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Eight	16.00	24.00	30.00	42.00	80.00
Nine	18.00	27.00	33.75	47.25	90.00
Ten	20.00	30.00	37.50	52.50	100.00

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Six	6.00	9.00	12.00	18.00	36.00
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NOTICE.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, February 1, 1869.
By mutual consent, the Publishing House heretofore existing in this city under the style and firm of A. SIEMERING & CO., consisting of A. SIEMERING and W. J. MOORE, is hereby dissolved; W. J. Moore withdrawing from the business.

All dues to said firm must be paid to A. Siemering, who also assumes all liabilities of the co-partnership.

A. SIEMERING.
W. J. MOORE.
The Publishing and Printing Business of A. Siemering & Co., will be carried on as heretofore, under the same style and firm, A. SIEMERING.

Our Job Office.

We call the attention of our merchants and the public in general to the fact, that our Job Office is one of the best and most complete in the State, and that we are prepared to execute all orders in the best and most approved style, at New York prices. Merchants who labor under the belief that Job Work can be done better and cheaper in New York or New Orleans, are respectfully invited to try our office. All kinds of Job Work will be done, to-wit: Bill-heads, Bills of Lading, Circulars, Pamphlets, Price Currents, Checks, Bills of Exchange, Receipts, Manifests, Statements, Visiting Cards, Business Cards, of all sizes and colors; Tickets for Sutures, Wine and Liquor Labels, in Gold, Silver, Bronze and Colors. In general, all kinds of Job Work, in English, German, and Spanish.

TELEGRAPHIC.—The wires bring us news of unusual interest. Order No. 10 makes a general transfer of Military Commanders. General Terry supersedes Meade in the department of the South; the latter moving Headquarters to Philadelphia.

General Canby takes charge of the first Military Department. Phil Sheridan resumes command of Louisiana, while Buchanan, as we predicted, goes to his Regiment. General Gilliam travels the same hard road. Hancock is sent to eliminate over-thwarted aspirations, in the pleasant deserts of Dakota. Emory commands in Washington, and General Reynolds returns to Texas.

YOUR issue of the 18th instant was distributed at the San Antonio Post Office this morning (25th). On the afternoon of the 23d instant, at the same office, letters from El Paso dated the 17th instant, were delivered. That is one day quicker communication between El Paso and San Antonio (nearly 700 miles), than between Indianapolis and San Antonio, say 150 miles. Both mails arrived by stage. (Correspondence Indianapolis Bulletin.)

The foregoing is an evidence of the virtue of energy. The Indianapolis stage has a distance of about a hundred miles to make; the El Paso mail seven times that distance. The

Next July.

A party rests upon an idea, that idea is new and needed, the party will succeed, and remain successful while it is performing an up.

When growth ceases, another combination will rise and rule, inspired by a dominant and demanded thought.

Thus the Federalism of our Grand-sires, wearing awkwardly in the New World, the rigid social forms and caste prejudices of England, was put to rest by the live Democracy of Jefferson and his followers, reflecting as they did the mounting self-assertion, high spirit, and independence of the young and strong Republic. Then Jackson, moving in the steps of Jefferson, rallied the people around the Democratic banner, and defended it against the assaults of the Slaveocracy led by Calhoun.

When the party, forgetful of its great past, made their fatal alliance with the Slave Oligarchy and imbibed its effete and retrograde life, a new incarnation of the spirit of liberty and progress was needed, and the Republican party sprang into lusty life. To-day it stands a part of the Nation's history, and linked with its moral life.

In the furnace blasts of civil war the Democratic dogmas of caste, serfdom, and political inequality have been consumed. The party has a name without a life, and its future is either reorganization or absorption.

If the Republican party in Texas honestly recognizes and rigidly fulfills the great underlying obligations imposed by the overthrow of the Slave Democracy, and the vast issues resulting therefrom, its future is sure.

But it must look forward, not backward. It must carry no dead past on its back in the shape of a political bargain. It must make no trade with the defeated Democracy on the basis of the offices. They can come to us, but we cannot go to them.

If we stand firmly on the principles that succeeded in the war, we shall succeed in the coming contest, all that is not dead and fossilized in the broken opposition will join us, and swell our ranks to fullness.

Be true to the doctrines that triumphed with Grant, and next July will bring to the Democracy its Appomattox of political surrender, and to the agitated State its assurance of peace. We are on the wave of success. Let us not seize this moment, of all others, to scotch the vessel, but float the ship of State into quiet waters—quiet because they are the great deep of justice and of right.

American Growth.

To the student of nature no information would be so freighted with interest, as the tidings that the borders of science had been widened by fresh discovery; that a novel plant, a strange animal, a new vegetable or physical organization, had been added to the record of human knowledge.

No labor is thought excessive and no toil extreme, which is spent in exploring the steps of that intellect that rules the world.

We all remember the interest that was kindled from land to land when a new planet, beyond the orbit of Uranus, was brought into ken by the astronomer's tube.

But how would that interest be quickened into healthful delight, if, step by step, the process of planetary formation could be read in the sky, and the slow process of geologic epochs be seen condensing their results into a human lifetime—the primeval ocean of chaos unfolding into vast nuclei, from which successive rise solar systems, comets with their trains, flaming spheroids, mineral aggregations, plants in their regular order of ascension, animals rising rank above rank, the diapason closing full in man?

How much more deeply would the impress of such a spectacle affect the mind, and reveal the forces of the Natural Universe than any abstract description, or dry statement, or formal hypothesis?

have fancied of a system of worlds evolved in space before the eye of an astronomer. Within half a century, from nebulous depths of human nature, has been unfolded a new historic creation unexampled for breadth of scale, rapidity of growth, and value of results.

Once "a thousand years scarce served to form a State," and a step in advance required a century; but the Republic of the New World was born as it were full grown, and the span of a single life can measure the appearance of our mighty democratic millions, reaching across a continent, and from the Russian latitudes to the tropic sea, with no king, no lords, no ruling caste, no pauperized millions, no despotic church, but blessed with a freedom novel to the world's history, and a material prosperity that outruns each fabulous dream.

In this grand national march, our own State, imperial in size but scanty of population, must keep time and tune. Let the dead disloyal past bury its dead, and let Texas, in the dawning of this new day, move with no laggard step to the acceptance of its duty, and the fulfillment of its destiny.

Reduced Fare.

It is announced that the Southern railroads are preparing to reduce their charges to those—either from the North or from Europe—who propose settling in the fair South land. Two cents, or even one cent a mile has been suggested as the rate.

This is following a safe precedent. All the great Northern lines have established this rule, to the infinite help of emigration. This proposed action furnishes another illustration of the rapidity with which the ideas of the nineteenth century are permeating the South.

The Jefferson Prisoners.

Those parties who have been arrested by the Military in Jefferson, charged with complicity in the shocking murder of G. W. Smith, have been vainly endeavoring to avoid trial and obtain release. Even the facile and wrong-headed Johnson did not dare to take the responsibility of turning them over to the civil authorities, and Secretary Schottfeldt sternly refused to interfere. He thought Military Courts were decidedly superior to Civil Courts, especially in Texas.

There is now a prospect that these prisoners will come before an impartial tribunal with summary powers. They have nothing to fear if they are innocent, and probably not much to hope for if guilty. We say, now and always, let justice be done.

A Great Park.

Chicago is rejoicing in the passage of a bill that gives it a park skirting Lake Michigan, and including an area of 234 acres. It is a finer situation than the New York Central Park, and possesses the immeasurable advantages of a Lake front.

There is also a movement on foot for a large park on the south side, and then for a broad boulevard to belt the city from the south to the north, touching the Lake at either end. This idea sprang from the fertile brain of Frederick Law Olmsted, who sketched the plan.

San Antonio, if it places itself in the line of the coming railroad, and breathes in somewhat of the progressive life of Chicago, will in less than ten years number 30,000 inhabitants, and will also need its park; but pavements and gas must come first, and should come at once.

The city authorities have, we learn, renewed their applications to the Military Commander for permission to negotiate a loan for the purpose of paving the streets. May they speedily succeed.

"I am going to take the oath of allegiance to the United States Government, just to get to vote against Jack Hamilton and his sympathizers."

Soon after ex-Governor Hamilton entered upon the discharge of his duties as military Governor of Texas, in 1868, the above remark was frequently made. The class who then made use of the above language are now the warmest supporters of this same Jack Hamilton. What has caused this change to come over the spirit of their dreams?—Houston Union.

We frequently hear this question

announce themselves in favor of the election of A. J. Hamilton to the office of Governor. Has the democratic Leopard changed its spots? Or is the party going to pieces?

This new born enthusiasm, unaccompanied by any signs of political change of heart, is at least suspicious. Meanwhile the Republican press are generally and gravely silent. They do not like to have their high party nominations made for them by those who were but yesterday their violent foes. They dread the wolf under the sheepskin. Upon right action now, the future success of Republican principles in Texas may turn. We want a civil administration chosen in this State, under whatever party name, that shall fully embody all the issues resulting from the overthrow of slavery and secession, and place Texas side by side with Missouri on the path of material prosperity.

It is not for the democratic party to choose our standard-bearers for us, or to act as guides on a road they have never trod. Take back seats, gentlemen! Grant, not Lee, has won the fight.

Sisters' Hospital.

We earnestly commend this Christian charity to the attention of the readers of THE EXPRESS. It supplies a much-needed want, and, in case of the recurrence of the dreaded epidemic to which the city has been exposed, would be invaluable.

The writer of this, during the continuance of the yellow fever in Galveston two years since, had occasion to note and admire the Christian zeal, and unwearied impartial tenderness, which the Sisters of Charity brought to their laborious work as nurses of the sick.

Many a man who differed from the Roman Church widely in dogma, had nothing but admiring consent and approval for this self-sacrificing and practical Christian work.

The Sisters' Hospital is located near the Priest's house, is 120 feet long, 34 feet wide, and two stories high, with separate female wards.

Those patients who are unable to pay, are admitted without charge, and none are turned away from its doors from poverty.

Upon the public benevolence of the city this charity rests for support, and we hope that its dependence will not be in vain. Those of our citizens who feel disposed to contribute to a cause so liberal and humane, can leave their donations with the Catholic Clergy, or at this office.

CARITY AND JUSTICE.—Houston has taken a step in the right direction in establishing a Bureau of Charity, in which the philanthropic societies of the city shall have their headquarters, and to which the police officers shall carry all poor vagrants to have their cases considered, instead of putting them into the station-houses among depraved and abandoned criminals. This unifying and systematizing of public charities will make each single charity more efficient and helpful than it is at present, and tend to bring the whole vast district of want and misery under direct supervision and control.—E.S.

Philadelphians call India-rubber shoes "gums." A Philadelphian with his wife were visiting friends in New York, who were thrown into a titter by being told in reply to their inquiry for his wife, "Emily is in the hall cleaning her gums on the mat."

The Siamese Twins have an unfortunate attachment for each other.

New Advertisements.

To Rent for Sale.

A residence, known as the Oswald or Schlicher place, above the Convent. It has a good Deciding-house, Kitchen, Stable, &c., and three acres of land, on which there is a fine peach orchard. Apply to THOS. H. STRIBLING.

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Executive Notice.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Manuel Flores, dec'd., at the February Term, A. D. 1869, of the County Court for the settlement of estates, of Bexar county; all persons having claims against the estate of said Manuel Flores, dec'd., are hereby notified to present the same to the Executor, within the time prescribed by law, and all persons indebted to said Estate are required

READ THIS!

If George Williams, Merchant, formerly in the employ of Baldwin & Co. of New York, (or any of his friends) will send his address to Box 150, Hartford, Conn., he will learn something to his advantage.

Mill Property for Sale.

I offer for sale my Saw-Mill and Flouring Mills, at Sisterdale, Kendall county, on the Guadalupe river. Connected with the Mill is a tract of about 200 acres of land, with a good spring, upon which a good farm and settlement can be made. The Mill and the Miller's house, and a small piece of land, will be sold separate or with the balance of the land. Titles satisfactory.

Enquire of the undersigned at San Antonio, or of W. E. Jones on Curries Creek, Kendall county.

CHRISTOPHER RHODIUS.

Attention! Attention!!

HARTMANN, EAGAR & CO.,

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LOVENSTEIN & Co.,

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Staple and Fancy

DRY GOODS

CLOTHING,

BOOTS,

SHOES,

HATS, &c., &c.

At prices below New York cost.

Special attention of dealers is called to this rare chance, they should examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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Lone Star State Mutual Aid Association.

Galveston, Texas.

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Will positively take place in Galveston on June 1st, 1869, or sooner, if all the shares are sold.

SHARES limited to 50,000.

Price of each share, \$1.00 only.

Premiums to the amount of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, to be distributed to lucky Shareholders.

Read This!!

1st. Cash Capital Premium.	\$20,000
2nd. " " " " " "	5,000
3rd. " " " " " "	2,000
4th. " " " " " "	1,000
And 1996 Premiums from two to two hundred and fifty dollars each, amounting in all to	22,000
2000 Premiums, total.	\$50,000

To Texans!!!

Please bear in mind that this is strictly a Texas Institution, composed of and managed by Texas Men. Circulars giving full particulars, sent on application. All orders and business letters should be directed to

C. OLSON & CO.,

Managers, Galveston, Texas. By permission we refer to Messrs. Ball, Hollings & Co., and J. Frederick, Esq. Ladies and Gentlemen wanted to act as Agents in every section of the State. march9, 69.

JUST RECEIVED,

A large Assortment of NEW CLOTHING, (see 144d wif) E. SAWYER & CO.

\$40 STITCH! STITCH!! \$37 50

\$40	\$40 first class SEWING MA.	\$37 50
\$40	CHINESE given as premiums	\$37 50
\$40	for \$97 50 worth of sub-	\$37 50
\$40	tions for WOOD'S HOUSE	\$37 50
\$40	HOLD ADVOCATE, a first	\$37 50
\$40	class Family paper, at 75 cents	\$37 50
\$40	a year. Also	\$37 50

\$32 Tick!! Tick!! \$30

\$32	AMERICAN WATCHES, worth	\$30
\$32	given for \$36 worth of sub-	\$30
\$32	scriptions. Also	\$30

\$12 Dictionary. \$12

\$12	Webster's Unabridged Dictionary	\$12
\$12	worth \$12, given as premiums for	\$12
\$12	\$12 worth of subscriptions. Also	\$12

\$100 Sunday School \$100

\$80 LIBRARIES, \$80

\$80	Large or small, to be selected	\$80
\$80	from 100 volumes of the very best	\$80
\$80	Books published, and given as a	\$80
\$80	premium for an equivalent	\$80
\$80	amount of subscriptions.	\$80
\$80	Also several other premiums	\$80
\$80	equally liberal.	\$80
\$80	The Advocate, (formerly called the	\$80
\$80	Prospectus) contains 16 large	\$80
\$80	pages, and aims to promote knowl-	\$80
\$80	edge, Virtue and Temperance. It	\$80
\$80	has been enlarged and improved	\$80
\$80	three times in 27 months. Send for	\$80
\$80	specimen copy. Address	\$80
\$80	S. S. WOOD,	\$80
\$80	P. O. Building, Newburg, N. Y.	\$80

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NOTICE.

The Regular meeting of the Agricultural, Stock raising and Industrial Association of Western Texas, will be held at the store of Sampson & Terry, on Wednesday evening, 10th March 1869, at 7 o'clock, light. All persons favorable are invited to attend.

Local Intelligence.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS

ALLEYTON.
ARRIVE. DEPART.
Sunday. Monday. 1 P. M.
Wednesday. Friday. 8 A. M.
Friday. 1 P. M.

VICTORIA.
Sunday. Tuesday. 6 A. M.
Wednesday. Thursday. 8 A. M.
Friday. Saturday. 10 A. M.

WACO.
Monday. Monday. 8 A. M.
Thursday. Thursday. 5 A. M.
Saturday. Saturday. 10 A. M.

EL PASO.
Tuesday 6 P. M. Monday 8 A. M.
Thursday 6 P. M. Wednesday 8 A. M.
Saturday 6 P. M. Friday 8 A. M.

EAGLE PASS.
Tuesday 6 P. M. Monday 8 A. M.
Thursday 6 P. M. Wednesday 8 A. M.
Saturday 6 P. M. Friday 8 A. M.

CORPUS CHRISTI.
Wednesday 6 P. M. Thursday 6 A. M.

LAREDO.
Thursday 6 P. M. Monday 6 A. M.

Through mails via Galveston leave Tri Weekly at 1 o'clock, P. M. All mails going out in the morning will be closed at 9 o'clock of the evening before. Mail matter intended for such routes as leave in the morning, must be deposited in the Post office by 9 o'clock, P. M., or remain over until the next regular time of leaving, except El Paso and Eagle Pass, which close at 7 A. M. S. P. GAMBIA, P. M.

FOR SALE.
BLANKS for Butchers and Hide Dealers at this office. (d.w.)

THANKS.—The Editor returns his thanks to Mr. Deitler for those nice fresh Oranges sent for him yesterday, and pronounces them delicious.

DISTRICT COURT.—The case in regard to the owners of the bonds and coupons of the Mexican Gulf Railroad, vs. City of San Antonio, was called up for action yesterday. Court adjourned over until this morning, at 10 o'clock.

AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION.—The members of the above Association and the friends favorable to the cause, will bear in mind that a meeting of the Association takes place to-night at the store of Sampson & Torrey. All members are expected to be present.

LOCUST.—Myriads of these pests, sent among us for some unseemly purpose, covered the prairie and preyed upon the early gardens, previous to the late cold and rain. As they have not been heard from since, we may reasonably hope to escape their depredations in part. Our Northern friends may comfort themselves with the assurance that we shall hatch out sufficient for migratory purposes.

There has been a slight gold excitement in town. Some gold dust was sent from El Paso to the house of L. Zork, said to have been found near El Paso. Subsequently a letter was received stating that the quantity of gold did not answer expectations or pay the labor required to obtain it. Whether this was, or was merely meant to discourage the usual swarm of gold hunters, we leave our readers to solve.

We have to chronicle the astounding fact that our Columbus stage, which carries the northern mail, did in fact, for once in course of this year, arrive at the regular time, to-wit: Wednesday and Friday March 2d and 5th. Whether this was in honor of the inauguration of Grant we do not know, but we do know that a drizzling rain commenced on Sunday morning, and that in consequence, our hopes of a better communication with the civilized part of the world faded away. Strange to say, that the only regular mail we have is the one which connects us with the Indian Country and the wilderness generally, we mean the El Paso mail.

CHIHUAHUA SILVER.—Mr. McManus, who passed through our city some months since, with specimens of silver ore, as roasts (which rich specimens were on exhibition at Capt. Merritt's store, as our readers will remember) is on his return from the east, where he exhibited his treasures to the wondering and admiring "Yanks." A Philadelphia company will send out an agent to examine and report, with power to purchase.

We can insinuate to Mr. M. that he may be an American citizen as long as General Grant has a high opinion of Mexico.

IS THIS THE COUNTY CLERK.—While we were sitting in the County Clerk's office, yesterday, a spruce young man from the country came in and inquired: "Is this the County Clerk?" "It is," responded our jovial Clerk. "What can I do for you?" "I am going to get married, and want a license to show that the matter is properly done."

The license was duly fixed and stamped according to law, placed in the young man's hand, who blushing took his departure toward her who ere this calls him "horn." Alas, the poor fellows who can't do such.

The unpleasant weather of the last few days closed yesterday morning early, with a thunder storm, heavy rain and an electric north. To-day an azure sky and golden sun are smiling again. Although we have had this spring more rain than we were entitled to by custom, or claimed as a pleasure, still our farming population and

ground, sown the seed, and now wished some more moisture to set the elements of vegetative life at work and draw the new stems out of their earthen bed. So we are inclined to believe, yesterday's rain was a welcome present of heaven to one part of our population, although we are certain, that the ambulating part did not much relish the peculiar "mush" of our streets, of which it can be said, "they are a soft road to travel."

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office, at San Antonio, up to the 9th day of March 1869:

Published by Official Authority.

Akersmann, J. H.	Mayson, Cathrin
Am. Miss Julia	Martin, Alice
Anderson, Mrs. Massa	McLirde, Anney
Anderson, Roche	Marone, L.
Arson, Wm	Malarky
Adams, Thomas W	Mitchell, Mary
Ashley, Wm	Moreau, Willey
Barth, B	Muller, With
Bragley, Allen	Mulden, Frankie
Brunett, E	Melson, Helen
Brodybeck, J	Norton, H. Clay
Brady, Malinda	Ortoge, Jose M
Bron, S S	Pena, Juan
Bridgers, S R	Parada, German
Barker, S	Potter, E. H
Coss, Edward	Potter, F. K
Caroline, Lillie	Pena, M. Navarero
Cordova, Phineas de	Pagen, Theophile
Davis, Frederick	Pope, Leroy Y
Deissen, Jurs H	Pope, Lee
Donald, Mrs S	Raymond, Baker
Darley, Owen, 35	Rice, Hugh
Donaldson, Robert	Rossi, Michael
Dauenhauser, Stephen	Roberts, P. C
Doyle, F. D	Shaw, Andrew
Franklin, Isaac G	Sartor, Antonia
Farrell, James	Stepter, Caroline
French, Marcellus	Strickle, Kurt
Finley, Theo D	Schlaeder, F. H
Gillie, C. W	Stebbens, Frank
Grant, Christian Mrs	Scott, Emaline
Gibbons, Frank	Steinberg, F
Gibbons, Miss Emiline	Summers, Fanny
Gibbons, H. J	Smith, Philip
Gordon, J. J	Speel, Malinda
Galliff, Jessie	Sharten, Mary A
Gillie, M	Seala, Naredo
Hyde, A. C	Seaton, Robert J
Haynes, Arthur	Sniffeland, Ter Capt
Harris, Allen	Smith, W. D
Hart, H. H	Sherman, Wm E
Hammond, G. H	Tilson, D. H
Hickman, James P	Thompson, Dora
Himby, John	Tramke, A
Ibarbo, Lewis	Tapia, Francis
Johnson, Henry	Tamke, Lisette
Jackson, George T	Telhus, Nasio
Jackson, Mrs Q. L	Tackey, Teresa
Kenedy, George	Trujy, Santos
Kline, M	Veck, Wm S
Leorox, A	Williams, Elick
Lee Gideon	Wendhouse, A. F
McCurley, James	Winnest, L. J
Waltzberger, John	Ziper, Ed R
Mains, Chas	Young, Thomas
Mulasky, Call	
Marrin, Francis	

Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please ask for advertised letters. S. P. GAMBIA, P. M.

MARKET MANIFEST.

Seed Potatoes, Sweetroot, Hockings and Salt Pickles, for sale by WAGNER & RUNNEL.

KROUT, in barrels and half-barrels, for sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO.

Pickles in Salt, in 5 gallon kegs, for sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO.

30,000 lbs. Choice Mexican Beans, for sale by C. H. MERRITT & BRO.

50 Sacks, Choice Mexican Beans, 25 Cargas do do Filomillon 500 Mexican fanega sacks, newly sewn. For sale by F. GROSS & Co.

50 Bbls. Raw Herring, (Portland), Just received by H. GREENET.

25 Bbls. Red Onions. For sale low by H. GREENET.

50 Cargas New Palomillas. For sale by H. GREENET.

For Seed—Castor Oil Bean—Seed beans, for sale by STEELE & WILLIAMS.

Consignment of Imperial Tea. Just received and for sale by SAMPSON & TORREY.

HIDES
Highest Market Price, ELMENDORF & Co.

Wine! Wine!
200 Boxes Claret.
10 Cases do
150 Boxes French White Wine. (declidawm.) E. PENTENIEDER.

Proposals for Stage Transportation.
HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, State of Texas, Office of Chief Quartermaster. Austin, Texas, March 1st, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS.
In duplicate, will be received at this office, until Saturday, March 27th, 1869, at 12 M., for furnishing such transportation by stage as may be required by the Quartermaster's Department, United States Army, until December 31st, 1869, on the following routes, viz: Victoria to Indiana.

Bidders will state the rate at which they propose to transport each man, (with baggage not to exceed one hundred (100) pounds) the entire distance on the route; also from point to point.

Payment to be made in Government Funds. Service to commence on award of contract. Proposals to be plainly endorsed, "Proposals for Stage Transportation from— to— and addressed to the undersigned.

By command of
Bvt. Major General CANNY.

Review of the Markets.

Wholesale Prices Current—Quotations in Specie.

DAILY EXPRESS OFFICE, Feb. 28, 1869.
Dry-Goods.

Prints, Spangue, fancy. 11
do purple & pinka. 11
Amoskeag, fancy. 10
Wausutta do. 10

Brown Domestic.
Indian Head, 4-4. 14 1/2
Harrisburg, 4-4. 14 1/2
Tremont C. 4-4. 14 1/2
Bedford B. 14 1/2

Brown Drills.
Stark A. 14 1/2
Superior. 14 1/2

Black and Whites.
Lansdale 4-4. 14 1/2
Masonville 4-4. 14 1/2
Hope 4-4. 14 1/2
West Bank 4-4. 14 1/2
Green H. 14 1/2
Camel 14 1/2

Picks.
Amoskeag A. C. A. 14 1/2
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Algonquin 14 1/2

Hickory Stripes.
York 14 1/2
Heymaker 14 1/2
Pittsfield 14 1/2

Jeans and Kerseys.
Alpine 14 1/2
Longworth 14 1/2
Hillside 14 1/2
Beverly Twills 14 1/2

Sewing Cotton.
Costs 14 1/2
Green and Daniels 14 1/2
Blackstone 14 1/2

Lansey.
White Rock 14 1/2
Stillman, solid. 14 1/2
Oakland 14 1/2

Boots and Shoes.
Brogans, split 14 1/2
Men's Bull Brogans 14 1/2
do Brogans wax 14 1/2
Brogans, Boys 14 1/2
Men's Calf Boots 14 1/2
do Grain do 14 1/2
do Kip do 14 1/2
do Bull sewed 14 1/2

Crackers.
Butter and Soda 14 1/2
Sagar 14 1/2
Beans, Mexican, 14 1/2
Candles 16 lb. 14 1/2
do 14 lb. 14 1/2
do 12 lb. 14 1/2
do wax 14 1/2

Coffee.
Rio, ordinary to fair 31 1/2
Prime to Choice 33 1/2
Java 33 1/2

Candy.
Stick 31 1/2
Rock 31 1/2
Fancy 31 1/2

Chocolate.
Sweet 31 1/2
Vanilla 31 1/2

Fish.
Kit—Mackerel, No. 1 3 1/2
Cod, 1/2 box 2 1/2
do 1/2 do 2 1/2

Flour.
Choice 14 1/2
XXX 14 1/2
XX 14 1/2

Fruits.
Raisins, 1/2 box 4 1/2
do 1/2 do 4 1/2
Lemons, 1/2 do 4 1/2
Pears, 1/2 do 4 1/2
Apples, 1/2 do 4 1/2
Currants, 1/2 do 4 1/2
Oranges, 1/2 do 4 1/2
Almonds 3 1/2
Pecans, 1/2 bushel 3 1/2

Porter and Ale.
London Porter, 1/2 quarts 2 1/2
do 1/2 quarts 2 1/2
Brewer Beer 1/2 pints 2 1/2

Sugar.
Sugar, La. 1/2 14 1/2
do Crushed 14 1/2
do Powder 14 1/2

Miscellaneous.
Corn 14 1/2
Milk, condensed, Eagle 14 1/2
Molasses 14 1/2
Syrup 14 1/2
Maple 14 1/2
Brooms 14 1/2
Buckets 14 1/2
Tubs, Nest 14 1/2
Oil, Coal, 1/2 cask 14 1/2
do 1/2 cask 14 1/2
Hams, choice canned 14 1/2
Lard, 1/2 14 1/2
Butter, Golden, 1/2 14 1/2
Cheese, Western 14 1/2
do choice Cheddar 14 1/2
Potatoes, Northern 14 1/2
Onions, 1/2 bbl 14 1/2
Kraut, 1/2 bbl 14 1/2
Rice, 1/2 14 1/2
Salt, fine and coarse 14 1/2
Whiskey, rectified 14 1/2
Bitters, Hostetter's 14 1/2
do Boker's 14 1/2
Brandy, Cognac 14 1/2
do Peaches 14 1/2
Samp, Northern 14 1/2
Sardines, 1/2 box 14 1/2
Starck, 1/2 14 1/2

Spices.
Pepper 14 1/2
Cloves 14 1/2
Nutmeg 14 1/2

Tobacco.
Virginia 1/2 14 1/2
NAVY, 1/2 14 1/2
Smoking, 1/2 14 1/2
Sunny Side, gross 14 1/2

Tea.
Imperial, 1/2 14 1/2
Young Hyson, 1/2 14 1/2
Oolong, 1/2 14 1/2

Wines.
Port, 1/2 gallon 14 1/2
Madeira, 1/2 gallon 14 1/2
Sherry, 1/2 14 1/2
Claret, 1/2 14 1/2
Vinegar, Cider, 1/2 gal. 14 1/2

Hardware.
Axes, 1/2 doz. 14 1/2
Hoes, 1/2 do steel 14 1/2
Iron, 1/2 14 1/2
Sawed, assorted, 1/2 14 1/2
Sheet Iron, 1/2 14 1/2
Castings, 1/2 14 1/2
Flow Iron, 1/2 14 1/2
do Steel, 1/2 14 1/2
Bar Lead, 1/2 14 1/2
Nails and Spikes 1/2 14 1/2
Coffee Mills 1/2 14 1/2
Ox Chains, 1/2 14 1/2
Grind stones 1/2 14 1/2
Iron Axes 1/2 14 1/2
Buggy Springs 1/2 14 1/2
Vices 1/2 14 1/2

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