

THE TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

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Favorable accounts have also been received from King's section, which is expected to be completed about the same time.

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of the \$60,000,000 of domestic specie exported during the year ending the 13th of July, nearly \$31,323,223 was hoarded, and upwards of \$12,500,000 of specie imported less than \$500,000,000 was hoarded.

The above statement makes more specific the official table recently published. Mr. Alex. O. Weaver, one of the proprietors of the steam flour mill at Huntsville, Ala., was killed on the 23rd instantly, by a well-aimed shot in him.

De Bow's mortality statistics show that the people of the United States are the healthiest on the globe. The deaths are 320,000 per year.

It is said the loss of specie by the Central America is the largest which has taken place in nearly two hundred years by a single disaster.

A Kansas paper says that the crops in that territory will be light, and provisions will have to be imported from neighboring states this winter.

The census of Milwaukee has been recently taken, and the number of its inhabitants found to amount to 44,342. In 1850 its population was 20,061.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

The Christian Index learns that Rev. G. P. Boyce has declined the Presidency of Mercer University, to which he was chosen at the last commencement—not because he does not appreciate the honor, nor because he has not a high regard for his brethren in Georgia; but because the acceptance appears to him, at present to militate against cherished plans, long since formed.

The Duke of Manchester has just made the important discovery of the whole of the letters addressed by Horace Walpole to his son, the Earl of Orkney, and a miscellaneous collection of letters, and some of them are of great value.

The venerable President of Philadelphia, who in his 80th year, is enjoying near Boston. Some new peers are spoken of in Great Britain, and according to rumor the Marquis of Lansdowne is to be created a duke, while the peerages will be conferred on Lord John Russell, Lord Robert Grosvenor, Lord H. Vane, and Lord Compton Cavendish.

Private letters do not give favorable accounts of Mr. Crawford's health, but intimate serious apprehension of a fatal termination to his disease.

The Rev. John Ludlow, D. D., formerly pastor of the North Dutch Church in Albany, New York, died in Philadelphia on the 8th inst.

We regret to record the death of Jacob A. Dallas, the well-known, popular artist. Mr. Dallas was born in Philadelphia, in the year 1825. He was the son of an eminent merchant and the cousin of Hon. George M. Dallas, our present Minister to England.

The Rev. J. C. Fletcher, late of Brazil, has been appointed Professor of Modern Languages in Bowdoin College.

Mr. John R. Blake, student of the Lawrence Scientific School, has been appointed to the chair of Chemistry and Natural Philosophy in La Grange College, Tennessee.

Benjamin Roggins, of Ohio, a United States Senator from 1815 to 1823, died a short time since, aged seventy-four years.

Wm. B. Ogden, "the richest man in the West," worth some three millions of dollars, has been obliged to make assignment, being endorsed on the paper of a Railroad, of which he was President.

The Grand Duke Nicholas Alexandrovich of Russia, eldest son of the Emperor Alexander, has been named by the King of Prussia Major of the 1st Uhlan Regiment, commanded by the Emperor.

M. Pignat, a sculptor of some merit, and one of the best knowledge of curiosities in Paris, has died at the age of 67. His death was caused, it is stated, by the grief he experienced on discovering that a specimen of a most valuable medal, which he had been seeking for, and had recently purchased at a very high price, was after all only a well-executed imitation of the genuine one.

To the Preachers of the Texas Conference. Be ye men as ye would be respected as men of God. Be ye men as ye would be respected as men of God. Be ye men as ye would be respected as men of God.

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NEW BOOKS. JUST RECEIVED and for sale at the Texas Christian Advocate Office. New Books. \$1.00 per copy. 25 copies for \$25.00. 50 copies for \$45.00.

Boardman & Gray's Piano Fortes. REY B. L. PELL, of Chappell Hill, Washington county, Tenn., has been appointed Receiver of the Boardman & Gray's Piano Fortes.

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Fancy Goods Emporium. SEPTEMBER 16, 1857. MRS. C. DEANARD has just returned from the North and has a large assortment of Fancy Goods.

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS. JOHN M. HERRING & CO. are now engaged in painting and glazing.

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Attention, Printers! REY B. L. PELL is now engaged in printing.

Galveston Agricultural Warehouse. W. H. ADAMS is now engaged in agricultural work.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements. A large variety of goods for sale.

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