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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

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DOMESTIC.

NOON DISPATCHES.

GOLD.

New York, July 28—Gold opened 111½
Galveston, July 28—Gold 111@112.

ARCHBISHOP CONNELLY DEAD

Halifax, July 28—Archbishop Connelly is dead.

NO USE TALKING ABOUT IT

New York, July 28—Hon George William Curtis emphatically declares that he is not and will not be a candidate for the Gubernatorial nomination. He indicates a preference for Hon W M Evarts as the Republican nominee.

FIRE—$50,000 LOSS

Albany, July 28—R K Dedrick & Co's hay-press manufactory burned this morning; loss $50,000.

YACHT RACE.

Sandy Hook, N Y, July 28—The yachts rounded Brenton reef, and on return run for the Bennett cup, in the following order: Idler, 1st; Tidal Wave, 2nd; Wanderer, 3d; Count of Dufferen, 4th; America, 5th.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Washington, July 28—Senate—During the morning hour a number of bills of private nature were passed, when the River and Harbor bill was taken up.

The New Orleans committee closed its evidence without any resolution and will consider the report on Monday.

FOREIGN.

NOON DISPATCHES.

FOREIGN MISCELLANY

Washington, July 28—The following foreign news is to hand:

Prince Milan was to have left for the front from Belgrade yesterday.

An anti-war out-break is apprehended in Servia, and Milan's friends wish to place him within a safe distance.

The Hungarian placards of the pretender, Karageowitch, declare the deposition of Milan necessary because of his treachery, Karageowitch offers to save the country.

The Greek embassy at Berlin states that Greece intends maintaining strict neutrality, but events may arise requiring action.

A London Times Ragusa dispatch says the Montenegrin campaign is regarded as a failure. The losses are attributed to the incapacity of the commanders.

It is stated at Paris that Gen DeIasly is about to marry a Miss. Billings, an American lady.

The Servian Generals, in council of war, accused each other of incapacity.

The repulse of 5000 Turks in attempting to cross the Timoc is confirmed.

The Czar will send one of his own physicians to Belgrade to attend upon the wounded.

Many Odessa ladies have started for Servia to superintend the hospitals.

Blockade at Dahomey was declared on July 1st.

PROBABLY ROYAL MARRIAGE.

London, July 28—A dispatch to the Times from Paris reiterates the assertion that the object of Queen Isabella's return to Spain is to arrange for King Alfonso's marriage with Infanta Mercide, daughter of the Duke of Monpensier. The ex-Queen leaves Paris to-day with her entire family and household. The Spanish Ambassador will accompany the party to St. Jean de Luz.

MORE BAD BLOOD

The Pall Mall Gazette has a dispatch stating that the defeat of the Montenegrins occasioned a row in the Russian court, where Prince Nicholas has been ostentatiously petted. Some of the Russian diplomats say that it will be impossible for Czar to repress the war spirit in Russia if the Turks invade Servia. A knowledge of this fact probably accounts for the hesitation of the Turks.

CONFIRMATION.

Constantinople, July 28—The report is confirmed that Turkey will issue a forced paper currency.

THE SULTAN DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Vienna, July 28—The Neue Freie Presse asserts that the Sultan of Turkey is dangerously ill.

DOMESTIC.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

RETAINED.

Washington, July 28—Representative Goode has been retained in his seat.

MONEY SHIPMENT.

San Francisco, July 28—The Treasure shipments to day to China aggregated $7,542,165.

YACHTING.

New York, July 28—At the Cornell University a club will be organized for a representation at the International Regatta.

FIRE.

Detroit, July 28—A fire broke out in Bostord's block, Grand Rapids, and burned the upper stories. Loss, $50,000. Edward Paris was suffocated to death, and his room-mate, C. H. Thompson, telegraph operator, was badly burned that he cannot live.

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

Washington, July 28—S. T. Kimball has been detailed to act as Chief Clerk of the Treasury Department.

The diplomatic conference was unable to agree.

Nominations—A F Finley, for District Attorney of Kentucky; C Jones of Louisiana, Consul to Tripoli; Lt. Charles Larned of the 7th Cavalry, Professor of Drawing at West Point.

Probabilities—For the South Atlantic and Gulf States, Tennessee and the Ohio valley, partly cloudy weather, and light local rains, south winds, stationary or slightly rising in temperature, and no decided change in the barometer. Red River will rise slowly at Shreveport. Cautionary signals continue on the Atlantic from Cape May to Eastport.

The discussion of the Virginia Contested election case having been continued until 2 P. M. on the resolution offered by the minority of the committee, that Goode, the sitting member, was entitled to his seat. A second vote is required by parliamentary law on agreeing to the resolution. It was taken, and resulted thusly: yeas, 107; nays, 95. So Mr. Goode retains his seat as Representative from the 2nd Virginia District.

Among the Democrats who voted no, were Durand, Ely, Holman, Kerr, New and Wilshire. Several other Democrats voted no on the first ballot.

The House then proceeded to a consideration of the report of the committee on Naval Affairs. The summary of the report of the majority is as follows:

"Upon a full review of the facts, your committee present to the consideration of this House, that in the administration of the naval service during the past seven years, the law has been disregarded and violated in the letting of contracts, in the purchase of supplies, in the destruction and sale of property belonging to the naval service, in the failure to convey into the Treasury the proceeds from sale of naval property, in the expenditure and disbursement of the appropriations made for the support of the navy, in the use of sums of money for that branch of the public service in excess of the appropriations made by Congress for given fiscal years, in involving the government for the future payment of money in excess of appropriations made, in making contracts and purchases, the same not being authorized by law, and no appropriation adequate to their fulfillment being made, in the employment of laborers and mechanics upon other considerations than those of skill and necessity for such labor, in the assessment of employees for sums of money to be used for political and party purposes, in failing to exact bonds from contractors, and the failure to enforce the penalties of such bonds in cases of default, in the employment of persons to receive and pay money for the use of the naval service in foreign stations, in the illegal disposition of public funds, in failing to make reports to Congress as directed by the law.

Inasmuch as there is a want of fidelity in the execution and administration of the acts of Congress governing the Secretary of the navy, but which does not render him liable to impeachment, or otherwise punishable, we shall report what additional legislation shall be necessary to protect the public service.

W. C. WHITHORNE, Chm,
B B Lewis, R Q Mills, F Jones, J Robbins, J Williams, Committee.

A WEAK PROTEST.

I sign this report, as I believe it is in accordance with the evidence taken, and that it is substantially just. So much of it as is of a partizan character, I have no sympathy with. J. H. BURLEIGH.

MINORITY REPORT.

The construction of the minority report is as follows:

We concur with the majority of the committee that there are errors in the system upon which our naval affairs have been conducted and have earnestly hoped that a well matured plan for correcting these errors would have found a place in their report. One or two suggestions of changes in the existing laws are made, but they are neither radical or exhaustive, and some of them are hinted at or suggested as possible measures, the adoption of which might be wise, rather than legal.

The system of correction mentioned is likely to affect the entire revenues and credit of the government. There has been a vast amount of proof taken, and numerous legal questions involved, but we have no desire to participate in the discussion of so grave a question as the impeachment of a high officer of United States government upon the bare consideration of the House without having a full examination of the facts, and which have been submitted to the Judiciary committee with power to hear additional testimony and argument and if it is seen fit, to examine whether such violations of law as are referred to constitute impeachable offenses under the Constitution.

If so, they should report articles of impeachment against Geo M Robeson, Secretary of the Navy; but if they shall find that, under the laws, such do not justify impeachment, they should so recommend.

The majority propose to avoid the responsibility for all measures of reform, and call to their aid a mixed commission of persons of experience in naval matters, who may possibly have wisdom enough to examine into our system and discover and point out defects and errors, and perhaps recommend adequate remedies.

This is an evasion of the duty incumbent upon the committee, and a confession on the part of the majority that they are unable to the task on this subject. The minority take the responsibility with alacrity.

We feel under the circumstances as having pointed out all the errors, and suggested measures for their correction. They should probably have differed, but the fact clearly appears in the proof that we found no grounds for personal accusation, and in the view of such action on the part of the majority, and from our own settled convictions, after a full examination of all the testimony, we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That in this investigation no fraud, corruption or violation of law has been shown, or appears to have been committed, by the Hon. G M Robeson, while discharging the duties of Secretary of the Navy, and that we find no reasons to censure or find fault with his conduct in the administration of the Navy Department.

B A HARRIS,
CHAS. HAYES,
L. DANFORD.

After a speech by Lewis of Alabama in support of the majority report, the matter went over without action, and the House adjourned.

FOREIGN.

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

ENGLISH COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 28.—A circular of the Cotton Broker's Association says that cotton was in active demand during the early part of the week. On Monday, a large business was done, with an advance in prices, but since Tuesday the market has been quiet.

CUBAN NEWS.

Havana, July 27, via Key West, July 21—At midnight a party of Insurgents numbering about 300, supposed to have been headed by the chief, Miguelito, entered Santa Clara, and succeeded in sacking two large provision stores and setting fire to them. The Insurgents were then followed and attacked by the Spanish troops, losing six killed and seven wounded.

JUDGE HANCOCK AND THE EXAMINER.

A correspondent to the *News*, writing from Washington county, strongly urges D. C. Giddings for Congress. There is nothing the least objectionable in the suggestion, to us, and if the people of the Fifth District desire the change, we will cheerfully submit, although, we regard John Hancock as one of the most useful men we have in lower House.—*Waco Examiner.*

The *Examiner* has heretofore urged the re-election of Judge Hancock, apparently in good faith, which, under the circumstances we have thought very commendable, and in very good taste, that paper having long been Gov. Coke's personal organ, and his supporter against Hancock for the United States Senate. The above paragraph, however, is the very opposite of the *Examiner's* former course, both in the matter of good faith and good taste. It shows that the *Examiner* supported Judge Hancock when it thought it was a good stroke of policy, but would jump at the first chance to get him beaten. There is an insincerity, an attempt to be little and damn with faint praise, and an implied disparaging comparison of Judge Hancock with Gov. Coke, and other Senators, which is simply ridiculous, unworthy, and shameful on the part of the *Examiner*. If Coke and his ring are the enemies of Hancock, Ireland, or any other leading man in the State, let them fight them in an open, manly way, and not in such an underhand way as the above paragraph indicates. We have not forgotten the sudden declaration of the *Examiner* in favor of Judge Devine for United States Senator, and its equally sudden discovery, which it seemed to regret, that the people desired Gov. Coke. This trick of the Coke ring is well understood, will be well remembered, and paid back with interest in time to come. It was an insult to Judge Devine, and to all candid men in the State. It was a deliberately planned falsehood of Coke and his ring.

The Galveston News of yesterday evening contained the following special.

BROWNSVILLE, July 26 1876.

A special from Laredo just in states that Judge Angel Navarro, District Attorney, was mortally wounded last night by Librado Aguirre, who escaped to Mexico. Authority has been asked to pursue him. Navarro, in an ante mortem statement, says Aguirre knocked him down and shot him, near the river, without provocation. Great excitement is manifested.

"OCCULT CONNECTION," OR TRUE INWARDNESS.

[*Special Telegram to the Galveston News.*]

AUSTIN, July 22, 1876.—The proceedings of the Senate upon the bill reserving from general location railroad land reservations that may be forfeited will be better understood when it is remembered that Senators oppose forfeiting the Texas and Pacific reservation, because it would be opened to International non-tax paying certificates. Those who vote for the Texas and Pacific struggled hard to postpone, which is to defeat the above bill. It takes away the argument most relied upon. Those who voted and spoke for the Texas and Pacific, because the International would succeed to its lands, are to-day found fighting the bill that excludes the International from those lands. This is in explanation of McLeary's reference to the occult connection between bills.

THE Waco Examiner says that Mr Jas. A. George, of Texas, who was imprisoned and executed by the Turks recently, has arrived at home. It is a difficult thing to finally dispose of a Texas Ranger in this way.

MR. Norton Moses, when Tom Scott's ringsters poured into the House, after carrying the Senate, offered a resolution to clear the Hall, which was done. Well done for Moses! It is remarkable, in the history of Texas, that railroad corruption has begun in the Senate, the most dignified body, for the last seven years.

IF Tom Scott carries this Legislature, this generation will never see another honest Legislature in Texas. Scott will elect and control future Legislatures

WE have long believed that all Coke needed to break his neck was rope enough.

Nothing of the kind is apprehended at present, but if Mrs. Twain should be called away we hope that she will leave her Mark in the world.

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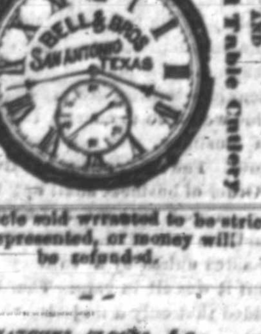
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SATURDAY MORNING, July 29th, 1876.

SENATOR Raby ought to come back from Mississippi now, and unite with his fellow supporters of Tom Scott in the Texas Senate.

WHAT means the silence of the journals that so suddenly found out that Coke was the best man for United States Senator? They are all dumb as oysters, except the Waco Examiner.

THE revolutionary heroes of Texas independence never had stronger reasons for resisting the oppressions of Mexico than the people of Texas now have for resisting the oppressions of Coke's administration and of the Fifteenth Legislature. Will they remain silent and see the School Fund robbed and desperiled?

GOV. Davis vetoed the Texas Pacific swindle, and used the whole strength of his administration to defeat it. What will Gov. Coke do in case the House passes the bill already passed by the Senate? Will he, in this, as in the State Police matter, refuse to follow the example of Gov. Davis?

THE action of the State Senate in forcing through Tom Scott's dictum to the people of Texas, and attempting to give it the form of law, will unite the whole people of Western Texas in solid phalanx. They will now unite as one man, for self protection, in all their political action, allowing every man, without question, to vote as he pleases in the Presidential election. That vote in the Senate has done more to divide the State than anything that has ever happened in the history of Texas. Tom Scott claims a State of his own in Texas, and his Senatorial slaves want to give it to him, and the people of the East and West will claim at least an equal privilege.

HUNTINGTON AND SCOTT.

In all that we have written against that corruptor of Texas Legislatures, and that damnation of every public man in Texas who touches it,—the Texas and Pacific railroad, so called; we have not sought to favor any other company. Tom Scott's hold on the honor of Texas Legislators, and on the spoiled land of the people of Texas, must be broken even though there were not another Southern Pacific railroad in existence. To that end we devote our energies, and we never will trust, honor or vote for a single man who has sold himself and his country to this "great national highwayman," who has robbed the land of more money than all the Tweeds, Belknaps, and other corruptionists put together.

But while we do not rock especially to favor any other company, it is right that the people should know what the Southern Pacific railroad company of California is doing. The Austin *Statesman* truly says that "even while Tom Scott's agents are asserting the impotence of Huntington and his utter untrustworthiness and inability to construct a Southern Pacific road, he has at this hour nearly or quite 20,000 men employed on the road from San Francisco on an air line to Galveston and, only yesterday, telegraphic dispatches from Fort Concho announced the arrival there of many new stage coaches to accomodate the growing Southern travel from the Southern terminus of Huntington's road on the confines of Arizona. Somebody should set up a map of California in the Capitol showing each railroad west of the Rocky Mountains, and when a marginal note explains that every one of these roads, save a little line running south from Oregon some sixty miles, is controlled or owned by Huntington, and that he would empty the wealth and traffic and travel of all these into Texas with the tens and silks of the Orient, and that his purpose is to secure the shortest line across the continent, which beginning at San Francisco, must end, if in the United States, at Galveston—when we remember that these are unquestioned facts, and that Huntington proposes to give bond and security satisfactory to the Treasurer of the United States that he will complete this whole road in five years—when all these patent facts are before us, and we see that Tom Scott's Texas and Pacific is to be used simply to compete with the Union Pacific road for the benefit of Saint Louis and Philadelphia, and not for the benefit of Texas—when we see and confess all this, and that the Texas and Pacific is no longer a Texas road, we can only express unutterable contempt that some and honest men are faithless to Texas in order to serve and enrich the monstrous jugglers and Jerseys Diddler, Tom Scott."

THE STATE IS DISGRACED.—WHAT SHALL WE DO?

The great "national highway-man," Tom Scott, having corrupted a majority of the Senate of the Fifteenth Legislature of Texas, they have passed the bill he demanded, as necessary to help him complete the robbery of the people of Texas, by swindling them out of a vast territory of their public domain, large and rich enough to make a flourishing State of the Union. The work was completed last Tuesday. The State is disgraced. Everybody knows that this measure was consummated in the deepest and most damning corruption. Our Western Senators and those who voted with them could not help it. The House yet has an opportunity to save the State. We shall see whether or not Tom Scott has bought the House as well as the Senate.

The Senate is disgraced, and so is the Governor and Lieutenant Governor. The Governor is disgraced by consenting and contributing to the robbery of the School Fund, as we have shown in yesterday's paper. The Lieutenant Governor, who is soon to be the Governor, is disgraced by having prostituted his position as President of the Senate, in his false and corrupt rulings to enable Tom Scott and his minions to get their bill through, which they never could have done without these false and corrupt rulings. Tom Scott knew his man, and depended upon him at the critical moment, and Hubbard did not fail him. Now, then, we are ready to wager anything within reason that Hubbard was guilty of the corruption recently charged on him, of using his position as Senator to effect a result for which he was paid a fee.

The Austin *Statesman* of Wednesday says that "it will be long before those who witnessed the proceedings in the Senate on Monday and Tuesday of this week will forget the apparent satisfaction with which Lieutenant Governor Hubbard abused the powers of his office to promote the purposes of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company. He seemed to enjoy the opportunity to prostrate the honorable body over which he presided at the feet of this corporation, while railway lobbyists and their backers looked on with faces wreathed with smiles. It was a melancholy spectacle, and it needs no power of prophesy to predict that the day is not far distant when this gentleman, who has been so highly honored by the people, will be of opinion that their confidence and their approbation is worth more than the interested commendations of railroad lobbyists, or anything else that they or their masters can bestow.

"On Monday there were several special orders, which had precedence of the railroad bill, to which we have alluded. These special orders were all postponed by a majority vote. It was admitted by the President of the Senate that a two-thirds vote was necessary to suspend the rules in order to take up the railroad bill. A motion was made to suspend the rules to take up this bill, and the motion failed for want of the two-thirds vote. The special orders having been postponed, the President announced that the Senate would proceed to the consideration of bills on their *third* readings. The railroad bill was on its *third* reading. Senator Smith, of Grimes made the point of order that bills on their second reading took precedence of bills on their third reading, Senator Smith read the rule of the Senate in support of his point of order. The President was obliged to admit that the rule of the Senate was as Senator Smith claimed it to be, but said that a different practice had grown up. Senator Smith insisted upon an enforcement of the rule, and the President said that the Senate would proceed to the consideration of bills on their second reading. There were more than a hundred bills on their second reading, all of which had precedence to the railroad bill. Seeing that, in the regular order of business, the railroad bill could not probably be reached during the week, Senator Hobby came boldly to the front and moved to postpone the consideration of all bills on their second reading. The point of order was made by Senators Smith, Storey and others that this would be to change the regular order of business, and required a two-thirds vote. The rules of the Senate were read: "Order of business shall not be postponed or changed without a two-thirds vote," and "no rule of the Senate shall be suspended unless by a vote of two thirds;" but it was all in vain. The President decided that only a majority vote was necessary; and by a majority vote one hundred and twenty-three bills, on which the two houses have long been engaged, were moved out of the way of the railroad bill in less time than it takes to write it. Then every bill on third reading that had precedence to the railroad bill was put on the table, under a call of the Senate, until the railroad bill was reached, when the Senate adjourned.

"On yesterday, after passing the school bill, the railroad bill was called. Senator Brady immediately moved the previous question on the passage of the bill. After some fruitless attempts by the opponents of the bill to obtain a full Senate (one Senator being absent from his seat), the bill was put to a vote, and received a majority of the votes of the Senate. The President announced that the bill had passed to take effect ninety days after the adjournment."

Something must be done to relieve the State of the double disgrace of robbing the School Fund and robbing the people of their public lands. The patriotic and honest men of both the Democratic and Republican parties of Texas, with the whole West in solid phalanx, by uniting together in good faith for State purposes, and allowing all to do as they please in the national election, can overthrow these robbing rings, keep Coke out of the Senate, and Hubbard out of the Governorship. Let it be done. Let the leaders of both parties combine for it, without partizan objects or feelings.

COKE was elected to the United States Senate in violation of the Constitution re admitting Texas into the Union, and there will be a petition a mile long against his being permitted to take his seat.

DETERRING NORTHERN IMMIGRANTS

The New York *Herald* says that there is no word which has done the Southern States more harm than the word carpet-bagger. Its meaning in the South is clear enough. It is intended to apply to adventurers from the North who went South after the war for the purpose of plundering the inhabitants and returning home with their plunder. It is regarded in the North as a term of reproach, and has had the effect of deterring from the Southern States thousands of honest Northern men who would have been glad to go South, on account of the climate and the natural richness of the soil. "The Maine citizens may go to Colorado and California and be welcome. It is no reproach to him that he was born in the East and votes the Republican ticket. Let him go to Georgia or Carolina, and carry with him his principles, and his fate is social, personal, political ostracism. He can assert no independence of judgment without incurring the worst forms of reproach. Something of this may be due to the soreness occasioned by the war. But while this was natural it should not last always. The word carpet-bagger may serve the purpose of a flippant politician like Mr. Cox, but it should have no place in our literature. If we go into the matter deeply we shall find that we are all carpet baggers, with the exception of Sitting Bull and his people."

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St. Louis has only to offer for an honor of any kind nowadays, and the smaller towns step back. We observe from the reports of the late International Y. M. C. A. Convention, at Toronto, that, after a sharp contest with Baltimore for the honor of the next International Convention, to be held next year, St. Louis was chosen by a very large majority, the choice being then made unanimous. Chicago, which tried very hard to get it last year, without success, did not think it worth while to enter the lists against St. Louis. From the delegates sent from this city we learn that the Convention was the most remarkable and successful ever held, in many respects, there being delegates from England, Scotland, the Pacific Coast, and almost all of the States and Territories, and Canada, while the reports showed unparalleled progress during the past year; and notwithstanding the general depression in money matters, a larger amount was raised for International work than at any previous time.

It is proposed to hold a public meeting here in a short time, at which brief but interesting reports of the Toronto Convention will be given, and prominent speakers from other States will be present. Our Association evidently does not intend to hold up for hot weather, and is pushing its work vigorously. We are informed that Commodore Davidson, of the Northern Line, and others interested in its work among river men on the Levee, suggest the establishment of a permanent building or Bethel there, so that the services may not be discontinued with the approach of winter. Its free employment bureau is doing a good work in helping men and youths who are willing to work, and altogether the Association here seems to be doing its work in a practical, prudent and vigorous way. With its large numbers of religious exercises and efforts to reach young men, its meetings held at the rooms and in different parts of the city, and its work among the sick, strange and helpless young men, it is doing a great and noble work in St. Louis, which is a gathering point for large numbers of young men from all parts of the country. Such an institution is much needed in this city, and we are glad to note its prosperity. We hope it will receive the cordial support of all who are interested in young men and in the efforts of those of their own age to aid and lift them up socially, morally and religiously. The fact that the next International Convention will be held here, will no doubt give a great impetus to work in the West, and we hope our people will now rally heartily to the support of our home institution.—*Globe Democrat.*

IN PURSUIT OF A FREE RIDE ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

The other evening as Deputy County Marshal Coft was riding on the Missouri Pacific, in charge of two negro prisoners, en route for Jefferson City, he came across a German Jew lad who was attempting the plucky and difficult undertaking of crossing the continent free of expense, in order to reach some friends in San Francisco. When about twenty miles outside of St. Louis, the boy came to Col. Coff and asked to be allowed to occupy a seat near him. He was told that it belonged to a passenger who had just left the car.

'Well, then,' the boy said, 'let me get underneath, between the two seats.'

'What for?' asked Col. Coff, in astonishment.

The boy, taking in the Marshal's good-natured face at a glance, told his story. He said he had ridden all the way from New York to St. Louis for nothing, and he proposed to reach San Francisco in the same way. He started from New York—or as he called it, "Ni Yark"—on a freight train, taking up his seat between two cars. Being 'spotted,' by the conductor he lost his coat (which he had off on account of the hot weather) in his hurry to get away. As soon as he was put off one train he would get on another his small body allowing him to crawl between seats without being noticed.

'How much money did you have when you left New York?' Col. Coff asked.

'As much as I have now,' answered the boy.

'How much is that?'

'Nothing,' resumed the little 'Wandering Jew.'

The boy said he was sixteen years old, and was named Broch. He was told he might take a seat and run his chances, and that nobody would 'let on' against him. After a while Col. Coft warned him that the conductor would be around soon. The door opened at that moment, the boy made a 'bee-line' for the place between the two seats. He kept there very quietly until the conductor had passed through, and then he was told he might come out and get some fresh air. The night was very hot, and he said he could hardly stand it, as he had to lie between the colored prisoners' feet. He managed to reach Jefferson City without being observed by the conductor. He was well fed by the gentlemen in the car, and had a right good time of it.

'That boy will grow to be a rich man,' remarked Col. Coft to our reporter, who had told him the item.

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Rooms with or without board. Apply to Mrs. A. LIPS,
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The buildings now occupied by C. F. Klein and Whitely & Cunningham, on Main Street, with a front of about 26½ feet, and depth of 96 feet, will be sold on reasonable terms. Apply to
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DAILY EXPRESS

CITY NEWS.

SATURDAY MORNING, July 29th, 1876.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THE MAILS!

SEGUIN & KINGSBURY—(*Forts Griffin & Richardson*).—Arrives daily, except Monday, by 10½ P. M.; departs daily, except Sunday, at 5:30 A. M.

AUSTIN—(*Austin and Fort Sill.*)—Arrives daily, by 4:30 a. m.; departs daily, at 6:30 A. M.

SOUTHERLAND SPRINGS AND VICTORIA.—Arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at at 7 A. M.

FREDERICKSBURG—(*Forts Bliss, Concho, Davis, McKavitt, Quitman and Stockton, and all Posts in New Mexico*).—Arrives Sunday, Wednesday and Friday, by 6 P. M.; departs Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 8 A. M.

EAGLE PASS—(*Forts Clark and Duncan*). Arrives Thursday and Sunday, by 6 P. M.; departs Tuesday and Friday, 6:00 A. M.

CORPUS CHRISTI—(*Fort Brown and Ringgold Barracks*).—Arrives Wednesday and Saturday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.

LAREDO—(*Fort McIntosh and Ringgold Barracks*).—Arrives Sunday and Thursday, by 6 P. M.; departs Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.

BEEVILLE AND ROCKPORT.—Arrives Wednesday and Saturday by 12 M.; departs Monday and Thursday at 1 p. m.

FRIO CITY.—Arrives Tuesday and Friday by 12 noon; departs Tuesday and Friday at 1 p. m.

BANDERA.—Arrives Tuesday and Friday, by 9 P. M.; departs Wednesday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.

M. E. NORRIS, P. M.

CITY AND COUNTRY DOTS.

—Look out for the paper which wants the EXPRESS to advertise it, this morning.

METEOROLOGICAL.—Yesterday was a warm one. The thermometer reached 101 degrees.

—For the most complete assortment of gentlemen's furnishing goods go to Pancoast & Son's.

—The present jurisdiction of a justice court renders it an important institution. Lawyers make it a profitable institution as well.

—The coolest place in the city is John Feris' saloon, just north of the Postoffice. Cool drinks and a cool place to rest.
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—Delirium tremens may be called tight fits, in San Antonio, because they are hard to get on. Money is scarce and whisky costs money.

— If people will let newspaper consolidations rest awhile and consolidate their thoughts more upon their own business, we think they would get along better. Don't it vas so?

ANOTHER "MARE'S NEST".—An aligator is reported to have been seen in the river back of Dr. Herff's residence yesterday morning. The beast is said to have been about four feet in length.

—Bets that the railroad will not reach the city within the next year from date, were made yesterday. We can't imagine how a man can summon courage enough to bet against the road.

—The Centennial Saloon has procured additional attractions in the shape of two large sized imitation bronze busts, one of Benjamin Franklin and the other of George Washington.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Herman Shultz, of the Freie Presse, returned last evening from his northern trip, having left his son August in the Buckeye State to learn more fully the art preservative.

MRS. S. P. BAILEY WANTED.—Any one knowing of her whereabouts will confer a favor by leaving address at the "Bureau of Information and Exchange," opposite Postoffice.

—"What's that, dear!" Asked a bride of her husband as she awoke the morning after the wedding. "That's one of my shoes petty, what did you think it was!" "Oh! nothing much," responded the lady, "I only thought it was a skiff, but wondered how it came here."

—The undersigned, lately from New York, professor of music, most respectfully informs the public of San Antonio, that he has permanently located in this city, for the purpose of teaching music. Special attention given to singing and training of the voice. For particulars inquire at the stand of the late A. Schaddemantel.
Jly274t E. R. RITTER.

—"The railroad is progressing finely. Eight additional car loads of iron arrived Tuesday evening and more is on the road up. It is believed the track will be completed to Seguin by the 10th of August. Work on the San Geronimo bridge is being pushed. Ties are laid far in advance of the track-layers. The signs that the road will soon reach San Antonio could not be better than they are." So spake an old citizen to us yesterday, after a survey of the work.

—"You nasty little black wretch," shouted a negro mother yesterday, as she walloped a ten year o'd son with a barrel stave, "You wretch; you wretch;" shouted the enraged mother, following each exclamation with a blow which called forth shrill cries from the outraged youngster. We stopped to learn the reason which subjected Ephraham to such unmerciful battery, and found that he had just been led home by the ear for stealing peaches from a neighboring orchard.

SHAVE YOUR HEADS.—This is the Centennial year, and a change from the old order of things is not out of place. Therefore shave clean your heads, cut *all* the hair off, and you will feel cool and pleasant about the seat of your minds. If people who don't know how it is themselves laugh at you, or take you for an escaped penitentiary convict, what's the odds,—do be comfortable this weather. Sulnen has an apparatus especially adapted to shaving the heads of customers, and as the local reporters have had the public spirit to initiate the custom in San Antonio don't let others be backward in following it.

RURAL LIFE.

When we consider the pleasures which farm life affords to farmers—pleasures which the citizen engaged in mercantile business or occupied at a trade or a profession is so totally bereft of, we sometimes wonder why it is that all men are not tillers of the soil. But an all-wise Providence has so ordained things that one class of mankind must furnish assistance to and support another, and in fact the arrangement of the workings of human affairs could not consist in other than the present form. But the farmer's life is most assuredly a high life, and, as a prominent writer has said, there can be few occupations more delightful than that of a farmer. He does not constantly operate upon stock and stones; he does not pander to a vitiated taste, and deal in commodities that are postively baneful. No; he addresses himself directly to the great source of all our enjoyments, he presses art into the service of nature, and has to do with the weighty concerns of soil, season, and climate; his workshop is the fruitful earth; his machinery the sun, moon and clouds; and aided by these, he produces the elements of every comfort, irrigating the parched plain, draining the morass, inclosing the common, and reclaiming the barren waste. In a word, it is his fortune to exemplify, in some degree, the truth of Swift's position, that "he who raises two ears of corn where only one grew before," is more useful in his day and generation, than hundreds on hundreds of names which history, in her great charity, seems never tired of eulogizing, but who, were the truth dared be told, were only remarkable for the miseries they entailed on the human race.

On observing the pale-faced machanic hurry away to his morning labors, we regret that great cities should have become so numerous; that mankind should be congregated in such mighty masses; and think not, without pain, of the many long hours the artisan must pass in the tainted atmosphere of a crowded manufactory. But how different are our feelings on seeing the gardner resuming the badge of his trade or the plow boy harnessing his well-traned team! Though the toils of both may be hard, they are surrounded with every object that is rural and inviting; the grass springs and the daisy blossoms under their feet; the sun tells them by its shadow how the day waxes or wanes; mockingbirds serenade them from every hedge or tree; and they enjoy, moreover, the inexpressible pleasure of beholding Nature in her fairest forms, rewarding most munificently their skill and industry. How does the citizen sigh for such scenes! and how soon, when his fortune is made, does he hurry away from the confines of a second Bable, to sink the merchant in the gentleman farmer! Few strive to rival the handicraftsman by making their own shoes, or any other needful article of dress; but all, yes, all who are able, strive to trim their own gardens, and superintend the cultivation of their own property.

—We have allowed the steady and upward growth of our paper to stand as its recommendation to the people. We now look with no little pride upon what we have accomplished in the past eight months, overcoming many annoying barriers, and establishing a paper which is classed by its readers the second best paper in the State. But our aim is higher than to allow the EXPRESS to remain second to any Texas paper; We are determined to make it in time as good as, or better than, any other journal published in the State. The columns are filled with the best editorial and local matter obtainable and the EXPRESS is the only paper in Western Texas which takes and pays for the regular press dispatches. We also publish interesting State news twelve or twenty-four hours in advance of all other Western Texas papers.

—Messrs. James & Holbrook are still active in preparing the way for their woolen mills. They will visit the head of the river this morning, particularly in the region of the tannery property, owned by city, with a view to testing the water-power and surveying the adaptability of the position as a site for their mills, having petitioned the city to lease or sell said grounds. There has been an objection often expressed by our citizens to locating any institution above the city that would taint the present purity of the river water, but Mr. Holbrook assures us that in the event of the location of their woolen mills above town, a sink would be made for all dyes and impurities, preventing them reaching the river.

ANTIQUE.—A young lady of this city recently received a letter containing a card of invitation which had been sent to her great-grandfather nearly one hundred years ago, and had been meantime in the hands of a friend of the family. It reads thusly: "A number of the citizens of Philadelphia present their compliments to ——, and beg the honor of his company at dinner on Friday next, at four o'clock, at the State House. Dinner at precisely four o'clock Philadelphia, July 12, 1783." This is quite antique, being 93 years old, and will no doubt be appreciatively preserved by the young lady. Her great-grandfather was an important man in his day.

GOOD NEWS.—We are happy to inform the worthy ladies and gentlemen who have their homes on North Flores street that the nuisance and scandal so much complained of lately, is about to be removed. Our fellow-citizen who rented a house to those who have made night hideous on Flores street by their indecent orgies, certainly acted without proper consideration. We are glad to know that he promises to have the evil removed, and we give him credit for his regard for the feelings and wishes of his neighbors and fellow citizens.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A gentleman living near Boerne, and a subscriber to the EXPRESS, writes the following letter. The subscriber has been hard run for money, but we continued to send him the paper, notwithstanding his backwardness to settle up, knowing that he was one of those good, honest and hard-working men who never allow their just debts to go unpaid. We publish the greater portion of his letter in order to show that our paper is appreciated in the country, and that the farmer will reserve a portion of his hard earnings to get the news of the day. The gentleman has not been long in this country, but has enclosed a common and reclaimed a barren waste, and through wise industry has raised a fine crop of corn and beans. Witness his contentment, evinced in the spirit of this letter:

BOERNE, July 25th, 1876.

Gentlemen of the Express:

I have raised the corn and beans mentioned in my last letter, sold some for succotash, and now this "cussed immigrant" and "damned Yankee" sends you the money for your paper. You have treated me generously and gentlemanly for which you have my thanks.

Generally, I like the paper, local and general news, with hints and suggestions on farming, together with market reports and advertisements, which are what we take your paper for, and you are filling the bill faithfully.

We are getting wonderfully mixed in this part of Texas. We can hardly tell a German from a Dutchman, a Pennsylvanian from a Virginian, a negro from a Georgian, or a Mississippian from a white man. So in politics; it is hard to distinguish a rebel from a radical, a radical from a republican, a republican from a democrat, a democrat from a devlish jackasr, Yet all goes on peaceably here about Boerne, and I don't care for the mixture, provided they don't steal, and give me a good price for my corn and beans.

Excuse this long, undignified letter. After all I believe it is about as good as "Tristram" writes from Boerne.

Tell that *Herald* man he had better begin life anew, procure a wet nurse, nourish himself, and grow up to be a virtuous youth, and finally become a decent man with a civil tongue in his mouth.

Please acknowledge receipt of money and oblige, yours,
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NOTICE TO THE DEMOCRACY.

Pursuant to a call of the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the 6th Congressional District, Texas, the Democrats of Medina county, Texas, are hereby requested to assemble at the Court House in Castroville on the 15th day of August, 1876, for the purpose of sending delegates to the Congressional District Convention, to convene in San Antonio on the first day of September 1876, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent said district in 45th Congress.

GEO. W. GOZA.
Ch'm. Dem. Ex. Com. Medina Co.
HONDO, July 25, 1876.
Jul 25 w3m

TEXAS NEWS.

Cotton bolls.

The cotton worm is appearing.

Red clover is growing finely in Collin county.

The Grangers are flourishing everywhere through the State.

Cuero is blessed with good schools and academies, and fine crops abound.

Freestone county farmers are preparing to sow wheat largely the coming fall.

Willis Goodlee, charged with the murder of Horace Clark, ten years ago, was arrested in Fannin county the other day.

The Gazette represents Sulphur Springs as a dull place—nobody sick, nobody drunk, nobody dead, nobody married, no fights, no big meetin's—no nothing.

While John Sleek of Parker county was hunting stock near his father's residence, his attention was attracted to the approach of an animal which proved to be a couger. He procured a pack of hounds, chased and captured the animal.

Jack Kilmartin, of Clay county, was shot and instantly killed by his wife, between daylight and sunrise on the 17th interest. Kilmartin and a boy were sleeping in a bed outside the house, when the report of a pistol awakened the boy, and upon jumping up he saw Mrs. Kilmartin standing at the bed with the pistol in her hand. She walked into the house remarking that she had killed Jack. Report says that Kilmartin and his wife had quarreled and that he had given her a beating. She put the muzzle of the pistol close to the crown of his head and fired it, killing him instantly. Mrs. Kilmartin has had a trial before Judge Plemons and is held for trial by the District Court.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

MENGER.

E A Goodwin, U S A; James A Baird and wife, Mason, Texas; Thomas E Raymond and friend, New York; James McDonald, Galveston; E E Frary, Concho.

CENTRAL.

C J Jones & Bro, Leona Mills; W Fountain, J H Wiseman, M Benevides, Pleasanton; John Waldrom, Frio county; John Hays, Kingsbury; E Rownsscau, St Louis.

CHANGED POSITION.—The Turn Verein held a business meeting last night, and considered the various propositions relative to a change of their headquarters. Mr. Wolfram's proposition was accepted, and Central Garden will hereafter be the meeting place. Subsequently to the adjournment of the meeting, the Turner Band visited Mr. Wolfram with a serenade, and its members were welcomely received and hospitably entertained in their new quarters, making merry until along towards midnight. We congratulate the Verein upon securing such a cool, convenient and beautiful restreat as Central Garden for their future rendezvous.

THE Senate, on last Wednesday, on motion of Senator McCormick, passed to engrossment "An act to incorporate the city of San Antonio and grant a new charter to said city, and to repeal certain acts herein named to incorporate said city," with the amendments of the committee. The people of San Antonio have no idea of what this new and amended charter is. Is it right to make a charter for a city in this way? Who is to blame for this sad bungling of things so important to our people? This question will have to be answered some of these days.

THE River and Harbor Appropriation bill appropriates in round numbers $7,000,000, which Senator Thurman characterized in debate as a "monstrous bill." Every year this bill has increased. In 1869 we gave $1,000,000; in 1870, $3,745,-900; in 1871, $4,408,000; in 1872, $5,602,000; in 1873, $6,287,300; in 1874, $5,218,000, and in 1875, $6,662,000. The reform House brings the aggregate up to $7,000,000.

—A burglar's soliloquy—Watch and pry.

—It is not considered ungrammatical for a dentist to say the tooth shelf.

—But few men can handle a hot lamp chimney and say there is no place like home, at the same time.

—A Broad street women has died from the effects of going up and down stairs. Another caution to high livers.

—There is such a feeling of concord existing between a Wherewellve family that five of its members all use the same tooth brush.

—It is a happy moment in a young girl's life when her discovers that her lover's mustache and her hair are exactly the same shade.

AN IMPOSSIBILITY.—A Brooklyn girl who was "converted" last winter, is now at Saratoga, and the other day, in a letter to her mother, she wrote: 'I find it impossible to hang on to my religion here' but don't say anything to Mr. Talmadge about it, as I will make it all up when I get home."

THE TRAVELER'S COMPANION.

An essential article to have along, and a safe remedy against stage robbers' attacks; also Seltzers, Congress and Umpire Waters, at Kinahan & Littell's Centennial, No. 4, Soledad street.

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Clavin's Wild Cherry and Squills cure cough every time.

—The Central Hotel and Stable on Main Plaza near the old Cathedral in the centre of the city of San Antonio, will be under the same control from this date.

The wagon yard will be free to all patrons of the hotel, with corn, hay and oats for sale and stalls to rent. Satisfaction guaranteed. I. N. BAKER,
July 18 3m. Manager.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Clavin's Soothing Liniment relieves Lame Back.

— Pancost & Son are constantly receiving the newest styles of hats and keep the best goods to be found in the market.

HO FOR THE CENTENNIAL!—Through Tickets to the Centennial have been received and can now be had at the office of the G. H & S. A. Railroad, near the Menger Hotel. tf

Married ladies, under all circumstances, will find PARSON'S PURGATIVE PILLS safe; and, in small doses, a mild cathartic. They cause no griping pains or cramp.

LIKE "QUAKER GUNS,"

Artificial teeth are of little use and easily detected. Take care of the real ones. All you need is fragrant Sozodont; use it daily and your teeth will be the last of Nature's gifts to fail you.

A fact worth remembering—Five cents worth of SHERIDAN'S CAVALRY CONDITION POWDERS, given to a horse twice a week, will save double that amount of grain, and the horse will be fatter, sleeker, and every way worth more money than though he did not have them.

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