

San Antonio Express

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 1, 1876 NO 286

TELEGRAPHIC.

Associated Press Telegrams

Home and Foreign.

DOMESTIC.

NOON DISPATCHES.

NEW ORLEANS RETURN BOARD

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the Democrats. The Republican

are watching closely the

directions of affairs in the

Republican House.

A Times' Columbia dispatch

says the admission of the five

Barren Hill Republicans

gives the Republicans in the

House 61 votes, a clear majority

even if 124 be declared a full house.

Alken county with 4 votes, and

Abbeville with 4 votes, are also

protested, and may be reported on

the same way.

Jefferson Davis was in Steubenville,

Ohio, last Sunday.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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FRIDAY MORNING Dec. 4th, 1876.

Some of the gaseous buildings have been sold at auction.

Another reach of scientific fact is recorded.

Over in the Colorado mountains a woman has discovered fifty bushels of grasshoppers.

The annual income of London charities is about \$12,000,000.

The editor of the Granada (Miss.) Sentinel has faith in personal journalism.

The evidence of the negro woman, Pinkiston, given before the New Orleans returning board.

A MARRIAGE paper says that a sad case of sudden insanity has recently occurred at Holyoke.

The independent press of the country is coming out upon the political situation.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of the Treasury.

THE NEXT CONGRESS.

As we have previously stated the next Congress of the United States will be equally divided between the two parties.

The canvassing board is undecided to-day as it was on the evening of the 7th.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The following is the chronological table of visitation, with the dates of the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the ensuing year.

MEXICO AND ITALY are set down in the list, but at those places there are no conferences.

NEVER TOO OLD.

One of our New York exchanges says that for several weeks past, there have been rumors to the effect that in the event of his election to the Presidency.

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KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Probably there is no complaint that affects the human system, which is so little understood at the present time, as much of the varied forms of Kidney Complaints.

There is no disease which causes such acute pain or more alarming in its results than when the kidneys fail to secrete from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous substances.

THE BEST MEDICINE.

EARL MANSFIELD, Aug. 29, 1870.

MR. STEVENS: Dear Sir—I am seventy-one years of age; have suffered many years with Kidney Complaint, weakness in my back and stomach.

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Polite and attentive Ladies and Gentlemen to wait on the Public.

THE LARGEST VARIETY OF

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Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, Sheetings, and every thing belonging to housekeepers.

Our goods will be marked in plain figures, and strictly the one price system will be unvaryingly observed.

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From the same Brewery, and superior to any imported article.

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COAL OIL LAMPS, HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS, PUMPS, ETC.

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I have just received a large new stock, which will be sold.

THE LOWEST PRICES.

All Goods Have Declined. Prices Lower Than Ever

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DAILY EXPRESS.

SHERMAN'S ANNUAL REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

A CONCISE ACCOUNT OF THE CHIEF MILITARY EVENTS OF THE WAR.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—Gen. Sherman, in his annual report to the Secretary of War, says: By the assignment of Maj. Gen. Schofield to the Superintendent of the Military Academy, that institution is made to equal that of a division command, and West Point should rightfully constitute a military department, so that its superintendent, as the commanding General of a department, may exercise all the powers and functions of such commander, especially to order General Courts, or disapprove their findings, and to execute all sentences not specially reserved by the articles of war to the President and Secretary of War. The Military Academy, in addition to its well-established character as a literary and scientific school, should form the model for an army, and the habits of youth trained therein should be in exact accordance with what experience has demonstrated to be necessary for the efficient government of an army in the field. Gen. Sherman says that the headway under Gen. Schofield's administration will take rank among the first educational establishments in the world.

THE AGGREGATE FORCE of the army now consists of 25,331 men, all of whom are actively employed as though war existed. By the subdivision of territory under the supervision of a general officer near at hand, with a part of the army proportioned to the supposed necessity to maintain order and peace, whereby the settlement of the country may progress, and civil officers be enabled to enforce the laws of the United States, on the Military Division of the Atlantic there are no hostile Indians, but troops have been actively employed aiding United States Marshals, in enforcing the revenue laws, and in protecting the weak against the prejudices of the strong. In the frequent cases of civil elections these duties call for

THE HIGHEST QUALITIES of firmness and prudence, and I assure the behavior of troops in every instance has commanded the respect of all men. The care and preservation of public property, and of seasonable forts, is a chief duty of the troops. The chief military events of the year have transpired in the Military Division of the Missouri, where a state of actual war has existed for many years, and still continues. I am not yet in possession of Gen. Sheridan's report, but in anticipation of its receipt, will endeavor to give a concise account of some of the chief events as gathered from reports and letters received during their progress. In the Department of the Gulf, the troops under Gen. Angur have been

SHIPPED FROM PLACE TO PLACE, in aid of the civil authorities, under the same state of facts as in the Department of the South, with similar results, and have always used their power with consummate discretion and sound judgment. On the Texas frontier—especially the Mexican border—has long existed an unsatisfactory condition of affairs. Civil war has existed in the border Mexican States, and each faction has at times sought an Asylum on this side of the Rio Grande; but, from Gen. Ord's letters and reports, there seems to be an organized system of robbers by small bands of Mexicans and Indians, who cross to the Texas side, commit murder, steal horses, cattle, etc., and escape back with their stolen property to the other side, where they are

COMPATIVELY SAFE FROM PUNISHMENT and pursuit from our troops, who rarely bear of the raid until it is too late to intercept it. I believe no one supposes the authorities of the National Government of Mexico can be privy to this nefarious business, and it is probably carried on in spite of the better people on both sides of the border. There are now in Texas two regiments of cavalry—the 8th and 10th—which will be filled up as rapidly as possible to the maximum standard; also three regiments of infantry—the 10th, 24th and 29th—which are necessarily very small under the existing laws. Still I hope, with increased activity, these troops will suffice to

PROTECT THE BORDER from incursions which discourage settlement, and are otherwise very irritating and demoralizing. In the Department of Missouri the Indians of New Mexico have been remarkably good, and the Kiowas, Comanches, Cheyennes and Arapahoes, located on the reservation at and near Fort Sill, have been exceptionally quiet, this summer, though requiring, for reasonable security to the Kansas frontier, pretty strong garrisons at Fort Sill, Elliot, Dodge and Supply, and small garrisons along the Arkansas River and Kansas Pacific Railroad.

THE WAR WITH THE SIOUX. The chief events to which Gen. Sherman refers are those relating to the war with the Sioux; and after giving a detailed history concern-

ing late expeditions against them, and the death of Gen. Custer with his command, etc., Gen. Sherman says: Col. Hazen, of the 6th Infantry, commanding Fort Buford, has started up the Missouri River for Fort Peck, with four companies of his regiment (6th Infantry), to head off Sitting Bull, who is reported by the surrendered chiefs to have allped out with thirty lodges of his own special followers during the retreat down Bad Route Creek, and to have resumed his course for Fort Peck or the British possessions. Col. Miller reports his purpose to replenish his supplies, and to turn north and follow

THIS LAST DESPERATE BAND to the death. Gen. Crook reorganized a new column at Fort Fetterman, which he left on the 27th of October for another early winter campaign against that faction of the hostile Sioux under Crazy Horse. Gen. Sheridan, in his last dispatch on this subject, uses this language, which I cordially endorse: "If successful, of which I do not doubt, the Sioux war and all other Indian wars in this country of any magnitude will be over forever." The arrangements made for hemming in and capturing the remainder of the hostile Sioux during the winter must result in comparative or complete success. Meantime no change can be attempted this year at the Agencies, but I trust next year all the Sioux nation will be compelled to remove to the Missouri River, near Fort Randall, where they can be guarded and fed at one half the present cost, and where, if there be any chance to civilize them, the opportunity will be far better than in their present scattered Agencies.

Henry Islop McIvar, a native of Edinburgh, is a leader in the Serbian army. He has fought on four continents in twenty years, and almost always on the side of the smallest numbers. He gained a medal in the Indian mutiny, fought under Garibaldi in 1850, under Lee in 1861, for the Mexicans after the rebellion, with a little Indian skirmishing in Texas. He was in the Cretan rebellion, served in Greece against the brigands, was in the patriot army in Cuba, for a while, and then had a cavalry command in France under Faidherbe against the Germans, turned up in Paris as a Communist, went to Herzegovina as a correspondent for a London paper, and is now a leader of Serbian irregulars.

On Monday last a young black bear was seen from the farm-house of Mr. J. Dillard, about one mile northwest of the Fort House. He was first taken for a dog, but, raising himself on his hind legs and staring around, his true identity was discovered. It is said that within the past two weeks six or eight bears have been seen in the Little Leigh Gap, in the Blue Mountains. *Eastern Free Press.*

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D. Y. FORTIS, D. C. ROBINSON, FORTIS & ROBINSON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. Office—Over John Eckford's, No. 19 Main Street. *1 apr 1*

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