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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 17, 1879. VOL. 13--4.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NEWS.

Interesting Report of Congressional Proceedings from Washington.

Washington, December 16.—The finance committee reported to the house this morning a bill for the relief of the estate of the late John A. ...

LATEST NEWS BY CABLE.

England Appears to have her Hands Full in Subduing the Festive Afghans.

London, December 16.—The British government has issued a statement regarding the progress of the military operations in Afghanistan. It is stated that the British forces are making steady progress and are expected to subdue the Afghans in the near future.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Report of the Committee on the State of the Union.

Washington, December 16.—The house of representatives met this morning for the regular session. The speaker, Mr. Schuchert, presided over the proceedings. The first order of business was the reading of the report of the committee on the state of the union.

THE SITUATION IN MAINE.

Democrats Counted on in Technicalities and Informalities—Great Excitement among Republicans—A Poor Work That Won't Keep Both Ways.

Portland, December 16.—The political situation in Maine is becoming increasingly tense. The democrats are counting on technicalities and informalities to secure their victory, while the republicans are expressing great excitement and concern over the prospects of the election.

TELEGRAPHIC REVIEWS.

San Antonio, December 16.

San Antonio, December 16.—The city is in a state of excitement over the news of the military operations in Afghanistan. Many citizens are expressing their confidence in the British forces and their belief that the Afghans will be subduced in the near future.

ASSIGNMENT OF MINISTERS.

Washington, December 16.

Washington, December 16.—The assignment of ministers to various foreign countries has been completed. The following are the names of the ministers who have been appointed: Mr. Schuchert to Mexico, Mr. ...

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The attention of General... is called to the fact that the military strength of the state is being reduced...

A story is now going the round that the night before Thanksgiving an old couple in Newbury, Massachusetts, were visited by a stranger...

The grand jury of Yano county has refused to find a true bill against James Barksdale for the shooting of Henry M. Dixon...

Mr. Cullerton, on the 15th inst., introduced a bill in congress providing for the construction of a railroad from the city to...

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