution was not received.

A motion to go into executive session was lost by yeas 24, nays 28.

Then, at 4 o'clock, Pendleton moved to adjourn, which motion was unexpectedly agreed to by yeas 28, nays 27.

Resolved to Resist.

Washington, D. C., March 24—The democratic senators in caucus this morning decided to resist by all parliamentary means in their power the adoption of the pending resolution by which the republicans seek to obtain immediate control of the senate of the United States. It is learned that senator Davis, of Illinois, intends to side with the republicans in this matter, but during the absence of senator Edmunds the democrats will still have it in their power to prevent success of the movement by breaking the quorum.

Nominations.

Washington, March 24.—Among the nominations sent to the senate to-day, was M. Leidwith to be postmaster at Jacksonville, Fla.

Slowly Progressing.

New York, March 21.—A letter dated Havana, March 19, says: Although the stagnation of business in general is very great at the present reconstruction of the Island, it is slowly progressing. Proof of this is afforded by the jurisdiction of Puerto Principe, which had been laid bare by the ravages during the insurrection. The importation of cattle into this jurisdiction, where rich pasture grounds have always favored the raising of cattle, has lately become quite important. It is stated that a rich cattle owner in Florida has hired near Puerto Principe the pasture ground called El Rubio, with the intention of keeping there a constant supply of cattle. At present, however, the searching south winds with rain are momentarily threatening great injury to the cattle-raising interests. The prevailing dryness will not to any serious extent affect the tobacco crop, which is almost gathered.

The approximate stock of tobacco received in Havana thus far amounts to about 15,000 bales. It is said that the Matanzas company, owning the Bayon Nipe, in Cuba, has found in Paris capitalists ready to furnish 15,000,000 francs for developing that territory, which is said to contain about six leagues of rich soil.

FROM DALLAS.

Fratricide at Palestine—Survey on the Chicago, Texas and Mexican Central.

Special Dispatch to the DAILY EXPRESS.

Dallas, March 24.—A special from Palestine says two young brothers named Bob and Jeff Watts engaged in a fight last night. Bob drew a knife and stabbed his brother in the left side, penetrating the heart. He died immediately.

The survey of the first 25 miles of the Chicago, Texas & Mexican Central railroad were completed to-day, and upon the arrival from Chicago of president Hale, the work of construction will begin.

Secretary Blaine is in favor of an extra session of congress in May.

FROM AUSTIN.

Numerous Bills Passed Yesterday by the Senate and House of Representatives—Temperance People Confident of Success Next Time.

The Railroad Bill Indefinitely Postponed—Cameron County Granted Relief of Taxes—Freight Train Off Track.

Special Dispatch to the DAILY EXPRESS.

Senate.

Austin, March 24.—The committee on privileges and elections reported unfavorably on the bill to create special tribunal for the trial of cases of contested elections.

Stubbs' bill authorizing cities and towns to invalidate or vacate imperfect assessments for municipal improvement; Burges' joint resolution providing for the appointment of a joint committee of the two houses to draft a railroad bill during vacation and report the same to a special session, if any, and if not, to the governor; the bill repealing articles of the code fixing the salaries of chief clerks and other officers passed.

The bill fixing penalties for burning wilfully any woodland or prairie, passed.

The bill prohibiting smoking or use of fire where cotton is stored was amended by restricting the act to vessels, barges, gins, wharves, warehouses and compresses, and engrossed.

The bill diminishing the jurisdiction of the county courts in Bosque and San Patricio counties passed.

The bill setting apart three hundred leagues of land for the unorganized counties was reconsidered, amendments stricken out and passed.

House.

The motion to reconsider the vote by which the prohibition bill was lost was spread upon the journal.

The temperance folks are confident it will pass when it comes up again.

The bill to authorize the governor to appoint a district attorney for the fifteenth judicial district passed.

Denman's bill to reorganize the 4th and 24th judicial districts, and the bill for the relief of Cameron county by exempting the people of that county from paying state taxes for the year 1880, on account of a great public calamity, passed.

The house refused to further consider the railroad bill by a vote of 40 to 34, the excuse being that it was impossible to perfect and pass it.

The house refused to purchase the picture of "Lee at the Wilderness," by a vote of 48 to 34.

The bill authorizing counties to issue bonds to fund their indebtedness, passed.

The bill reorganizing the directory of the A. & M. college was taken up and discussed, pending which the house adjourned.

The weather is rainy, and crop prospects are splendid.

The San Antonio freight train was derailed a short distance south of town this morning. It delayed the passenger train. No one was hurt.

FROM FORT DAVIS

Assassination of Moses E. Kelly by a Half-Breed Mexican—Mines and Prospectors—A Coal Bonanza, Etc.

Special Dispatch to the DAILY EXPRESS.

Fort Davis, March 24.—M. E. Kelly, a prominent merchant of Presidio del Norte, was shot and killed on the 22nd by Juan Favor, a half-breed Mexican. Cause unknown.

LATER.

Fort Davis, March 24.—The following was received here this morning:

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, March 23rd, 1881.

Moses Kelly, a wealthy merchant and ranchero on both sides of the Rio Grande, was assassinated last evening by Juan Favor. Capt. Kelly had been in the house next to his store, where Juan Favor's wife's father lives, and when he (Kelly) came out, Favor killed him insiantly. Particulars not yet known.

[Signed.] PERCE,
Captain 1st Infantry.

The first infantry band, so long a favorite in San Antonio, continues to waft dulcet melody over the parade ground twice a day.

There is a host of mineralogists and prospectors from all parts of the country now delving the Chinate mountains. The crowd continues pushing towards El Paso by this route.

Large quantities of coal of a superior quality has been discovered near the old Spanish silver mine of Sierra Rica, in Mexico, near Presidio.

FROM GALVESTON

An Accident Delays Trains, but no One Hurt.

Special Dispatch to the DAILY EXPRESS.

Galveston, March 24.—The locomotive which brought in the passenger train on the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe, due at 7:30 p. m., in returning to the round house jumped the track at the junction of the G., C. & S. F. with the G., H. & H. The accident compelled the passengers on the train on the latter road, due at 8:30 p. m., to be transported, with baggage and express matter, from the old depot to the city. No one was hurt by the accident. The switch is supposed to have been turned; damage light.

HENRY WARD BEECHER.

His Energies Devoted Exclusively to Religion—Yesterday's Sermon.

New York, March 20.—Henry Ward Beecher announced yesterday, says the Times, that the several meetings each afternoon and every evening during the week would be continued, but evening services would be for prayer instead of preaching. "I desire to give notice," he continued, "that I can't attend to secular business at the close of these week day services, and I might as well say right here I have sold out all my interest in the navy yard premises, in the New York custom-house, in the New York and Brooklyn postoffices, in the treasury department, in the postoffice department and in almost every department at Washington, and a letter from me to those places will be of no use whatever. Applicants will please take notice of this transfer of property."

During the sermon Beecher said liberalism and rational preaching were planting rullies, were fixing ruffled shirts and putting cologne on men who were rotten within. "If there is one thing I consider indecent," continued Beecher, "it is the way criminals are court-martial ed out of life. When a murderer is to be hanged the women send flowers to him and would kiss an elect for his sake. Priests run to him and philanthropists hurry after them. He is going to die—are not ten thousand persons dying all around and there is nobody to run to them; there is no sympathy for them; but if a murderer is to die for a foul murder the floodgates of sympathy are opened and the news papers tell how he died, trusting in Jesus. I ought most mischief that thief on the cross did. Can a man who has crept up to the gallows through the common sewers, at the last moment, just before the last effort to obtain pardon, suddenly blossom out into a Christ religious life? I don't believe it."

High Endorsement.

Albany, N. Y., March 24.—Senator Jacobs, democrat, offered the following in the senate this morning:

Whereas, It is officially announced that state senator Robertson has been appointed collector of the port of New York, therefore,

Resolved, That while this body will loose the services of one of its ablest and most upright members, the country at large will be the gainer by his promotion to another sphere of duty.

Resolved, That the thanks of this senate are tendered to president Garfield for the nomination of senator Robertson, and that we cordially join in the request to the senate of the United States to promptly confirm his nomination.

This resolution was unanimously adopted on motion of Mr. Pitts.

The clerk was directed to send a copy of the resolution to each senator from this state and to the president.

LATEST NEWS BY CABLE.

Horrible Holocaust at Nice—Opera House Burned—Many Lives Lost in the Building—Other News of Interest.

French Affairs.

Paris, March 24.—An article in President Grevy's organ shows that Grevy thinks M. Jules Ferry should have forced a ministerial crisis, rather than have pledged the cabinet to abstain on such an important question as the scrutine de list.

Opera House Burned—Great Loss of Life.

Nice, 3 a. m., March 24.—Up to this hour 59 bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the St. Aden opera house, which was destroyed by fire last night. It is feared many more persons lost their lives. The fire commenced soon after the curtain had risen for the performance on Lucia de Lammermoor. The subscribers for orchestra seats and boxes of the grand tier had mostly not arrived. A majority of the victims belong to the working class.

Shortly after the fire began the gas exploded and the house was plunged into complete darkness. A scene of terror and dismay ensued, which beggars description. A detachment of sailors from a squadron in the harbor, arrived on the scene with pumps and displayed great gallantry in rescuing the people and combatting the fire, which was subdued towards 10 o'clock. M. Strakosch, the impressario, was slightly hurt. Signora Bianco Donady, one of the leading artists, made her way from the stage to the street safely. One whole family of five persons and another of three, are known to have perished.

Relief subscriptions for the sufferers have been opened throughout Nice.

The regatta here has been countermanded, and the value of the prizes to have been contested for will be contributed to the relief of the distressed.

Conference Between The Two Emperors.

London, March 24.—A dispatch from Berlin says the Russian proposals for extirpation of nihilism are favorably received here.

A Berlin dispatch to the Times says it was the original intention of the crown prince Frederick William to go to St. Petersburg with the prince and princess of Wales, but he started six hours in advance of them in consequence of the czar sending a telegram asking him to arrive a few hours before the prince and princess, as he wished to have a confidential conference with him. That request is interpreted here as favorable to continuation of friendly relations between the two emperors.

FROM RIDDLEVILLE.

A Sheep-Raiser's Opinions of Lombriz and Other Diseases—His Mode of Treatment.

Editor San Antonio EXPRESS:

RIDDLEVILLE, Karnes Co., March 20th, 1881.

As you are agitating lombriz, I thought, perhaps, a few items from a practical man might be interesting, if not valuable, to sheep men generally. I have noticed that all sheep are liable to the disease; but that lambs and weakly ewes are most subject to it. I also notice that wethers are much more exempt from lombriz than other sheep.

I know that low grounds, damp marshes, etc., (and black soils I deem unhealthy), are breeding places for the germs, at least, of this disease. What is known as "hog wallow prairie," especially in wet weather, or when there is much rain alternating with hot sunshine, is certainly breeding land for disease to sheep. I do not say such great stress upon coarse grass, save that sheep do not fill so rapidly upon it, as they mince at it, and by-and-by, become poor, or weak and thereby subject to be attacked. Certainly coarse or rank grasses are not fine pasturage for sheep.

Now, I have noticed about the latter part of May grubs become very plentiful in sheep, causing a great deal of sneezing, and I have seen as many as a dozen blown from their nostrils at one time. This must certainly distress them, irritating the mucus membrane of the noses, if it does not weaken the sheep. During the first part of June lombriz (or lombritis), first appears, and I have found the lungs full of thread-like worms, and which others call lombriz. These worms penetrate to the most minute tubes in the base of the lungs, scarcely ever being found in the immediate walls of the larger bronchials.

During the latter part of June these worms are found in the third stomach, and duodenum of the bowels; and during the summer, fall, etc., this terrible scourge of flocks devastates, spreads and destroys, for I believe it to be contagious. The worms are found plentiful between the leaves of the third stomach, and the stomach is found dry. The worms in the duodenum are floating in fluid, or watery, half-digested food. The lungs have ceased to act empty, thus showing digestion to be seriously impaired, and as a matter of course absorption of nutrition destroyed.

Is it possibly that the egg of the gad fly, under different conditions, will beget different progeny, or larva? etc., if the eggs are in the nostrils, "grubs" are produced; if these eggs descend into the lungs or stomach, "needle worms" result, or are these "needle worms" the larva of other insects?

Now, to be brief, I will say I cured twenty-one cases out of twenty-three with calomel and croton oil combined. A friend of mine claims many cures from a moderately strong solution of lime-stone, (caprl sulp.) in tasspoon-ful doses once a day. My own impression is that if sheep men were to feed their lambs when a month or two old, upon corn-meal and other soft feed, bran, etc., until weaning time, (4th of July, or August), lombriz would never come; and a little good feed would not hurt the mothers. When the disease attacks a flock, take the sickly ones away immediately, having a small pasture for them; salt them plentifully, feed soft feed, and keep sheltered during bad weather. I do not believe one-half of the sheep raisers salt their sheep sufficiently. During the spring months sheep should have salt every other day, or as much as they will eat.

If this article is acceptable, I may at some future day give you a few items on scab and the many afflictions and evils resulting from it.

Yours, etc. J. S. W.

Short Letters from Our Correspondents.

Castroville, March 19.—The all absorbing topic here is the breaking up of our corporation. A petition to that effect received the signature of more than the requisite number to obtain action of our county judge to order an election. Over fifty signers, among whom are the names of several aldermen and of Aldermen Joseph Carle and August Meckler, were had in the first twenty-four hours.

Generals Scheufield and Ansur passed through here to-day. They did not call on your correspondent to tell him their business.

Margarita Boehm, the enterprising woman, who, since the death of her husband, runs his store, celebrates her birth-day to-day.

Our friend Jose, of THE EXPRESS, puffs his smoke among us.

Carrizo Springs, March 18.—A spirited norther has been blowing since last evening, about 10 p. m., and it abates not. There are much fears of a spring drought and farmers are almost idle.

There is much grief in the community over the reported death of John Cheek. He was a good citizen, and it will be hard to fill his place.

Merchants are constantly receiving new goods, and the spring trade promises to be lively.

Kellogg & Co. suffered some damage from the falling of the bridge over the Leona. One wagon fell through into three feet of water, and as much mud (so says the driver), submerging almost the whole load. It contained goods for several parties, but the most serious loss falls on Santa Anna Rodriguez, our popular Mexican merchant. The arms and ammunition for the Donald volunteer guards were also in the cargo and laid in the water some time. The boys are cleaning up the guns, but it is feared that the cartridges will not do to depend on. Capt. Hays will, I think, inform the adjutant general and make a requisition for more ammunition. It certainly would not do to risk damaged cartridges in a fight where good citizens were arrayed against outlaws, as they are liable to be. The accident was unavoidable, and much heavier wagons had been crossing it before. A box of second hand books, sent to the school at Carrizo Springs, by Gregory & Co., of your city, was also submerged, and many of them totally ruined. We appreciate the gift, and thank them for the good spirit evinced. Hope to receive other contributions. The university series is used throughout in school. MAN.

Most Prolific Cow on Record.

A correspondent of the Hartford (Conn.) Times says: The history of a cow raised on the farm of late Erastus Ellsworth, of East Windsor Hill, is so remarkable that it is worthy of record. The cow is not of any one breed, but is about three fourths Durham, and I thought know she was sired by a bull the other quarter. April 1, 1877, gave birth to twins, one male and female. March 18th, 1878, she gave birth to triplets, two males and one female, making five calves in eleven months and three days; July 9, 1879, she gave birth to twins both males; October 7, 1880, she gave birth to triplets, two males and one female making 10 calves in 3 years 5 months and twenty-one days. The calves have all been of good size, healthy and handsome, and have been raised on the farm.

Escaped Convict Captured.

Vicksburg, March 24.—Walling, superindendent of police, in New York, telegraphed that Samuel Hawthorne, the escaped convict and murderer, was arrested there to-day.

District Court—Civil Bulletin.

The follow civil cases have been set for trial in the district court:

MONDAY, MARCH 28TH.

216. W. S. Hall vs. Ellison and Dewees.

TUESDAY, MARCH 29TH.

528. Geo W. Caldwell vs. F. Grothans et al
529. H. B. Adams et al., vs. J. P. Hickmann et al.
530. H. B. Adams et al., vs. H. W. Bitter.
532. H. B. Adams et al., vs. Hattie Scott.
545. H. B. Adams et al., vs. Geo Fiehwe and wife.
546. H. B. Adams et al., vs. William C. Tynan.
553. Margantha Brotze vs. L. Voigtlander et al.
557. H. B. Adams et al., vs. Max Aue.
559. Charls Schmidt vs. LEFONY & Cosgrove.
567. Adams and Wicks vs. LOUI W. Johnson.

WEDNESDEY, MARCH 30TH.

573. N. de la Zerda et al., vs. J. H. Kampmann.
575. N. de la Zerda vs. city of San Antonio.
576. N. de la Zerda vs. J. H. Kampmann et al.
577. E. Amador et al., vs. L. Castro.
582. Petronela Felix vs. Frank Felix.
585. M. D. Girard vs. E. & C. Maruchesu.
589. Wm. Bartlett vs. W. C. Adams et al.
592. S. Deutsch & Co., vs. M. K. Taylor.
598. Celmie Laval vs. Beritha Stafel.

Personal.

Mr. George L. Harrison, of Chicago, is at Hord's hotel.

Mr. Campbell Carington, of Washington, D. C., is at Hord's hotel.

Mr. Jno. O. Johnson, of Austin, is again in our city and is at Hord's hotel.

Mr. J. M. Bullock, southwestern passenger agent for the M. & Little Rock railroad, is a guest at Hord's hotel.

Mr. W. S. Benfield and family leave this city next Wednesday to take up their residence in the city of Mexico.

Mr. H. C. Caruth, wife and son, and Mr. A. M. Morton, of Louisville, Ky., arrived on last night's train, and are guests at Hord's hotel.

D C Flanary, A T Kerr, Houston; H Manney, Seguin; H A Arnold, Galveston; A P Bagby, A G Nolan, B A Nolan, Lavaca Co, are at the Vance.

Dr. Van Gasken, of Luling, was in the city yesterday and informs THE EXPRESS man that Fred Noyes, the engineer who lost his foot by the railway accident near Harwood, is doing well.

Gen. H. P. Bee and Dr. H. P. Howard, of this city and Messrs. Campbell Carrington and Harry Bacon, of Washington city, returned yesterday from an extended trip through Mexico. They visited the gold and silver regions of Durango, and are much pleased with their general observations.

Col. T. H. Zanderson left on the G. H. & S. A. train yesterday afternoon en route to the northern wool markets to get points for the spring wool seasons. He will probably be absent until the 15th of next month, and will extend his travels to Portland, Maine. During his absence he will also gather information of use to our merchants' exchange.

H Miller, L D Shelly, Medina; J Collins, J Robinson, Columbus; T R Thornton G W Lyons, Flatonia; W W Whitley and daughter, Wilson Co.; N M Newton and daughter, Lavernia; Mrs C Petterson and daughter, Austin; G S Shewell, Boerne; N C Maddox, Seguin; I A Halten, Round Rock; J O McKeen, Oakville; G P Kevil, Rockdale; Wm Hardie, Austin; S Thomas, Bryan; H Herrington, Veraillionville, La; B M Camp, Fort Concho; P Jones, Boerne; W A Smith, Austin; D J Riley, M E Reagen, Helena; J Shotan, C Brewer, Columbus; C Menger, Schulenburg; G F McCann, Texas; F B Dowell, Petersburg, Ill., are registered at the Central hotel.

THE EXPRESS received a very pleasant visit yesterday from Rev. R. F. Bunting, state manager for Adams' Synchronological chart of history. Rev. Mr. B. had charge of the Presbyterian church in this city from 1856 to 1861, and inaugurated, we believe, the movement resulting in the erection of the handsome Presbyterian church edifice on Flores street. His ministrations were performed in an old adobe church which stood about where Hugo & Schmeltzer's store on Main street now stands. This is his first visit to our city in some time, and he says he scarcely recognizes the place. Dr. Bunting for many years has been pastor of the Galveston church, and is one of the most eminent Presbyterian ministers of the church south.

Gov E M Pease, Austin; W K Hall, C Dart and son, Galveston; O T Holt, D C Brady, Jas Converse, Houston; John Lange, Litchfield, Ill; J C Kaufman, Kansas City; S Agerback, N Y; D J Brown, Philadelphia; J W Kohl, Cincinnati; Nathan Cushing, Miss F M Cushing, Miss J Cushing, Boston; H Booth, Montgomery, Ala; David Kellar, Santa Rosa, Mexico; W E Friedlander, wife and children, Ft. Clark; Mies Jacobs, New Orleans; A W Carlide, Beaumont; F W Plato, Flatonia; W O Titus, I & G N R R; T J Gattey, Sunset R R; J C Buckner, O, F K Wright, Austin; C C Estell Tenn; R L Speer, wife and daughter, Boston; E Veit, New Orleans—are at the Merger.

D Richardson, Columbus, Texas; T H Kingsley, Austin; A W Childress, Durham, N C; F R Thornton, Flatonia; C C Royce, Sherman; H Mulford, Ft Worth; W W Campbell, New Orleans; C Hiller, Santa Fe; W L Camp, wife and child, J D Camp, Brackett; W R Wallace, Seguin; E M Kidder, St Louis; Campbell Carington, Washington, D C; Jno O Johnson, Austin; A H Gillingham, Kendall county; Geo L Harrison, Chicago; J M Bullock, P R Rogers, Dallas; H C Caruth and wife, Harry Caruth, A M Morton, Louisville, Ky; J J Jones, Victoria; Samuel Strauss, New York; Robert Chapman, Floresville; Mrs Howard, Laredo; S L Abney, Floresville; J B Mallard, J W Harper, St Louis; John Doehler, Austin; B Jacobs, Cincinnati; J H Presnall, Fairview; W H Power and wife, W Hooper and wife, J Ward and wife, Mrs Watson, Miss Van Cortland, W F Wallis, Mr J L Wooderson, Mr Geo R Bosler, Mr P Reedman, Galley Slave Co; R E Burnham, Nashville; E Northcraft, W P Irone, San Marcos; B Badger, Gonzales; E Veith, New Orleans, H J Rosencrans, Potter county, are at Hord's.

Of Course Not.

Detroit Free Press.

"Do you know a person named John Fairchild" inquired one citizen of another as they met on Larned street the other day.

"John Fairchild? No; never heard of him."

"Such a person called on me yesterday and said he was an old friend of yours."

"Then he lied. What did he want?"

"He asked for the loan of $5."

"And because he said he was an old friend of mine you let him have it, the villain?"

"No, sir; because he said he was an old friend of yours I showed him the door at once!"

"Um," growled the one.

"Um," replied the other, and they slowly walked off and continued their ways.

Wall street, New York, is to have a statue of Washington. Subscriptions now aggregate $19,780.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO CONTRACTORS and BUILDERS.

In pursuance of an order of the County Commissioners Court of Dimmitt County, at the February term, A. D. 1881, sealed proposals for building a jail at Carrizo Springs, the county site of said county, according to plans and specifications thereto on file in my office, will be received until and opened on Monday, the ninth day of May, A. D., 1881, at 12 o'clock m., by said county commissioners in open court. Said jail to be paid for upon completion and acceptance, in warrants on special jail tax levied for the purpose at said February term.

The said county commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Certified copies of plans and specifications mailed to applicants therefor.

Witness my hand and the impress of my official seal at office in Carrizo Springs, this 21st day of March, 1881.

(L. S.) S. N. HARDY,
mch25 1m C. C. C. D. C.

MASONIC NOTICE.

A Special Convocation of Burleson Chapter, No. 21, Royal Arch Masons, will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work in the Royal Arch degree. All Royal Arch Masons in good standing are fraternally invited.

JOHN WALSH, H. P.
J. H. BOLTON, Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR BEEF AND MUTTON.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS
OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE.
San Antonio, Texas, March 8, 1881.

Sealed Proposals, in triplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached, will be received at this office, and at the offices of the Acting Commissaries of Subsistence of the following named posts and sub-posts in the Military Department of Texas, until 10 o'clock, a. m., Wednesday, May 4, 1881, for delivery at Forts Brown, Clark, Concho, Davis, Duncan, Griffin, McIntosh, McKavett, Ringgold, and Stockton, and San Antonio, San Diego, and the sub posts of Pena Colorado, Camp near Presidio, San Felipe, Mayer's Spring, and Mouth of the Pecos, Texas, of such quantities of Fresh Beef and Mutton as may be required by the Subsistence Department at these posts and sub-posts from July 1, 1881, to June 30, 1882, or such less time as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

Bids will state the price per pound, net, on the block.

Bids will also be received for Beef and Mutton on the hoof.

Separate bids will be received for each post and sub-post.

For conditions, &c., apply to the undersigned or to the Acting Commissaries of Subsistence at any of the posts named.

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mch25 6t Chief Commissary.

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100 bbls., half bbls and kegs La. Syrup and Molasses.
400 sacks Coffee, 50 bbls. Rice.
25 hhds. La. Sugar. 100 bbls. La Sugar.
500 boxes Starch. 400 boxes Candles.
200 bbls. and 1-2 bbls. Alden's celebrated Wine and Cider Vinegar.
500 cases asst. Canned Goods.
400 boxes and bbls. Crackers. 2 carloads Bacon, Hams and Lard.
50 bbls., half and 10 gal. kegs celebrated Cincinnati & Ky. Whiskies.
50 bbls and half bbls celebrated Baltimore Whiskies.
25 half bbls Blackberry, Peach and Apple Brandy.
150 casks Val Blatz's celebrated Milwaukee Lager Beer.

A large and select stock of WINES, CORDIALS, ROCK and RYE, BITTERS, TOBACCO and CIGARS, which is offered at "Bed Rock" prices. The trade respectfully invited to call and examine stock and prices.
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Daily Express.

PUBLISHED BY THE

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Friday Morning, March 25, 1881.

HOMAN's common sense indictment till has gone to the governor.

THE new board of directors of the A and M. college are to be elected by the legislature to-day.

GRANT has resigned the presidency of the World's Fair association. This enables the historian to place something new on the record. It is the first thing with money in it that Grant ever surrendered of his own free will.

As a matter of course, and what the house must have known in advance, the senate refused to agree to the house amendments to the appropriation bill. The two houses have six and a half days in which to gloss over their differences.

THE legislation bill is dead. The house killed it by a vote of 51 to 31, and now the legislature can make an estimate of what it cost the state to discuss the measure, and how much necessary legislation upon other matters it prevented during the present session.

THE death of Mr. Moses E. Kelly, of Presidio del Norte, will be a sad blow to the community in which he had resided for so many years, for he was one of its leading and most enterprising citizens. The announcement will also be painful news to a large circle of acquaintances in San Antonio and throughout Western Texas.

GEN. BENJAMIN LINCOLN was the first secretary of war. He was appointed in 1781. The last secretary of war is Robert Lincoln, appointed in 1881, just one hundred year differences between the dates of appointment. A picture of the first secretary hangs upon the walls of the department, and a picture of the present will be placed along side of it. There is no relationship between the two.

THERE was a stormy time in the house on Tuesday, the scenes enacted moving one of the members—Labatt—to suggest that the governor give the house a new designation, as it did not rise to the dignity of a mob. About the only thing the house did do during the morning session was something it should not have done—i. e., refused to restore the frontier appropriation to $75,000. Most of the time was spent in wrangling.

THE Austin *Statesman* publishes some correspondence between Hon. D. U. Barziza and Hon. J. H. McLeary, concerning the events transpiring in the fourteenth legislature in connection with the International railroad bill, and which caused imputations against Mr. B's character to be made. The letter of Mr. McLeary is a complete exoneration of Mr. B. of anything dishonorable in connection with the subject referred to.

ONE of the most amusing things we know of is the efforts of the press and people of this state to ascertain the present status of several important bills presented to the legislature, but which have been handled about, amended, referred, passed here and passed there, etc., until in some cases the confusion has been so great as to cause grave doubts as to whether certain of these bills ever were really presented or not. But we may be happy yet.

THERE is some excitement in New York over proposed legislation against co-operative insurance societies. A great many of these organizations exist in that state and their members are counted by thousands. They have interfered seriously with the business of the regular life companies, and a bill framed in the interest of the latter has been introduced in the legislature forbidding any benevolent, charitable or co-operative society to pay a specific sum of money to the family of a member upon his death without complying with the insurance regulations of the state. As the societies have no money or bonds to deposit with the insurance commissioner as security for their solvency and good conduct, they would be compelled to go out of business.

THE Dallas *Herald* takes stock to the extent of a column and a quarter in Senator Mahone, declaring the new Virginia senator, "a southern man by birth and education, as brave a soldier as ever battled in defence of one's own country or section as pure a man in the various relations of life as is anywhere to be found, has become one of the leaders of the people who have sent him to the United States senate as their representative. His canvass was not made by him as a democrat nor as a republican; he claimed to be merely a re-adjuster, and beyond that an independent, political candidate. His people saw fit to place him in a position of high prominence and trust, and to them alone he is responsible for his course."

THE regular quarterly attempt to make a change in the postmastership is now going on in this city, but they have become so common and come with such certainty and regularity that they attract but little attention. It is said now that Col. Upson has interested himself in the matter, and has endorsed the complaints against Manning and recommended the appointment of Mr. W. H. Huston. As Col. Upson has not been here but a few months in the last four years, if a change is to be made we do not think it would be a bad idea for him to be in less haste to recommend a successor for Mr. Manning. A consultation with his constituents might enlighten him as to the desires of the business community in the connection named. The people would first like to know why a change is made. This thing of taking snap judgment upon both the postmaster and the community, as the reports suggest, will not be appreciated by the people of either political party.

THE Dallas *Times*, having charged that since the resignation of Capt. June Peak his company of rangers had made but one arrest, and therefore was a useless expense to the state, the Tom Green *Times* writes to the adjutant general for information concerning the services of the company in question since the resignation of its former captain, which occurred April 15, 1880. The adjutant general replies that since the date named above, and up to Feb. 28th, 1881, the company have arrested 47 persons, viz: 2 for counterfeiting; 14 for disturbing peace; 21 for theft of horses, cattle and sheep; 1 for assault to kill, 5 for murder, 1 for rape; 1 for embezzlement; 1 for forfeiting bond and 1 for offense not stated. The company is credited, besides, with 28 scouts; 2 attendance on courts of justice; 2 jail guards, one of which lasted several days, lately; 5 attempts at arrest, which were not successful, and 5 escorts. Some members of the legislature act like they believed the Dallas *Times* instead of the adjutant general.

THE AMERICAN NIHILISTS.

The Irish question in England and the eastern question on the continent are of themselves sufficient to keep Europe in an unpleasant state of doubt and uncertainty concerning the future, but added to this is the assassin-hand throwing its murky shadows on every side, and in every state of the old world we hear hideous gloatings over the accomplishment of a murder, and boastful threats that the killing of the czar of Russia was only the beginning; that every crowned head must fall by the same hand—that of the assassin. That the Russian people had cause for complaint against their system of government, we always believed; that many of them were greviously oppressed and unjustly punished through the most tyrannical measures there can be no doubt; but nothing justifies murder. The natural death of the old czar we believe would have been a good thing for Russia; but his assassination can benefit no class of society, for it must widen the chasm between the contending classes. An appeal to murderous inclinations instead of reason can effect good in no class, for we see nearly the whole of Europe to-day almost paralyzed with a dread of what may be lurking at each man's back, at what may be hiding in every shadow. Nihilism, socialism, and all kindred isms are vampires of destruction that should not be tolerated in any country. We believe in political freedom—freedom of thought and speech—but not to the extent of the advocacy of assassination and robbery. If nihilism confined itself to its demand for a constitutional monarchy or government of any kind, and political reforms which would protect each citizen in his political and property rights, and endeavored to secure its objects through law, and by legitimate measures even to revolution, the inherent right of all communities where the majority are agreed, then nihilism would find a friend in every true American; but in addition to the demands made, they declare in their constitution that property rights are not to be respected, and that murder is excusable to accomplish their design; that they, in fact, desire a certain thing, and that the knife, or pistol, or bomb, shall be resorted to to destroy everything in the way of the accomplishment of their purpose. By advocating murder and robbery, the Russian nihilists drive from their support thousands of their own countrymen who otherwise would join their in then demands for the constitutional government and political reforms they desire, and with whose aid they would have a prospect of success in time, but which can never be brought about by the means employed.

However, it was more for the purpose of referring to matters in this country than in Europe that we commenced this article: to the indifference with which the American people have heard of the meetings held in different communities to rejoice over the assassination of the late Russian Czar, and encourage the assassins to still further deeds of violence and murder; to the indifference with which the people hear the utterances of prominent socialists in this country, as reported in the papers, not only advocating the assassination of all the crowned heads of Europe, but advocating the inauguration of the same murderous policy in this country against those who may oppose the peculiar theories they advance. The first object of government is to protect life and property, yet we hear of these men openly proclaiming upon the highway that they are in favor of taking the lives of some of our own people if they stand in the way of the despoilers who would rob them of their property. Every man who reaches the head of a great banking, manufacturing, railroad or other company possessing vast wealth is threatened with assassination because these would-be murderers and plunderers say their prosperity is inimical to their own. The accumulation of wealth is peculiarly the ambition of Americans, yet we elbow our way with indifference among those who openly advocate the spoliation of every man who has been successful in securing more than what these enemies of social order call "a fair share" of the wealth of the country. Men will sit in the saloon of some agitator of the kind named, and cry out for vengeance against the rich for their oppression of the poor, and claim that the bread is taken from the mouths of their wives and children while they themselves spend for liquor enough in one day to keep their families in bread for a week. A certain class of political haberdashers from the stump and street corners proclaim in favor of the people taking the law in their own hands and resorting to violence to secure the adoption of their own peculiar theories, or the securing by some of property that does not belong to them.

The people should discountenance such utterances as we have complained of and discourage it by a severe social ostracism of all who advocate murder, assassination, or the spoliation of any person of any property accumulated in a lawful manner. The man who encourages a murderer is morally no better than the murderer himself; the man who encourages a robbery is no better, morally, than the robber. The good people of this country can put an end to the nihilistic tendency we hear of in so many communities by refusing association or recognition to all who avow themselves in favor of any such policy as the nihilists have been pursuing or propose to pursue in the future.

FROM GALVESTON.

The Municipal Muddle—The Mayor Determined to Rule or Ruin—German Immigrants.

Special Correspondence San Antonio EXPRESS.

Galveston, March 21, 1881.—The meeting of the city council to-night was the center of attraction. A large and interested crowd packed the council chamber, outside of the rail, the halls leading thereto, city clerk's and assessor and collector's office, to witness the tilt between the opposing factions, and a number of policemen were on hand to maintain order and "bounce out" any noisy and unruly member of the crowd. The expectants of office under the new administration were there in full force, ready to applaud any action of the mayor and his minority of the board, in his struggle with the stubborn and "immortal seven," who have had the tenacity to array themselves against the mayor. Compromises and rumors of compromise have been current on the streets ever since the meeting of last Wednesday night, and there seemed to be a feverish anxiety on the part of the crowd to see who of the majority or "rump ring," as the mayor had termed them in his speech last Wednesday night, had joined the minority. The journal of proceedings of the last meeting was listened to with impatience by the crowd, and when it was finished all became eager expectancy for the next move on the programme. In reply to an interrogatory of the mayor, if the minutes of the last meeting should stand approved, alderman Mequer, referring to that portion of the journal just read relative to the meeting on Wednesday night last, thought they ought to be disproved, as they were irregular, and he had received no notification of such meeting. The mayor stated, in so far as the journal related to the meeting in the afternoon of Wednesday last, they were correct, and should stand approved, but as regarded the proceedings held in the evening, when their was less than a quorum present, he held they were totally invalid, and that he would give his reasons for such belief at the proper occasion. The vote on whether the minutes of the journal as read should stand approved was then put, and the yeas and nays being called, they were approved by a vote of ten to two.

Communications and petitions being in order, the mayor arose and read a lengthy message, taking strong grounds against the action of seven members of the council on last Wednesday night, quoting liberally from the charter, ordinances and standing rules governing and defining the powers and duties of the mayor and board, and claiming that all went to prove conclusively that the mayor had the right to appoint such committees under rule four of the standing rules, and the seven members of the council had clearly transcended their duties in the election of the various committees for the ensuing year, and that the only business that could be transacted at that meeting was the installation of the mayor and the members of the board elected, and when that was done their duties ended.

The veto message was frequently applauded, and when the vote was taken to sustain it, it resulted as stated in a special to THE EXPRESS to-night.

The announcement of the vote and the mayor's declaration that the veto was sustained was hailed with applause.

How the mayor could declare the veto adopted when only five votes were cast and seven refusing to vote, is one of the freaks of parliamentary law. Strange as it is inconsistent. In all his rulings he was arbitrary, and his manner toward the majority of the board was dictatorial, plainly showing that he had taken the bits in his teeth, and was determined to have his own way. It would be well if the mayor and the members of the council study parliamentary laws more closely and intelligently than they have done. Then such egregious blunders would not occur, and they would act with a better conception of what their rights and prerogatives are.

After the transaction of the routine business, the nomination and election of city officers was in order. The mayor placed in nomination George Seely, for treasurer; Frank H. McMahan, for collector; R. M. Tiernan, for auditor; W. A. Hutchings, for chief of police, and E. M. Hartrick, for city engineer. All were elected but Hutchings, who was defeated by a vote of five for and eight against. The four elected are men who now fill their respective positions to which they were re-elected. It is evident the fight will come on the election of the chief of police, city clerk, harbor master and street commissioner, all of which offices the mayor and his minority of five will fight hard to control. It is evident from the vote on the chief of police, that the seven are determined to have a controlling voice in their selection, and they will make a vigorous fight to retain the present chief of police, Capt. Joseph Atkins, who has made an efficient officer, but who the mayor bitterly opposes, and has emphatically declared that he should never be chief of police if it was in his power to prevent it.

The adjournment caused by the illness of alderman Meusing's wife, postponed the fight until next Monday night, when the clans will again gather to witness the fray.

As it now stands, according to the mayor's veto, which he declares adopted, there are no standing committees, while the majority of the board claim there is, and will not recognize or rectify any appointment of committees made by him. This dead-lock cannot but be detrimental to the interests of the city, and is generally deplored by those most interested in its prosperity and advancement.

The case of Richard Stephens, for the murder of his divorced wife, Mrs. Percival, on Mardi Gras night, is set for trial in the criminal court to-morrow. Sheriff Owens has been instructed by the court to summon a venire of sixty jurors in the case, and judge Cook has appointed Howard Finley and F. D. Miner, Esqs., to defend the prisoner on his trial.

The four hundred and twenty German immigrants that arrived yesterday per steamer Rio Grande from New York, and were sent forward via the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe, whose enterprising immigration agent met them at Key West, thus stealing a march on the agent of the G. H. & H. R. R. were distributed as follows, through the state: Three went to Columbus, twenty-nine to Weimar, seventy-five to Schulenberg, thirty-five to Flatonia, seven to Benton, eight to Giddings, six to McDade, three to Austin, seven to New Braunfels, three to Dallas, six to Houston, two to Bellville, forty to Brenham, three to Sealey, twelve to Caldwell, three to Kinney, and three to Swantown, four going by the Galveston, Houston & Henderson. Their destination was not ascertained. They were of the superior class, fine, rugged and healthy, and just such immigrants as will become important factors in the development of the resources of the state. Texas has room and should extend a hearty welcome to a half million more, as they are thrifty, industrious and law-abiding. CARL.

Elbert Keck, a youth of 17 years, died at Memphis, on the 16th, with fully developed symptoms of hydrophobia. He was bitten by a rabid dog last Christmas. Several others were bitten of the same dog at the same time.

The streets of Chicago have been blockaded for over a week pass with snow.

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NOTICE.

Having completed my duties as Assignee of Riojas & Canales, have this day delivered and returned to them all such property as remained in my possession after selling the indebtedness. F. H. HARTZ.

EAGLE PASS, Texas, March 12th, 1881.

In reference to the above notice of F. H. Hartz we beg to announce to the public that the firm heretofore existing in this place, under the firm name and style of Riojas & Canales, has this day been by mutual consent dissolved. All assets and credits of the said firm, by the terms of their dissolution, are the property of Anacleto Riojas, and he assumes the payment of all their liabilities.

ANACLETO RIOJAS.
ALEJANDRO CANALES.

EAGLE PASS, Texas, January 20, 1881.

The undersigned will close the business of the late firm of Riojas & Canales, and continue in business at the old stand of Riojas & Canales, and solicite the patronage of the public.

ANACLETO RIOJAS.

EAGLE PASS, Texas, March 12th, 1881.
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the County Judge of Bandera County until the 7th day of May, 1881, for Plans, Specifications and Bids to build in the town of Bandera, a hard rock Jail house, two stories high, iron cages in upper story, jailor's room below, iron or other metalic roof, water closets, etc., and to cost about $5,000. Plans and Specifications accompanying each bid must be full and complete, giving size of building, size of cages, quality of iron, by whom cages made, etc.

Contractor must give bond in the sum of $2,000 for the faithful performance of his contract. Contractor to be paid one-fourth on completion of work and remainder in equal installments in one, two and three years from completion of jail, with ten per cent. interest.

☞ The attention of the bidder is called to the fact that good rock can be obtained within one mile of the town of Bandera.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the minutes of the February term, 1881, of the Commissioners' Court of Bandera County as shown on page 351, Journal B.

(L. S.) Given under my hand and seal of office, this 23rd day of February, 1881.

CHAS. J. MONTAGUE, Jr.
Clerk County Court, Bandera Co.

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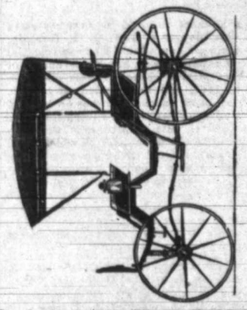

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20	do	500	10,000
100	do	100	10,000
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Daily Express.

Friday Morning, March 25, 1881.

Railroad Time Table,
SUNSET ROUTE.

THROUGH EXPRESS EAST—Daily except Sun
Leaves San Antonio ..... 7 a. m
" Seguin ..... 9 30 a. m
" Luling ..... 10 12 a. m
" Columbus ..... 1 40 p. m
Arrives at Houston ..... 6 00 p. m
THROUGH EXPRESS WEST—Daily except Sun
Leaves Houston ..... 8 15 a. m
" Columbus ..... 12 41 p. m
" Luling ..... 4 05 p. m
" Seguin ..... 5 00 p. m
Arrives at San Antonio ..... 6 30 p. m
NIGHT TRAIN EAST—Daily.
Leaves San Antonio ..... 4 00 p. m
Arrives at Houston ..... 7 00 a. m
NIGHT TRAIN WEST—Daily.
Leaves Houston ..... 6 15 p. m
Arrives at San Antonio ..... 9 00 a. m
Ticket Office Hours—From 8 a. m. to 12 m. from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 8 a. m. Sundays to 11 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m.
S. F. R. R. runs by Galveston time, which is 15 minutes faster than San Antonio time.
INTERNATIONAL.
Leaves for the north ..... 1.30 p. m.
Arrives from the north ..... 2.25 p. m.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS
TO AND FROM THE
SAN ANTONIO POSTOFFICE.
RAILROADS.

Train mails for and from all points east of San Antonio—Arrive daily except Sunday at 7 p. m. Departs daily except Sunday at 8.45 a. m.
Train mails for and from all points beyond Houston—Arrives daily except Monday by 9:30 a.m. Departs daily except Monday at 2 p. m.
Train mails close at 2.45 a. m. and 2.45 p. m.
Stage mails close half an hour previous to time of departure.
STAGE LINES.
Fredericksburg—Arrives daily by 11:30 a. m. Departs daily at 1 p. m.
Eagle Pass—Arrives daily by 6 p. m. Departs daily at 6 a. m.
Laredo—Arrives daily except Tuesday by 6 a. m. Departs daily except Sunday at 6 a. m.
Corpus Christi—Arrives daily except Monday by 5 p. m. Departs daily except Sunday at 6 a. m.
Bandera—Arrives daily except Sunday by 6 p. m. Departs daily except Sunday at 8 a. m.
Frio town—Arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday by 6 p. m. Departs Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m.
Spring Branch—Arrives Saturday by 6 p. m. Departs Friday at 8 a. m.
OFFICE HOURS.
Stamp, money order and register department from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
General delivery from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Markets by Telegraph.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

New Orleans, March 24.—Sight par; sterling bank 480@4 commercial 9@¾ 8¾.
New York, March 24.—Money 4@6; exchange firm, government bonds quiet and firm; new 4's 116¼, 4¾'s, 111¾; 4's, 112¾; state bonds active and strong; Tennessee new 6's advanced 3 per cent.

COTTON MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 24, noon.—Cotton—trading down and dull; uplands 5¾; Orleans 5¾; the sales 8,000 bales; speculation and export 500 bales; receipts 14,000. American 11,000; uplands low middling clause, July and August, 5 15-32; August and September, 5 17-32@5 18-32; futures very dull.

New York, March 24.—Cotton—Quiet; uplands, 10¾; Orleans, 10¾; sales, 383 bales; warehoused last week, 2,300 bales; exports to Great Britain, 3,003 bales; to Holland, 10,117 bales.

New Orleans, March 24.—Cotton—easy and irregular; sales, 5,700 bales; ordinary, 9¾; good ordinary, 10¾; low middling, 10 3-16; middling, 10¾; middling fair, 11¼; receipts net, 2,853 bales; gross, 12,362; bales; exports, coastwise, 5,853 bales; stock, 39,339 bales; futures (March stock); sales, 25,800 bales; March, 10 3-16@10 5-16; April, 10 41-64@10 43-64; May, 10 47-64@10 49-64; June, 10 55-64@10 57-64; July, 10 63-64@10 65-64; August, 10 15-16@10 17-16; September, 10 8-32@10 9-32; October, 9 8-32@9 9-32; November, 9 17-32@9 19-32; December, 9 26@9 28.

Galveston, March 24.—Cotton—receipts, 2,201 bales; gross, 2,201 bales; stock, 90,000 bales; middling, 10¼; sales, 1,400 bales.

St. Louis, March 24.—Cotton—quiet; middling 10¼; low middling 9¾; receipts 1414 bales; shipments 897 bales; sales 124 bales; stock 35,323 bales.

Liverpool, March 24.—2 30 p. m.—Cotton—uplands low middling clause March delivery 5¾@5¾; June and July, 5¾@5¾; August and September 5 7-32; October and November 5 1-32; futures weak.

New York, March 24.—Cotton—net receipts 2,861 bales; gross 12,362; futures closed steady; sales 25,800 bales; March, 10.16@10.20; April, 10.30@10.32; May, 10.46@10.49; June, 10.59@10.62; July, 10.73@10.76; August, 10.86@10.89; September, 10.98@10.99; October, 10.98@10.99; November, 10.98@10.99; December 10.98@10.99.

LIVE STOCK.

St. Louis, March 24.—Hogs—dull, 10c lower; Yorkers and Baltimores, $7.90@7.95, mixed $7.85@7.90, packing heavy, $7.80@7.90; choice light and heavy, $8.00@8.05; receipts 4,000; shipments, 2,000. Cattle—receipts, 2,000; shipments, 600; opened fair active and became weak and lower; exports, $5.25@5.50; native steers, $5.00@5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.00; cows, $2.00@3.00; Texas fair to fair, $2.50@3.00; fat butchers steers, $3.00@3.60; fair to good, $2.50@3.00; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.00; Texas cows and heifers, $1.50@2.00.

Kansas City, March 24.—Hogs—receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,000; steady; Yorkers and Baltimores, $7.90@7.95; packing heavy, $7.80@7.90; choice light and heavy, $8.00@8.05. Cattle—receipts, 1,000; shipments, 600; steady; Texas fair to good, $2.50@3.00; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.00; Texas cows and heifers, $1.50@2.00.

Chicago, March 24.—Cattle—receipts, 4,000; shipments, 2,000; steady; fair active and became weak; exports, $5.25@5.50; native steers, $4.00@5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.00; cows, $2.00; bulls, $2.00@3.50; fair to good, $2.50@3.00; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.00; Texas cows and heifers, $1.50@2.00. Hogs—receipts, 18,000; shipments, 7,000; 5c lower; Yorkers and Baltimores, $7.90@7.95; packing heavy, $7.80@7.90; choice light and heavy, $8.00@8.05. Sheep—receipts and shipments, 1,000; steady and unchanged; receipts, 3,300; shipments 1,300.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

St. Louis, March 24.—Flour—easier, not quotably lower.

St. Louis, March 24.—Whiskey—quiet at $1.06.
Pork—dull, $12.50. Lard—nominally lower; prime steam, $6.50. Dry salt meats—dull and weak; shoulders, loose, $5.25; packed, $5.50; clear rib clear, $6.25. Others unchanged.

HIDE MARKET.

New York, March 24.—Hides—Firm and unchanged.

GRAIN MARKET.

St. Louis, March 24.—Wheat—unsettled; lower; No. 2 red fall $1.08@1.08¼ cash; $1.08¼@1.09¼ for May; receipts 41,000; shipments 11,000. Corn—weaker at 37½@38 cash; 37¾@37¾ for April. Oats—lower; 30 cash; 30¼ for April. Rye—nominal.
New Orleans Market.—Oats—active; lower; 35@38.

Daily Review of the San Antonio Market.

OFFICE OF DAILY AND WEEKLY EXPRESS, Thursday, March 24, 1881.

There was an attempt this morning to open trade on the threatening weather, and plaza prices were therefore advanced this morning. Receipts from the country were light and the demand active.

Our freights by wagon continue heavy, and the receipts by rail fully up to the average of the past week.

There appears to be a break in the price of grain in this city. Corn was bought on the plaza yesterday from wagons at fifty-five cents per bushel, and one firm offers corn at 57 rail at sixty cents per bushel. Oats are sold from store at fifty-five cents per bushel. We hold our quotations unchanged until all the dealers are monitored.

Hides are weaker under recent news of dullness in New York, but quotations represent outside figures and can only be obtained on a cash operation.

The Boston Advertiser of the 19th thus reviews the Boston wool market:

The total receipts of wool at this port during the past week comprise 600 bales domestic and 2,700 foreign, against 200 bales domestic and 2,700 foreign for the same time last year. The total receipts since Jan. 1, 1881, comprise 31,300 bales domestic and 800 bales foreign, against 31,700 bales domestic and 1,300 bales foreign for the corresponding period of 1880.

The sales for the week comprise 1,000,000 lbs of domestic fleece and pulled and 60,000 lbs of foreign, making the week's transactions for the U. S. 1,060,000 lbs, against 1,750,000 for last week's transactions.

The prices which are given below in detail show a wide range of prices in some descriptions. Following them we find that the sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania XX have been about 65,000 lbs more than last week. We especially notice a sale of 12,000 lbs XX Ohio at 41½c, but against this there is a sale of the same class of wool at 40c. The sales of XX and XXX Ohio and Pennsylvania have been 45,000 lbs more than last week, with most sales at 42c. On the whole, fleece wools have been mostly sold at the lower prices. There has been fair inquiry for fine delaines, but sales have been small. Fine unwashed delaines are nominally in request, and unprecedentally low. The great activity in pulled wool, which took place the week, has been maintained in the wool market, and the sales of pulled have been about double those of fleece. The sales of pulled have been about three times those of fleece, or 1,000,000 lbs, at prices. There has been more doing in California fall, and some good-sized lots have caused 100,000 lbs to be sold more than last week. In California spring the sales have been small. The sales of foreign have been insignificant, which makes the business of the week in domestic the more conspicuous, since it is only by an increased business in this that the total sales of the week foot up about the same as last week.

The tone of the market is weak, with considerable pressure in some quarters to realize, offset to some extent by the firmness of a few holders. Contrasted with a year ago the market is as much one way as it was then the other. Then statements of high figures refused for wool were numerous, but now the floating rumors all refer to weak offerings. We hear of Ohio X offered at 40 cts, but such lots are not likely to be up to the standard. The weak market is bringing forward many indifferent lots of wool that can be sold at below the price of wool in good condition. It can safely be stated that all wool that is now selling is at a loss to owners, varying from two to ten cents, according to the grade and length of time carried. Wool that was purchased in September has cost half a cent a month to be carried, and dealers know this to their cost. The farmers are holding their wool above this market, and in Ohio they are asking 40 cents which would cost 43@44 cents here, laid down. Many limits have been removed, but many still are kept on, preventing sales by common buyers. Buyers will start next week for California, and most of them will go by the southern route. There is nothing new in the London situation, but cabled offers indicate some eagerness to sell. We note the presence of more buyers in this market the past two days, but the demoralized condition of the market is beyond dispute.

"The goods market is being adversely influenced by wool, and the most earnest efforts are being made to reduce prices. Manufacturers complain of many cancellations of orders for spring goods. The auction sale last week of the Arlington mills' goods has had a slightly injurious effect upon the market, but no changes in other dress goods have yet been made, and none are contemplated. The tendency is all toward fine goods, which will cause the demand to be more for fine wool, while coarse wool will be neglected."

The receipts of freight by the G. H. & S. A. railroad to-day included fourteen cartoads of mixed merchandise, two carloads of salt for Labatt & Co., one of shingles for Long & Co., two carloads of lumber for Martin & Schryver, four of lumber for the G. H. & S. A. railroad, two of ties for the G. H. & S. A. railroad, one of sugar for George Dullnig, one of corn for Schram & Co., one of horseshoes and nails for Leroux & Cosgrove, and one of potatoes for G. B. Bonn.

Among the out freight by the Sunset road today was 2,250 pounds of wool to New York, shipped by Messrs. T. H. Zanderson and Berg & Bro.

FINANCIAL.

EXCHANGE—
Silver Coin ..... ¾ dis. to par
Mexican Dollars 80¾
Mexican halves 60
Mexican quarters 30
New York exchange, bankers par to ¼ pre.
New Orleans exchange ..... par to ¼ pre
Galveston exchange ..... par to ¼ pre.
St. Louis exchange ..... par to ¼ pre.
MONEY—
Bank discounts, good paper ..... 10@12 per ct.
City and County Bonds ..... none offered
COTTON—
Good Middling 9¾
Middling 9¾
Low Middling 9
Good Ordinary 7¾
Ordinary 6¾
Low Ordinary and Trash ..... nom
DRIED FRUITS, Etc.—
Apples ..... Nominal
Barley ..... 6@6¼c
Beans, white ..... 50@75
Citron 20c
Currants 10c
Dates 8c
Peas, split and green 8c
Peaches 12c
Prunes, Turkish 8¾
Layer raisins, whole, per box ..... $3.00@$3.25
" " halves " 1.50
COFFEE—
Rio, fair per lb 13¾
Rio, good fair 15
Rio, prime 17
Rio, choice 19
Rio, ground 22
Rio, Chicory 15
Java $29.10
Bliss extract of tobacco, retail per can $6.25
Bennett's Black Rose $15.50
Bennett's Diamond $8.00
HIDES—
Mexican, heavy weight, 30lbs and over 19
Mexican, light wet dry, 15 to 20 lbs 15
Butchers, selected 20 lbs and over 19
Butchers, light, 15 to 20 lbs 17
Country, selected, 20 lbs and over 18
Country, light, 15 to 20 lbs 16
Kips, 7 to 15 lbs 15
Bulls, calves and damaged 11
Deer ..... 25@40
WOOL—
Coal, selected 26
Coal, ordinary 15
Kid ..... 15@1
Sheep Skins ..... 10@$1.00
Freight per G. H. & S. A. R. R.
WOOL—
To New York, per 100 pounds, sacks $1.45
" " " " bales 1.10
To Boston, per 100 pounds, sacks 1.60
" " " bales 1.24
To Philadelphia, per 100 pounds, sacks 1.64
" " " bales 1.24
To Baltimore, per 100 pounds, sacks 1.64
" " " bales 1.24
To Galveston, per 100 pounds, sacks 90
" " " bales 65
HIDES—
To New York, per 100 pounds $1.18
To Galveston, " " 70
COTTON—
To New York, per hundred pounds 1.38
To New Orleans, per bale 4.00
To Galveston, per bale 4.00
To Houston, per bale 4.00
HIDES—
To St. Louis, per car $150 00
To Kansas City, per car 150 00
To Galveston, per car 60 00
To New Orleans per car $150.00
CATTLE—
To St. Louis, per car $117 00
To Kansas City, per car 117 00
SHEEP—
To St. Louis, per car $136 50
To Kansas City, per car 136 50
To Galveston, per car 90 00
To New Orleans per car $133.00
ALES, PORTER, &c.—
Mueller's beer, quarts, pts per cask 5 dz $22 0
Groton's ale, " " 6 " 22 0
English ale, pints, " 8 " 21 0
English porter, pints, " 8 " 20 0
" quarts, " 7 " 23 0
St. Louis beer, Anheuser qts " 6 " 14.00
Milwaukee, Schlitz quarts " 6 " 14.50
CANDLES—
Star, o's, 7's and 8's, per box ..... $1.75@5.75
Tallow, adamantine, colored, per lb 20
GRAIN—
Spring wheat ..... $1.02@1.15
Red Winter Wheat No. 1 ..... $1.20
" " " No. 2 ..... 1.10
" " " No. 3 ..... 1.00
Corn ..... 62@65
Oats ..... 62½@65
Rye No. 2, per bushel ..... 90@$1 00
Cracked corn ..... 90@95
Corn meal ..... 62½@65
Mixed mixed corn and oats ..... $1.50@2.00
Wheat Bran, per hundred pounds ..... $1.00@1.25
Corn bran per hundred pounds ..... 60@75
Purified middlings per hundred pounds $3.00
Common " " $2.50
Shorts per hundred pounds ..... $1.25@1.40
Corn fodder, per hundred bundles ..... $2.00@$2.50
Baled hay, per ton ..... $13.00@15.00
New hay bulk per ton ..... $8.00@$10.00
Red Rust proof seed oats ..... 90@65
CRANBERRIES—
Per barrel $10.00
LIVE STOCK—
Cows, per head ..... $12 00@14 00
Milch cows, per head ..... 16 00@20 00
Yearling Steers and Heifers ..... 8.50@9.00
Two year old steers & heifers, per hd ..... 7 50@8 00
Three " " " " ..... 10 00@11 00
Mexican cows, per head ..... 1.50@1.00
Improved Mexican ..... 1.75@2 25
Graded to shear 1 lbs ..... 2.50@3.00
Graded to shear 2 lbs ..... 3.00@3.50
Graded to shear 6 lbs ..... 3.50@4 50
Mutton, weighing 70 to 80 lbs 1 50 2 00
" " 80 to 95 lbs 1.50 2 25
Horses, unbroken, 14 hands and upward $4 @10
Mexican horses, 14 hands and upward ..... $25 to $35
Mules, 13 to 14 hands ..... $25@$35
First class mares, by carload ..... $15@$16.
WOOL—
Fall clip ..... nom.
BACON—
Long clear sides 10¾
Short " 10¾
Breakfast canvassed 12
RICE—
Louisiana, per lb 7¾
Carolina 8
PECANS—
Pecans per bushel ..... $1.75@2 25
LARD—
Tierces, per lb ..... 10¼@11
" cans ..... 11¼@12¾
SUGARS—
Fair, per lb 10
Yellow clarified 11
A. coffee 11¾
New York A 12
Crushed 12
Powdered 12
New York Golden C 10¾
LUMBER—
Texas pine, rough, per M $20.00
" dressed on one side, per M $23.00
" " both sides, per M 26.00
" flooring, per M 35.00
White pine siding, clear 27¾
" " second clear 22¾
Florida pine, dressed, per foot 2¾
" " flooring 3¾
Laths, white pine, per M 6.00
Laths, Louisiana pine, per M 5.00
Shingles, long & co., C. K., per M 5.00
" " " A. " " 4.75
" " " B. " " 3.75
" " " C. " " 3.75
" Russ-it's No. 1 " " 4.00
" Moore & Co., No. 1, " " 5.00
" Star A. Cedar " " 5.00
" " Pine " " 3.00
SHEEP DIP TOBACCO—
Black horse per cwt $15.00
Bennett's Diamond 8.00
ONIONS—
Onions per lb ..... 5¾@6
BUTTER—
Western ..... 35@45
Northern, per lb ..... 18@22
Common Country per lb ..... 15@25
Dairy ..... 40@50
FURS—
Wood, per cord ..... $5.50@$6.50
Charcoal, per barrel ..... 30 @ 40
Coal per ton ..... $5.00@6.00
POTATOES—
Irish, per lb ..... 2¾@3
Sweet, per bushel ..... 40@50
CIDER—
Apple per gal ..... 35@40
ONIONS—
Per dozen ..... 15@20
APPLES—
Green per M ..... $2.50@$4.00
MARKET HOUSE PRICES—
Beef 8
Veal 8

Mutton 8
Pork 8
Veal 10
Turkeys ..... $50@$1.00
Wild turkeys, hens ..... 75@100
" " gobblers ..... 75@100
Chickens, retail ..... 40@50
" wholesale, per doz ..... $3.50@4.00
Hens, per doz ..... 2.50@2.75
Ducks ..... 50@60
Rabbits ..... 10@20
Quail, per doz ..... 75@$1.00
LAND CERTIFICATES—
Alternates $51.00
FLOUR—
XX 7.50
XXX 8.5
Family, choice 8.5
Eincherman ans No. 1 ..... $8.
WHISKIES AND BRANDIES—
Best brands ..... $2 25@3 00
Common brands ..... 1 25@1 50
Best brands brandy ..... 3 25@3 00
NUTS.—Retail Prices
Brazil Nuts per lb 20c
Almonds " " 25
Filberts " " 10
Lentils " " 10
Pecans " " 10

VINEGAR—
Common, per gallon 30
Pure cider ..... 40@50

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SEALED PROPOSALS in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office, or at the offices of the Quartermasters at the following named posts, until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 4th day of May, 1881, at which time and places they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery of military supplies as required during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1881, and ending June 30, 1882, as follows:
Wood, Charcoal, Grain, Hay and Straw, (or Hay in lieu thereof), or such portion of said supplies as may be required at the San Antonio depot, at Forts Brown, Clark, Concho, Davis, Duncan, McIntosh, McKavett, Ringgold, and Stockton, and at the sub-posts of San Diego, San Felipe, Pena Colorado, Mayer's Spring, Mouth of Rio Pecos, and camp near Presidio, Texas.
Proposals for either class of the supplies mentioned, or for quantities less than the whole required, will be received.
The government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.
A preference will be given to articles of domestic production.
Bidders will state what deduction they will make in the prices proposed for such portion of the grain as the government may find it convenient to furnish sacks in which it may be delivered.
Blank proposals, with printed circulars stating the kind and estimated quantities required at each post, and giving full instructions as to manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application to this office or to the Quartermasters at the various posts named.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by a bond made according to the form prescribed.
Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for——, at ——," and addressed to the undersigned, or to the respective post quartermasters.
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OFFICE INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN R. R. CO., PALESTINE, TEXAS, Feb. 26, 1881.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Regular Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company will be held at the office of the Company, at Palestine, Texas, on Monday, April 4th, 1881, at 10 o'clock, a. m., pursuant to the By-laws of the Company, for the transaction of such business as may come before the meeting.
Notice is hereby also given, that the Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at the office of this Company, at Palestine, Texas, on Monday, April 4th, 1881, at 11 o'clock, a. m., pursuant to the By-laws of the Company, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
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SOLE AGENTS

Daily Express.

Friday Morning, March 25, 1881.

Meteorological.

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

Observations recorded at 1:34 P. M. March 24.

Locality.	Bar.	Ther	Wind	Rain	Weather.
San Antonio.	29.98	70	SW	.02	thr't'g'n
Sill	29.70	76	S	....	fair
Elliot	29.26	75	S	....	cloudy
Concho	29.65	59	SE	....	cloudy
Eagle Pass	29.90	73	S	....	fair
Brownsville.	30.00	75	S	....	cloudy
Stockton	29.88	70	C	....	fair
Denison.	29.92	73	SW	....	fair

Weather Indications for To-day.

Washington, March 24—Indications for the west gulf states: Increasing cloudiness with occasional rain in western part, southerly wind, stationary or lower temperature and barometer.

LOCAL NEWS AND GOSSIP.

—Buy risbons and laces of A. L. Wood.

—Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic cures indigestion.

—Wanted.—At Hord's hotel, a chamber-maid. Apply at the office.

—Rain came up at 10:45 last night from the northwest, accompanied with vivid lightning, and poured down pretty lively for a few minutes.

—Mr. Jesse Presnall arrived last evening from Floresville, soaking wet. He reports heavy rains as having fallen south and east of the city yesterday.

—In the district court, yesterday, the case of the Winkelmeyer Brewing association against Louis Briam, was determined by a judgment for plaintiff in the sum of $3,600.

—The county commissioners' court of Dimmitt county advertise in to-day's issue of Tex Express for sealed proposals for building a jail at Carrizo Springs, the county site of Dimmitt county.

—Pain in the back, resulting from strain, spinal affection, overwork or disorder of the Kidneys, yields to the remarkable strengthening powers of Day's Kidney Pad. For sale by F. Kalteyer & Son.

—An English gentleman, with large experience in clerking, book keeping, stove and hardware keeping, time keeper and clerk on public works, seeks an engagement. Good references. Address J. J., Express office. mch25 2t

—Died, at 4 o'clock a. m., March 24th, 1881, Louisa DeHart Phipps, wife of Capt. F. H. Phipps, U. S. army. Her remains will be taken from her late residence at the U. S. arsenal to St. Mary's church, where the funeral services will take place at 11 a. m., this day. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

—The veterans of the Mexican war who served from 1835 to January 1837, by the recent legislative act which has become a law, and which eliminated the pauper clause of the old law, receive each 1280 acres of land. There are now only about 150 of the veterans living. Shadrach Cayce, F. L. Paschal and Edward Miles of this city share the benefits of the law.

—An Express representative yesterday had a short talk with Mr. Hosea Morris of this city, who has just returned from an extended trip north. He says there is much talk abroad regarding San Antonio, but great complaints about the lack of proper hotel accommodations. Mr. Morris thinks from what he observed that San Antonio is daily "losing ground" for want of a good hotel.

—The brother of John E. Schertz, who was accidentally killed, arrived last evening, and the scene that followed upon his arrival at Sheern's undertaker's establishment, where the corpse lay, was truly heartrending. The wife of the deceased arrived later, and her grief, positively paroxysmal, could be described by no one. Quite a number of the neighbors and friends of the deceased, residing in the country came in to view his remains.

—A report is current that Henry Winninghoff has been killed by Indians in Mexico. Mr. Winninghoff has many friends here, where he resided for some time and took a deep interest in per business, social and musical affairs. He went to Mexico for a company which he organized in St. Louis, to develop a tin mine, which was thought to be one of the greatest bonanzas ever dreamed of. The report reached this city through some one who came from Mexico. His destination was for the state of Durango.

Houston's Claim.

Mr. R. A. Houston, of Gonzales county, arrived last evening. Mr. Houston's visit is probably to seek indemnity for cattle he lost by the accident on the Sunset, near Harwood, a few days ago. He says his cattle, 2500, were loose in A. House's pasture, when the train came along and ran into them and killed about twelve steers and crippled as many more. Mr. Houston says that more than three hundred steers, aside from those killed, were knocked off of the track, and badly bruised, and that himself and fifteen employes witnessed the whole affair, none of them being more than four hundred yards distant, and all in plain view. Mr. Houston says he was on his way to Kansas, and that great damage was done him. Mr. Houston says also, that the engine commenced knocking off cattle about four hundred yards from the scene of the wreck, and that crippled cattle lay strewn along for this distance. Some were without horns, and others had their legs and backs broken. Mr. Houston says he has as yet made no demand for damages. This statement is quite contrary to that given the reporter before, and published in last Tuesday's issue.

Better Late than Never.

The Galley Slave combination did not reach the city until 9:40 last night, on account of being delayed at Austin for eight hours by a freight train jumping the track near the Colorado bridge. A large number of persons visited the Casino to attend last evening's performance, but on account of the accident were forced to leave disappointed. The company will appear this evening, however, after a good rest, and will furnish one of the finest entertainments in every respect that our people have ever been treated to. It is hoped Casino hall will be crowded.

Changes in the Q. M. Department.

Col. E. D. Baker, for a long period depot quartermaster here, and who has recently been acting as chief quartermaster, yesterday received notification of his transfer to St. Louis, as depot quartermaster there, vice Maj. W. B. Hughes, who is transferred to the position of chief quartermaster at this place, the position recently held by general Card. Captain L. E. Campbell takes the position of depot quartermaster here, which has been held by Col. Baker. Col. Baker will leave our city within the lapse of a fortnight. His many friends here express the deepest regrets over his departure.

Walnut Street Troubles.

San Antonio, March 23, 1881.

Editors San Antonio Express:

This greening I notice in the *Evening Light* an article defending the railroad company in reference to Walnut street. The *Light* is mistaken when it says Walnut street was not known by many citizens. My opinion is, the man that wrote that article is not a taxpayer. If he had property along the road he would make more noise than the present owners. But he is one of a class of speculators that roots around and takes Mr. Peirce's side of the case, and appears anything that emanates from your valuable paper. A Citizen and Tax-Payer.

Stage Robbers Caught by the Rangers

The report reached this city yesterday by a Corpus Christi stage driver named Ellis that Capt. Ogiesby, of the state troops, had succeeded in bagging seven men for implication in the late robbery of the Corpus Christi stage. They are said to have been caught in Live Oak county. The clue to their capture was obtained from an old woman. The details of the capture are looked for to-day.

Wm. E. Fitzgerald, a prominent insurance agent, of New Orleans, and respected by all who knew him, committed suicide on the 17th, by shooting himself with a pistol. No cause known for the act. He leaves a wife and five children.

MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE.

ROSA GIORDA TAKES TWENTY GRAINS OF STRYCHNINE AND DIES IN TEN MINUTES.

Strange Conduct of the Woman Previous to the Deed, for Which no Cause is Assigned.

About 9 o'clock yesterday a woman by the name of Rosa Giorda, of German descent, and married to an Italian, who resided with her husband at the home of Rosa Reininger, on Alamo street, took twenty grains of strychnine. Her husband is a bar-tender in a saloon west of the San Pedro, and from all accounts has been a good and dutiful husband, providing such comforts for his family as circumstances would enable him to. The woman appears to have been partially deranged, and no cause for her act is assigned by those who know and have been with her. She leaves a child eleven months old, and her husband, who takes her fate very hard.

An inquest was held upon the remains by Justice Shields, and testimony taken as follows:

DR. JOHN HERFF'S TESTIMONY.

I was called in about three-quarters of an hour ago, and found deceased lying on the floor in convulsions. Her eyes were wide open and pupils dilated, face and body blue and livid. The convulsions ceased at times, but would recur on slightest touch of the body. The patient was unconscious all the time. All in all the symptoms pointed to poisoning by strychnine, and from indications she took a very large dose. I left to get a stomach pump, &c., and when I returned in about ten minutes she was dead. They had given her emetics before I left, and I ordered more to be given. On my return they gave me a paper found in the fire-place, labeled strychnine, &c., [and produced the paper] I am not acquainted with deceased, and never treated her before. From appearances I would say that deceased died from the effects of strychnine.

ROSA REININGER TESTIFIED.

The deceased had lived here in my house about three months. Her name is Rosa Giorda. She died at about 9 o'clock this morning. She was a married woman. Her husband is here. She had been away for five or six days, and returned on the 16th inst. from Austin, with her husband. Her folks live at Austin. Her husband returned first, and in two or three days wrote for her to come. On her return she began to talk of killing herself, and said she was tired of living. She appeared to be crazy. On the 19th she fired off a pistol, the ball going into the wall. She said it was an accident. When I told her I would go for her husband, she said if I did she would kill herself. She acted so curious that after a while I went for her husband, but when he came she was all right again. Next morning she said her husband told her he would not come home any more if she would not be a good woman, and attend to her husband and her work. For a few days, then, she appeared all right. About three days ago she wanted to go and get a nipple for her child. I objected, and told her if she went I would send my child to see what she would buy. I feared that she would buy some poison. She then gave up getting the nipple. About two days ago, the wife of a partner of Mr. Giorda, came here and stayed with her about four hours. Deceased returned with her to her home. I told her I would go and bring her home, but she came by herself before I could go. Since then she seemed quite well until this morning, when she said she would not be any better. She went to her child and exclaimed, "O, Johnny! Johnny! if it was not for you!" About five minutes before she lay down and died, she helped me at work. While she was helping me she said her mouth was bitter and she would lie down. When I went to her in a little while she was in convulsions, looking blue in the face. I took her down on the floor and sent for the doctor. I thought she drank some whiskey. She was in the habit of drinking, and had a bottle of whiskey in the room at the time. She died in about ten minutes after I found her in this condition. Her husband went to his work about 7 o'clock this morning. She called me "country-woman" when I came in twice. I told her I was mad with her for doing so. She often pretended to take poison, and I thought she was fooling me again. She did not say any more. After she died, I opened the stove and found the paper in there which had contained the poison. Her husband always treated her well, and never quarrelled with her. She often asked her husband for whiskey.

ROBERT CLAVIN TESTIFIED:

I know the deceased, or recognize her as the person who came to our drug-store the night before last and bought 25 cents' worth of strychnine and a nipple. She said she wanted the poison to kill rats. She had been to the store before, and appeared to be sane. The labeled paper here is the one in which the strychnine was put up in which I sold to her. There were twenty grains.

The jury returned the verdict that the deceased came to her death by poisoning by a dose of strychnine administered by her own hands.

Adjournment and Final Proceedings of the Federal Court.

The U. S. district court reassembled yesterday, Judge Turner presiding. R. E. Shaw, of San Diego, represented, through counsel, plead guilty to violating the internal revenue law, and was fined $10 and tax and penalty enforced. The tax is $50 and penalty $38.89, making it cost him $98.89, aside from costs of court. After the determination of this case, the court naturalized Jake Wolff, deputy U. S. marshal. Mr Wolff came to this country alone when but fifteen years old, and until the question regarding the illegal voting of the Post Oaks Polanders recently came up in the federal court, Mr. Wolff was not cognizant of the fact that he was not a citizen of the United States. Mr. Wolff has unwittingly, like many others who came to this country and were not naturalized by their parents, probably voted at general elections. The court finally approved the accounts of the district commissioners, marshal, clerks and district attorney, and then adjourned. Judge Turner and District Attorney Evans, departed for Austin on the afternoon train.

Military Department Notes.

Private J. P. Nelson, company H eighth cavalry, will join his company at Ft. Clark, Texas.

The quartermaster's department will furnish the necessary transportion by stage, and the subsistence department commutation of rations at the usual rate, it being impracticable to carry cooked rations.

Private Stephen Gant, company B, twenty-fourth infantry, now at Ft. Concho, Texas, will join his company at Ft. Sill I. T.

The quartermaster's department will furnish the necessary transportation, and the subsistence department commutation of rations at the usual rate, it being impracticable to carry cooked rations.

The quartermaster's department will furnish transportation, by stage, from Fort Stockton, Texas, to San Antonio, Texas, and from San Antonio to Fort Concho, Texas, for Major J. R. Wasson, paymaster U. S. army, and the usual stage guard.

Gave Himself Away.

Evening before last, a tall, fine looking man, appeared at Guerguin's pawnshop and endeavored to pawn a saddle, but Mr. Guerguin refused to accept it, and reported the matter to the police, thinking the fellow had stolen the saddle. Last evening, the same man again tried to pawn another saddle at Guerguin's, which was also refused, and the man left for Schwarz's pawnshop. Joe Kohr, night watchman at the city prison, was apprised of the fact by Mr. Guerguin, when Kohr repaired to Schwarz's place and arrested the man on suspicion. He was taken to the office of the chief of police, where he gave his name as John Smith, and was given a seat, to await the arrival of marshal Sharden to see what disposal should be made of him. Soon, Kohr walked to the front door, when the man unbolted a side window of the office, opened it, and jumped out and ran. Kohr followed him close, and shot at him, when the fellow fell down alongside a wall and came near being lost to the officer's sight. But he was recaptured, brought back and jailed.

For Rent.

Two elegant front rooms over Brunett, Thornton & Lockwood's bank. mh25 tf

AN EDUCATIONAL WONDER.

The History of the World at a Glance—Adams' Synchronological Chart.

We are pleased to see that our esteemed friend, the Rev. Dr. R. F. Bunting, formerly of Galveston, has been appointed by J. Andrews, Decker & Co., manager of this important work for the state of Texas. Many of the citizens for Houston have examined this extraordinary chart, and have provided themselves with copies; but for the information of the state at large we willingly give a brief statement of its character, together with a cordial endorsement. Dr. Bunting is too well known throughout the state to need an introduction, and his character in itself is a guarantee that the work is one of great and permanent value. Without hesitation we pronounce Adam's synchronological chart as by far the most scientific, complete and yet simple condensation of universal history we have ever seen or heard of. Those who are interested in such studies will be delighted at having such a work of reference; and parents generally will see at a glance that the studies of their children will be greatly aided by having so simple and yet so thorough a table of history that may be consulted at all times. It is a great work, costing immense labor running through many years, and should make its author immortal.

We hope that Dr. Bunting will have abundant success in securing the adoption of this work in every school and family in the state. The work has received the emphatic endorsement of scientific and literary authorities in Europe and America, but our people will perhaps better appreciate the home endorsement of a practical character that is contained in the subjoined partial list of subscribers to the work in Houston.

Benjamin A Botts, president city bank; Gail B Johnson, proprietor *Post*; D D Bryan, city editor *Post*; Thomas J Girardeau, managing editor *Post*; R B Baer, wholesale grocer and cotton factor; James Converse, general superintendent and chief engineer, G H & S A railway; W P Hamblin, attorney; Rev. W E Penn, evangelist; J J McKeever, grain dealer; Mrs S R McIlhenny; Major I C Stafford, state agent J H Hall & Co., plow manufacturers; Bonner N McGraven, books and stationery; S A McAshan, cotton factor; Gustave Cooke, judge district criminal court; N A Milton; P C Walker, city assessor and collector; Sam S Ashe, county assessor and collector; J W Wood, deputy sheriff; D S Stewart, physician; J R Morris, hardware, etc.; James Masterson, judge district court; J W Jones, attorney; J T Brady, attorney; J J Clemens, rector Christ Episcopal church; H D Taylor, cotton factor and commission merchant; J C Baldwin, proprietor Capitol livery and sale stables; J Burke, Jr., district clerk, Harris county and publisher "Texas Almanac;" J Waldo, general freight and ticket agent H & T C Ry.; E. Milby, of Milby & Porter, wholesale grocer and cotton factors; C Anson Jones, attorney and judge county court; Mrs. E P Hill, Wm D Cleveland, wholesale grocer, cotton factor, etc.; J W Cotton, fire insurance; Mrs. A H Mohl, Washington correspondent; Jas A Blake, physician; John H Duncan, attorney and county clerk; J W Hancock, Jr., bookseller and stationery; Horace Cone, Sr., F A Rice, president Houston saving bank; Jas Bute, paints, oils, wall paper, etc.; Mrs Wm H Crank; W O Oliver, attorney; Henry Scherffius, agricultural implements, etc.; Charles Evans, cotton buyer; M G Howe, engineer and superintendent H & T C railway; Marshall Tankersley, attorney; A Hutchinson, freight agent H & T C Ry.; R H Lommis, attorney; Charles Stewart, attorney, senator from Harris county; J F Crosby, attorney and vice president T & N O R R.; J G Tracy, business manager Texas Western narrow gauge railway company; A R Masterson, attorney; W R Baker, mayor; Charles H. Milby, coal, coke and wood dealer; August Bering, lumber, lath, etc.; Rev. F Vordenbaumen, pastor German M E church; W W Shaw, attorney; F A Tompkins, physician; Rev E D Junkin, D D., pastor first Presbyterian church; A Franklin Sittig, Franklin printing press; Joseph Richardson, postmaster; John Shearn, vice president and general manager city street railway company; R D Goodwin, physician; Miss Chas S House; Mrs. William Christian; Mrs. J R Fenn; J C Brosher, Texas express company; Louis Ross, proprietor Houston Bazar, dry goods, etc.; R Cotter, druggist; Mrs. W J Hutchins, Geo Goldthwaite, attorney; James A Baker, attorney, (Baker & Botts); Garrett Hardcastle, real estate agent; Mrs C DePelchin, German and English school; Mrs L J Latham; James T D Wilson, president national exchange bank; James G Timmons, superintendent Bayou City compress company; S M McAshan, cashier of T W House's bank; A H Swanson, general superintendent H & T C Ry.; S M Williams, with Sanborn & Warner; F M Cronan, with George Dunble; L T Noyes, wholesale hardware, safes, etc.; Mrs E C Crawford, private school, 115 Fannin street; G B Mitchell, contractor and builder; J W Daniel, physician; Mrs. M. J. Young, authoress.

We heartily indorse the above statement taken from the *Post*, both as to the value of the work and Dr. Bunting. The endorsements in the way of subscribers, of so many leading citizens of Houston should be a guarantee of merit. Every family should have it.—Austin *Statesman*.

The following is a partial list of subscribers to this wonderful work in Austin:

J H McLeary, attorney-general; Rev R K Smoot, D. D., pastor Southern Presbyterian church; John Cardwell, editor Statesman; F R Lubbock, state treasurer; John P C Whitehead, attorney, and secretary of the senate; E B Connell, city clerk; O N Hollingsworth, secretary state board of education; T H Bowman, secretary of state; Osceola Archer, attorney; John B Jones, adjutant-general; W F James, attorney; M A Taylor, physician; R S Graves, physician; Rev. E B Wright, D. D., pastor first presbyterian church; Rhoads Fisher, chief clerk land office; Z T Fulmore, county judge; I W Folts, exchange dealer; W C Walsh, commissioner general land office; John W Robertson, attorney; A S Walker, judge district court; B C Wells, jeweler; J D Roberdeau, Alfred Grooms, general land office; N G Shelly, attorney; Bella F Swisher, editor Sketch Book; C R Johns, land and collecting agency; D Tighhart, cotton factor; Mrs. Maggie Stiles, teacher; J G Searcey, attorney; Miss Lucy C Bell; J M Morphes, historian; G Bacon Burke, internal revenue office; J W McLaughlin, physician; H Dietz, presiding elder southern German conference; Rev. Charles Schuler, pastor German M. E. church; Mrs H M Kirby, principal female seminary; P C Taylor, lime dealer; H E Shelly, attorney; R. M. Swearingen, physician and state quarantine officer; E L Wren, secretary Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Will Lambert, clerk house of representatives; J Cummings, physician; C S West, attorney; J S Brinkerschoff, machinery agency; E T Moore, county attorney; Rev. Dr. Sophar, rabbi.

Having examined Adams' Chart, which may be correctly styled an Objective Cyclopaedia of History, we can most heartily bear testimony to its great value, whether used for reference in dates, facts and persons, or for gaining an accurate and systematic idea of the rise, progress and fall of nations, and the events associated with their history. Its merits should secure a large sale in our city.

We take pleasure in adding the following commendations to its practical utility:

"An educational wonder."—Joseph Cook.

"It is worth a library of books on the subject of history."—G. McCloskie, Prof. Nat. History, Princeton College.

"My children knew more of history after three months with it than I did when I graduated."—T. A. McCurdy, D. D., Wooster, Ohio.

"The author does not need a monument over his grave."—Sir Chas. Reed, Pres't. London School Board.

"A Lightning Calculator. It meets the demand of these busy times. Its accuracy is a marvel."—Rev. James Ostrander.

"I have found valuable information on the chart in five minutes that would have taken hours of research elsewhere, and the correctness of it is marvelous."—W. Pembroke Fetridge.

"It is a valuable aid to me. I think it would be of great use to any family."—Prof. David Swing, Chicago.

"In my family the children of twelve comprehend it with ease, and it is the most delightful study they have, Hon. Chas. N. Fox, Att'y S. F. and Pres't. Oak B'd Ed.

"Let children grow up with this in their daily sight, and they cannot fail, even the dullest, to get familiar with all the leading events of human history."—Wendell Phillips.

Dr. Bunting, the state manager, has located a business office in Austin. He is now in San Antonio, and will at once begin the introduction of the work in our city.

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

John C. Schertz Falls Upon the Prong of a Pitchfork Which Pierces His Heart and Hurls His Soul Into Another World.

One of the saddest accidents it has ever become the duty of this reporter to chronicle occurred about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The evening previous, John E. Schertz, a well-known German farmer in this county, who resides on the Cibolo near the Cunningham place, came to the city with a load of hay. Yesterday morning he sold his hay to Lassner & Mandlebaum for $2.85, had it weighed, and drove down to the hideyard of Lassner & Mandelbaum to unload it. While unloading the hay with a common three-pronged pitchfork, he slipped and fell, and though no one saw the sad result of this slip, it is supposed that the end of the handle of the pitchfork struck the ground when Schertz fell upon the prongs. One of the prongs entered his left side, and pierced him through and through, entering the heart and causing instant death. The force with which he fell may be judged when it is stated that the strong handle of the fork was broken, and the steel prong that pierced him bended outward. In falling, the fork was pulled out, it is supposed, by the spring which broke the handle. The remains of deceased were conveyed in a wagon to the office of Justice Adam, where an inquest was held, and where many persons visited them. Deceased leaves a wife and four children, and a mother, to mourn the sad manner in which a dutiful son, and loving and faithful husband and father, came to his end. John Schertz was formerly a constable for Walters, in the 4th precinct, and was liked by all who knew him. Following is the result of the inquest:

THOMAS HUGHES' EVIDENCE

was as follows: "I was called this morning by Henry Gimble, who told me a man had fallen off a load of hay and a fork had run through his breast. I then told him to run over and get Dr. Amos Graves. When Dr. Graves got there the man was dead. Dr. Graves probed the wound, and said it went through the heart.

ADOLFO GALINDO TESTIFIED

that he and deceased started from the plaza. When they arrived at the place on Flores street where they were to unload their wagons, he looked back and saw deceased fall back, and saw blood pouring out of deceased's side. He then told his companion to notify the authorities, and went in to breakfast. When he first saw him the fork was laying to one side.

DR. AMOS GRAVES TESTIFIED:

I was called by the gentleman owning the hide yard, Henry Gimble. Found corpse of deceased lying on the back, with wound penetrating the walls of the chest and into the heart. I probed it, and found a pitchfork lying close by, with blood on it. The wound looked like it had been made by the pitchfork.

The jury returned the following verdict: "We, the jury, believe from the evidence before us that deceased came to his death by an accident, falling from a wagon onto a pitchfork."

SEGUIN'S ENTERPRISES.

Successful Bridge and Immigrants' Home Movement—The Guadalupe Times in the Lead.

Col. T. W. Peirce, of the Sunset, yesterday, upon application of Judge W. E Goodrich, Capt. E. L. James and Dr. W. M. Yandell, of Seguin, donated to the purchase or construction of a free public bridge over the Guadalupe at Seguin, the liberal sum of $1,000. By way of reciprocation the citizens of Seguin will give $250 toward constructing an immigrants' home, for Guadalupe county, at Seguin. The cost of the bridge will be about $15,000, and the donation of Col. Peirce is the starter for the fund to obtain it. Col. Peirce proposed to construct an immigrants' home, provided the citizens of Guadalupe would donate $250. This money has been donated and the home will be constructed. Both these enterprises are fostered by the Guadalupe *Times*, and the enterprising editor, Dr. Yandell, is determined to do all in his power to carry both moves through. The people of Guadalupe reside in one of the finest counties in the state and are now among the most prosperous citizens of Texas. They are live and enterprising, and friends of Tex Express and all other agencies devoted to the common interests of the people.

MOSES KELLEY'S ASSASSINATION.

Something of the Deceased and the Man who Took his Life.

The report of the assassination of Moses E. Kelley, at Presidio del Norte, received in this city yesterday, was the occasion of universal regret among the many who knew and esteemed him here. He was one of the most prominent merchants of the far west. Mr. Kelly owned and conducted a retail store at Presidio, Mexico, where he resided, and had a wholesale store at Presidio, Texas, and cattle ranches on the Texas side about thirty miles northeast of Presidio, Mexico. Hiram L. Kelley, residing at Presidio, Texas, Will Kelley, residing in Arizona, are his brothers, and other members of his family reside in Illinois. He was a noble and clever man, and his house always the home of whatever American chanced to travel through his section of country. John Favor, the man charged with the assassination, is a son of Milton Favor, whose well-known stock ranch is in the Chinate country and about twenty-five miles north of Presidio. John Favor is a young man about twenty-five years of age.

Death of Mrs. Maj. Phipps.

Mrs. L. P. Phipps, wife of Maj. F. H. Phipps, U. S. A., in charge of the arsenal at this post, died at 4 o'clock yesterday. The remains will be interred at 11 o'clock this morning, the funeral taking place from the family residence on the arsenal grounds to St Mary's Catholic church, where the final rites will be observed. Deceased leaves a loving husband and family, and many friends here and elsewhere, to mourn her death.

First Class

Covered ambulance, seated for six, and harness for four horses, tent, cooking utensils, blankets, quilts, and all nearly new. Also four first class horses, in good condition for immediate use, for sale at Dei's stables, on Monday, 27th. mch25 2t

Herculean Stump-Puller.

A machine that will pull up a stump two feet in diameter in three minutes. County and farm rights for sale, by Samuel T. Gaty, at Central hotel, San Antonio, Tex. 25-3t

Hotel and Livery Stable for Sale at a Bargain.

The Braden Hotel, together with the Braden Livery Stable, on Market street. This property is situated in the centre of the business portion of the city, and at once presents the advantages of being an established house within one block of Main plaza, near to Commerce street, and on one of the most traveled thoroughfares in the city. The hotel is supplied with gas, water from the water-works, and has other facilities, which make it one of the most desirable locations for business in the city.

Geo. W. Caldwell, Agent,
19 Commerce Str., San Antonio, Tex.
mch25 3t

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of H. Mayer will take place at 3 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon. Friends and acquaintances are invited.

F. Bachrach.

5,800 Sheep

For sale, by J. W. Glass. mch25 d&w2w

A Rare Chance.

Wanted, a partner, in an already established cash paying business in this city. The very best of references required. Address postoffice box No. 153. mch24-3t.

For Rent.

The store house lately occupied by A. A. Wolff. L. Zork.
mch15 tf.

5,610 Sheep.

Consisting of 1,530 muttons, and 4,080 ewes, for sale in lots of 500, 500, 1,000, 3,000, 5,000. Chabot, More & Co.
mch24 1w 11w

BURNETT'S COCOAINE.

Kills Dandruff, Allays Irritation, and Promotes the Growth of the Hair.

Gentlemen:—For over two years I have suffered terribly with "scald head" in its worst form. A few weeks ago I tried a bottle of your Cocoaine. The first application gave me relief, and now the disease is effectually cured. Yours respectfully,

N. C. Stevens,
Deputy Sheriff, Ottawa, Ill.

Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are perfectly pure.

Hotel for Rent.

A sixteen-room house, with all necessary outbuildings, stables, etc., in Castroville, known as the Vance House. Terms reasonable; the property is also for sale. Apply to John Vance, San Antonio. mch22 1m

To the Public.

Having secured the services of Mr. W. F. Beard, recently from San Francisco, Cal., we herewith inform the public and sporting men that we are now prepared to do all kinds of work in our line, such as shokeboring, dressing rifles, etc., at the shortest notice and at moderate prices. Give us a call. Chas. Hummel & Son.
mch22 1w

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and it is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints? If you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it. Use accordingly, and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by C. Schasse, druggist, 15 Commerce street, San Antonio, Tex.

25 Cents Fare.—25 Cents.

Carriages and baggage wagons will call at hotels or residences for passengers to trains in any part of the city, and will be at depots on arrival of all trains. Fare 25 cents. Orders left with any of my backmen, or at office of Dei's livery stable, will receive prompt attention. mch22-tf Phil Dei.

A Partner Wanted.

To open a first-class business in the city of San Antonio, which will require one of the firm to reside in the city of New York.

Terms,

At F. W. Sibert's saddler shop, on Main plaza, from 10 to 12 o'clock a. m., and from 3 to 5 p. m., for a few days. mch23 3t

For Rent.

The store room formerly occupied by J. S. Penn, on Soledad street. Apply to
mch6-tf J. & T. Brady.

Go, for Mexico!

Travelers supplied with dried beef and venison, pilot bread and canned goods at Bellis,' corner Houston street and avenue C.
mch13 tf

St. Louis Premium Crackers,

Fourteen varieties; also canned fruits, meats, fish and fine teas and coffees at Bellis'.

Wanted Immediately.

A competent miller and stone-dresser. A man with family preferred. Address J. Landa, New Braunfels, Texas. mch16-tf.

New Route to Laredo.

The International & Great Northern Stage Line, carrying the U. S. mail between San Antonio and Laredo, is now open for business.

Stages leave the office on the Alamo plaza daily (Sundays excepted) at 7 a. m.

The route runs close to the survey of the I. & G. N. R. R. Distance 155 miles. Usual time between San Antonio and Laredo about 36 hours.

The traveling public will find this a first-class line.

For tickets and information call at office in Menger hotel. J. W. Orr, Agt.
mch20 1w

Cheese! Cheese!

Genuine Swiss, New York full creamery, Ohio flat, Edam and Neufchatel, just received at H. Grenet's.

Removal!

A. A. Wolff has removed from his old stand to No. 8 Commerce street, next door to S. Deutsch & Co., former stand of D. and A. Oppenheimer. I have received an entire new stock of goods, and will continue to open during the coming week one of the largest and best selected stocks of dry goods ever brought to this market.

I shall be pleased to see all of my old customers, and the trade generally, at my new quarters, where I will sell good goods for as little money as they can be bought for in America. A. A. Wolff.
mch 20-1w No. 8, Commerce street

Stock Horses for Sale.

Eleven hundred head of stock horses, mares from three to eight years old and in good order, and about 100 saddle horses, for sale at low figures. Enquire of J. W. Sperring, Fairview, Texas, or D. & A. Oppenheimer, San Antonio. mch19 3w-w3t

Notice.

The undersigned having secured the services of Prof. Henry Altrens, one of the most experienced cutters and tailors of New York City, beg to inform their patrons and the public generally that their merchant tailoring establishment will be under his supervision hereafter.

Cohen & Koenigheim,
28 and 30 Com. St.

Rare Bargain.

For sale cheap, to a prompt purchaser, three good billiard tables, with full complement of balls, cues, and all necessary appurtenances. Apply to
mch19 tf O. Petitpain.

Seven Thousand Dollars

Worth of boots, shoes and hats must be sold within 30 days, regardless of cost, at storehouse of Akerly & Cheever, Main plaza. Come one! Come all!

Special inducements on job lots.
mch17-1m Greer & Waltrall.

Removal.

F. J. Beitel has removed his lumber yard to West Presidio street, near the International depot. All kinds of Texas and Louisiana lumber, doors, sash, blinds, mouldings, shingles, fencing and laths on hand.
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—For choice imported cognacs, champagnes and cordials, go to H. Grenet's.

—The best shoes in the city at the prices of the lowest at A. L. Wood's.

—Fans and parasols are a great deal cheaper at A. L. Wood's than elsewhere.

—The very prettiest and cheapest gowns and ginghams in the city at A. L. Wood's.

—Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic is excellent for ladies.

—Pianos for rent at Rhodius & Tempsky's.

—E. Roebel, piano tuner and repairer, at Rhodius & Tempsky's. mch24 4t.

—Paul Wagner, agent for the La Bastie Lamp Chimneys—the only chimney that will not break from handling, heat or cold.

—Have you seen those blue flannel and serge suits at Pancoast & Son's? Nothing better in the market. mch24 tf.

—Owing to the increase in our custom department, we have found it necessary to employ an assistant cutter, Mr. R. T. O'Donoghue, who has been for nine years a cutter in the house of Hill & Bro., West End, London. He is fully competent, particularly on pantaloons, boys' clothing and ladies' cloaks and riding habits. We invite the public to give us a call. No garment allowed to leave the house unless fully satisfactory. A. Pancoast & Son.

—Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic is safe for children.

NOTICE.

Railroad Men Come In.

We have just received two hundred and fifty Lawrence railroad scrapers.
mch 20-3t Lesquex & Cocorova.

Honey, Milk and Butter Depot.

Sweet and butter milk by the glass or measure at Bellis', Houston street, corner Avenue C

For Sale Cheap.

One building lot on Nueva street, near German Lutheran church. Apply to M. Halff & Bro. jan30 tf

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning? The signal, perhap, of the approach of that more terrible disease—consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving fifty cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a half million bottles were sold the last year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, spine or chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by C. Schasse, 15 Commerce street, San Antonio, Tex.

Pasturage.

We are now prepared to pasture large numbers of animals on the most favorable terms. Special rates will be given to all parties wishing to pasture one hundred or more. Good grass and plenty of water. Pasture is situated nine miles west of town. For further particulars call at the office of Hamilton & Dignowity, east of Commerce street bridge. feb24 t

It Will Pay Any One

Wishing to buy Furniture, Carpets and Matting, to examine the stock of Erastus Reed. He is constantly receiving new goods, and for quality and price has no equal. He makes a specialty of bed-room and parlor suits, and keeps a large stock of cheap goods, which are sold at prices which defy competition.

A Card.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt 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. nov26d&wtm

Attention, Sheepmen!

The highest market price will always be paid for mutton and beef by L. Piaget, at D. & A. Oppenheimer's. nov30d&w tf

The Best Business in San Antonio for Sale.

On account of failing health I am compelled to quit business, and I offer my entire stock of dry goods, etc., etc., and good will for sale. This is a rare opportunity for a live man to step right into a well established and paying business. A. L. Wood.

—A second hand safe for sale, good as new Enquire at this office. oct 1-t

—A perfect fit and lowest prices guaranteed at the merchant tailoring establishment of Cohen & Koenigheim, 28 and 30 Commerce street. mch6 tf

—Our stock of spring and summer suitings is now all in. Pancoast & Son.

—Mowry & Reiner, at Laredo, have the finest drug store on the Rio Grande frontier. f 4:12 3m

—The latest styles of suitings and cassimeres at Cohen & Koenigheim's, 28 and 30 Commerce street.

—Scarfs, ties and gloves, to suit everybody, at Cohen & Koenigheim's, 28 and 30 Commerce street.

Don't buy your groceries until you have called at Hill's, on Military plaza.

—Our stock of men's furnishing goods is full and complete. Pancoast & Son.

—Have you seen Pancoast & Son's stock of ready-made clothing. It cannot be surpassed. mch4 tf

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic cures chills and fever.

—August Biesenbach, corner of Commerce and Alamo streets, is selling family groceries of the best quality at lower rates than any one else. Mr. Biesenbach will make the retail grocery business a specialty, and deliver goods free to any part of the city. He invites the public to inspect his goods, and learn prices, before purchasing elsewhere. feb6 tf

—Try Ernst's celebrated Turkish sauce.

—Rye and Rock at Walker's.

—Fine Stetson hats, direct from factory, all the nobby styles out. Pancoast & Son.

—Another car load fine equalizing spring buggies just received by the Milburn Wagon Company. Call and examine them. mch17-1m.

—Ice cream daily at Harnisch & Baer's. Orders taken and delivered to any part of the city. mch19-1m

—The largest stock of choice sheet music in Western Texas at Valentine & Co's Music Store.

—Seed potatoes! Seed potatoes! Early Rose Peerless and Goodrich. Garland for sale by H. Grenet.

—We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache in Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. A nasal injector free with each bottle.