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A Report Denied.

FORT WAYNE, May 13.—The report that a large mob left Decatur, Ind., for Fort Wayne last night, with the avowed purpose of lynching Richards, confined in jail in this city for the murder of Amos Brockest, is groundless.

For refrigerators and water coolers cheap go to the Fort Worth China Company.

The Two-Thirds Rule—State Offices.

AUSTIN, May 10, 1881.

To the Editor of the Gazette.

As an occasional reader of THE GAZETTE I have derived great pleasure, and have doubtless been greatly benefited in reading its able discussions of the many questions agitating the public mind. I regret to differ with THE GAZETTE in anything, for the reason that its progressive course, its straightforward fight for what it believes to be right and for the best interests of the Democratic party, has won my sincere admiration. I do believe, however, that its relentless war upon the two-thirds rule, that time-honored custom of the Democratic party, is wrong.

I believe, sir, that it is better to "bear the ills we have than fly to others we know not of." I believe that no man should be put forward as the candidate of his party unless able to command two-thirds of the votes of the delegates of the people in convention assembled. A man to command this strength in any political body must necessarily be a very strong man in his party, and possess those qualities in a marked degree which fit him for the position in question.

It is true the rule sometimes defeats the real wish of the people, as was the case when Gov. Throckmorton and Gov. Hubbard were aspirants for the executive chair. The disappointment in this instance gave the people of Texas the "Old Alcalde," and there is no man in all Texas to-day who will rise up and say that the "Old Alcalde's" administration was a failure, nor is there a public man to-day who has a warmer place in the hearts of the great body of the people than the man who succeeded as "the dark horse" in that memorable campaign. This is but one instance of the happy results that have followed the workings of this rule. There are many others that might be mentioned. Under its operation any respectable minority may have its objections considered, whereas under the workings of the majority rule a mere majority of one may override reason and judgment and work against the best interests of the party. Any measure or any policy to be carried out under this rule (two-thirds), must be a measure or policy that meets with nearly the unanimous approval of the people; and any man put forward as a candidate by a party working under the two-thirds rule knows and feels that he is almost unanimously indorsed by the people. It prevents rash action, and inasmuch as it has operated beneficially to the party in the past, why throw it aside and adopt a rule that offers such splendid inducements for splits, dissensions and party strife?

Political wire-pulling has begun in earnest here at the capital. All the agencies incident to a political campaign are being put into active operation. As yet, the daily announcements that a great scheme to gobble up the public domain has been discovered, have not been made. They will doubtless be furnished the reading public later on, when the old pot begins to boil in dead earnest. The prevailing opinion here is that Gov. Ireland, Comptroller Swain and Gov. Lubbock will again be presented with the portfolios of their respective departments. Some doubt exists in the minds of many as to Col. Templeton's outcome. It should not be the case. He has made a faithful and efficient officer, and it is but right that he be given another term. There is no doubt but that the friends of Mr. Walsh, the commissioner of the general land office, are getting uneasy at the unusual strength developed by Hon. I. A. Patton of Johnson county, their apparent indifference and unconcern to the contrary notwithstanding. The opinion is fast gaining ground, even in the stronghold here, that a change ought to and will be made at Houston in August next.

Rotation in office is said to be a rule of the Democratic party, and life leases in public offices in direct conflict with the principles of that party. This ought to be the rule, at any rate. Frequent changes have a tendency to break up and destroy organized purposes to defraud the public, and lessen the chances for fraud and corruption to creep in. This truth is fully exemplified by merely referring to our national government, and the frauds that have crept in under the long lease given officers in the various executive departments.

The writer has known Mr. Patton a long time and believes that no better, purer or worthier man can be found for commissioner of the general land office. Mr. Patton, when yet a boy, enlisted in the Confederate army, and served throughout the war as a lieutenant of his company. A quiet, unassuming citizen, well versed in the land system of the state, North Texas would reflect credit upon herself and the people of the state by the election of Mr. Patton to that important office. Mr. Patton has many friends in West Texas, and they will heartily join hands with the great North and Northwest in promoting him to that responsible position.

Hoping THE GAZETTE may long live and prosper, and continue its earnest fight for right in all things, begging pardon for claiming so much of your valuable space and time. S. P.

WICHITA FALLS.

Yesterday's Receipts of Cattle—More Coming.

Special to the Gazette.

WICHITA FALLS, May 13.—The following cattle arrived yesterday and today: For A. M. Kinney, 14 car loads; for M. Kennedy, 88 car loads; for the Texas Land & Cattle company, 34 car loads; for A. H. & J. E. Pierce, 29 car loads; L. B. & C. R. Smith, 30 car loads; for Lytle & McDaniels, 16 car loads; for W. A. Withers, 62 car loads; in all about 9,000 head. Several other trains are on the road, and will be in to-night.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

MONEY.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Money lending 4@5, closed 3@5; prime mercantile paper 4@5½; sterling exchange B B barely steady at 4 87; sight 4 89.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

NEW YORK, May. 13.—Closed at the following prices bid:

Three per cents	100½
United States four and one-halfs	112¾
United states new fours	122½

BONDS.

Pacific 6s, 1895	129
Central Pacific 1's	112
Erie 2's	66
Lehigh & Wilkesbarre offered	104
Louisiana consols	76½
Missouri 6s	109
St. Joe	116
St. P. & S. C., Firsts	41
Tennessee 6s, old	40
" new	42
Texas & Pacific land grants	60
T & P Rio Grande	114
Union Pacific, firsts	108
" " land grants	109
" " sinking fund, asked	104
Virginia 6s	40
" consols ex. mat. coupons	39½
" deferred	6½

STOCKS.

Adams Express	61¾
Allegheny Central	12
Alton & Terre Haute, asked	38
" " pfd, asked	88
American Express	95
B. C. R. & N	53
Canada Pacific	44½
Canada Southern	40
Central Pacific	41¾
" " preferred	
Chesapeake & Ohio	9½
" " pfd firsts	10½
" " seconds	12½
Chicago & Alton	132
" " pfd	145
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	118
C. St. L. & N. O	84
" " pfd'd	
C., St. L. & Pitts	9½
" " pfd	20
C. S. & C	41½
Cleveland & Columbus	40
Delaware & Hudson	103
Delaware, Lackawanna & West	112¾
Denver & Rio Grande	11
Erie	18½
" preferred	33
East Tennessee	5½
" " pfd	9¾
Fort Wayne	129½
Hannibal & St. Joe	48½
Hannibal & St. Joe preferred, asked	86½
Harlem	196
Houston & Texas Central asked	35
Illinois Central	124½
Indianapolis, B. & Western	15½
Kansas & Texas	14½
Lake Erie & Western	19
Lake Shore	92½
Louisville & Nashville	49½
L. & N. A	15
Marietta & Cincinnati first pfd	10
" " 2d	5
Memphis & Charleston	33
Michigan Central	78
Minneapolis & St. Louis	10½
" pfd	20
Missouri Pacific	78
Mobile & Ohio	10
Morris & Essex, off'd	125
Nashville & Chattanooga	45
New Jersey Central	77¼
Norfolk & Western preferred	25
Northern Pacific	24¼
" " pfd	31¾
Northwest	
Chicago & N. W	107
do " pfd	134½
New York Central	111¼
Ohio Central	2
Ohio & Mississippi	17¾
" " pfd	45
Ontario & Western	9½
Oregon Navigation	75
Oregon Transcontinental	16
Oregon Improvement	19
Pacific Mail	43¼
Panama	92
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	13½
Pittsburg	138
Pullman	105¾
Reading	31½
Rock Island	119
St. Louis & San Francisco	4¾
" " pfd	82
" " first pfd.	
C. M. & St. P	76¾
" " pfd asked	111
St. Paul M & M	85½
St. Paul & Omaha	29
" " pfd	91
Texas & Pacific	13¾
Union Pacific	49¾
United States Express	53
Wabash, St. Louis & Pac	6½
" pfd	13
Wells-Fargo express	100
Western Union	99½
Home Stake	8
Iron Silver	100
Ontario	asked 27
Quicksilver	3
" pfd	25
Southern Pacific	
Sutro	

St. Louis.

Special to the Gazette.

ST. LOUIS, May 13.—WHEAT—Advances and declines followed each other in quick succession during the forenoon. At noon there was a boom, and values moved up rapidly. Following this came an unsettled market, with prices fluctuating within a small range until late. They then declined and at close were weak, though 1-2 better than yesterday.

Corn, from the opening to the afternoon call, was active, and prices advanced some. Nearing the close prices eased off, on account of more unfavorable advices, but at the close were fully ¾ above yesterday's latest reports.

Provisions were dull, and orders were not very large. Pork 17 22.

The cattle market was active and prices firm. Sales were at 4 70@5 50; Texans 5 40@5 55.

Receipts of sheep fair, and market active and prices firm. C. Williams of Abilene had 412 spring-clipped Texas of 91 pounds average and obtained 4 87 1-2; cost of transporting, 79 cents per head. Other sales were made at 4 50@5 00.

PRODUCE.

ST. LOUIS, May 13.—FLOUR—Unchanged.

WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 13 1-2 cash; 1 06⅝@1 09⅞ June; 90⅞@90⅞ July; 90⅞@91⅞ year; closing at inside figures.

CORN—52½@54⅛ cash; 51½@51⅝ June; 53⅛@53⅝ July; 54¼@54½ August; closing at inside prices.

OATS—32 1-8@32 1-8 cash; 32¾ May; 33⅛@33⅜ June; 31 1-2 July.

PROVISIONS.

WHISKY—1 11.

CORNMEAL—2 85.

PORK—17.

LARD—Nominal.

BULK MEAT—Long clear 8 30@8 40; short rib 8 90@8 45; short clear 8 65@8 75.

BACON—Long clear 9 10@9 12½; short ribs 9 18@9 18¾; short clear 9 37½@9 45. Mostly at inside prices.

LIVE STOCK.

CATTLE—Receipts 1,300; exports 6 40@6 75; good to choice 5 90@6 40; common to medium 5 40@5 10; grass Texans 4 00@4 75.

HOGS—Receipts 6,900; 5 40@5 95.

SHEEP—Receipts 800; good clipped shipping grades 4 00@5 75; Texans 3 00@4 50; wooled not wanted.

Kansas City.

Special to the Gazette.

KANSAS CITY, May 13.—The feeling in provisions was a little firmer, there being some orders in. Quotations are not materially altered, and may be called unchanged. Cattle offerings are moderate. The market was fairly active and ten cents higher. Sales at 4 50@6 00. Sheep steady, wheat strong and corn higher.

KANSAS CITY, May 13.—WHEAT—Steady at 81¼ cash; 80 bid June; No. 2 soft 1 00 bid.

CORN—45¼ cash; 47¼ asked June.

OATS—Stronger, 31½.

LIVE STOCK.

The Live Stock Indicator reports:

CATTLE—Receipts 2,200; native steers, of 1,033 to 1,647 pounds average 5 50@6 20; others unchanged.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000; 10 lower; 199 to 134 lbs. 5 20@5 85, mainly 5 25@5 40.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,000; natives, clipped, 80 lbs. average 4 75.

Chicago.

Special to the Gazette.

CHICAGO, May 13.—There was a lively tussle for supremacy between the bulls and bears, which culminated in a victory for the latter. The grain market was only moderately active, and the bulk of the business was done in corn.

Wheat is not so badly neglected as a few days past, but corn has still the preference. June wheat opened at 89 1-8 and after running up to 90 3-4 closed at 89 1-4.

June corn opened at 57 and after several advances closed at 55 1-2.

Provisions were dull and prices went up a little on everything. Packers have it in their own hands and nobody is disputing their title to it. Speculators are out of the provision market.

June pork opened at 17 50 and closed at 17 50.

Cattle receipts 5,300 and active; had full sway and prices 5 cents higher; sales at 5 and 6 50.

Sheep in good demand at 4 to 7.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, May 13.—FLOUR—Dull and unchanged.

WHEAT—Opened strong and higher, advanced 2¼ over yesterday closing, then declined, but closed one higher than yesterday. May, 88⅝@89⅞, closed 88; June, 89⅞@90⅞, closed 89¾; July, 90⅞@92¼, closed 91⅞.

CORN—Opened higher, advanced, then declined, but closed 3-4 higher than yesterday. Cash 55 3-8@56 3-8, closed 55 3-8@56; May, 56 7-8@56 3-8, closed 56; June 56 1-2@57 1-2, closed 57; July 58¼@58⅝, closed 58⅝.

OATS—Firm and higher; May 32@32¼; June 33¼@33¾; July 33⅛@33⅝.

PROVISIONS.

PORK—Cash 17 35@17 40; June 17 30@17 47½; July 17 20@17 62½.

LARD—Cash 8 32@8 40; May 8 35@8 37½; June 8 42½@8 45; July 8 50@8 55.

BULK MEATS—Shoulders 6 50; short rib 8 80; short clear 8 80.

LIVE STOCK.

Report of Drovers' Journal:

HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; ranging 5 40@6 15.

CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; export grades 6 40@6 75; good to choice shipping 6 00@6 40; common to medium 5 50@6 00; grass Texans 4 25@5 00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; inferior to fair 4 25@5 10; medium to good 5 75@6 25; choice to extra 6 50@7 00.

NEW YORK.

LIVE STOCK.

NEW YORK, May 13.—BEEVES—Receipts 610, mainly to city trade direct to slaughterers. Small number changed hands at about yesterday's prices. City slaughtered, beef sides sold slowly 8@10.

SHEEP—Receipts 800, firm, steady. Ordinary to prime clipped sheep 6¼@7¾; clipped yearlings 7½@7¾; spring lambs 8¼@8 10.

PRODUCE.

FLOUR—Quiet.

WHEAT—Spot lots shade stronger. Options unsettled; opened ⅛ to ¼ lower, later recovered decline and advanced ⅝ to 1¼ on delivery after June, closing weaker; ungraded red 75@1 08; No. 3 red 1 01½; No. 2 red 1 04½@1 05.

CORN—Spot lots 1-2 to 1 higher; options opened 3-4 to 1⅛ better but later fell back 1-2 to 3-4, closing weak; No. 3 61¼; steamer 62¾; No 2 63¼@63.

COFFEE—Spot, fair; Rio steady; options more active, advanced 10 to 15 points, owing to higher prices in Havre and some demand here to cover; shorts close however, barely steady.

Sales, 4,000 bags.

Rio No. 7.—

May	8 85
June	8 75@8 85
July	8 85@8 90
August	8 80@8 90

SUGAR—quick, barely steady; Jamaica 5⅞; Cuba Muscovado 3¾; Centrifugal 6 3-16; refined quiet and unchanged.

MOLASSES—Quiet but steady.

TALLOW—dull and weak, 6¾.

ROSIN—Quiet, barely steady.

TURPENTINE—Dull, 32¼@33.

BEEF—Quiet and unchanged.

CUT MEATS—Dull and nominal.

LARD—Weak; Western steam, spot, 8 58@8 65.

COTTON MARKETS.

COTTON RECEIPTS AT ALL UNITED STATES PORTS.

Ports.	This day	This week	This season	Last season.
Galveston	8	109	556,637	802,613
N. O.	425	1,942	1,301,011	1,095,847
Mobile	25	346	251,337	307,371
Savannah	55	97	648,000	795,941
Charleston	114	147	432,528	502,698
Wilmington	1	29	91,60	127,823
Norfolk	77	468	378,296	767,690
Baltimore	.....	344	52,010	72,333
New York	135	296	114,548	148,996
Boston	411	779	174,132	172,866
Philadelphia	43	1,232	47,751	83,030
Other ports	.....	.....	263,291	274,034
Total	1,711	5,723	4,730,572	5,721,750
Last year	7,414	19,395	5,721,750	.....
Difference	5,703	13,672	991,378	.....

Exports this week to Great Britain	2,237
France	200
Continent	681
Total	3,118
Stock at all U. S. ports this day	589,848
This day last year	568,441

Galveston.

GALVESTON, May 13.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet.

Sales 86.

Receipts to-day 8 bales.

Exports —.

Coastwise —.

Stock 5,802.

	Yesterday	To-day.
Ordinary	9¼	
Good Ordinary	10½	
Low Middling	11⅜	
Middling	11¾	
Good Middling	11¾	
Middling Fair	11 15-16	

Futures closed dull.

Sales, 1,100 bales.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
May	11 60@11 54	11 48 bid
June	11 58@11 61	11 55@11 58
July	11 75@11 78	11 71@11 73
August	11 78@11 75	11 70@11 71
September	11 25@11 21	11 16@11 17
October	10 78@10 81	10 74@10 76
November	10 62@	10 60 ask'd
December	10 60 ask'd	10 60 ask'd

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 13. — COTTON — Spot closed steady; quotations unchanged.

Sales, 2,500.

	Saturday.	To-day.
Low Ordinary	8⅝	
Ordinary		
Good Ordinary	10⅝	
Low Middling	11⅛	
Middling	11⅝	
Good Middling	11¾	
Middling Fair	12	
Fair	12⅝	

Futures closed quiet but steady.

Sales, 12,800.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
May	11 53@11 58	11 51@11 53
June	11 60@11 67	11 60@11 61
July	11 81@11 82	11 74@11 75
August	11 85@11 86	11 79@11 80
September	11 41@11 42	11 35@11 36
October	10 82@10 83	10 78@10 79
November	10 6 @10 64	10 59@10 60
December	—@—	10 59@10 60
January	10 72@10 74	10 69@10 70
February	10 83@10 84	10 79@10 80
March	10 93@10 96	—@—

New York.

NEW YORK, May 13. — COTTON — Spot closed quiet.

Sales, 52.

Quotations unchanged.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
Ordinary	9¾	9 13-16
Good ordinary	11	10 15-16
Low middling	11⅝	11 9-16
Middling	12	11 15-16
Good middling	12¼	12 3-16
Middling Fair	12⅞	12 13-16
Fair		13 9-16

Futures closed dull.

Sales, 28,000.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
May	11 08@11 10	11 03@11 06
June	11 79@	11 73@
July	11 89@11 90	11 83@11 84
August	11 98@11 99	11 92@11 93
September	11 66@11 68	11 61@11 62
October	11 13@11 14	11 08@
November	10 93@10 95	10 90@10 91
December	10 94@10 95	10 90@10 91
January	11 12@11 04	10 97@
February	11 12@11 14	11 07@11 09

Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, May 13.—COTTON—Spot closed steady. Quotations unchanged.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
Ordinary	5 7-16	5 9-16
Good ordinary	5 11-16	5 13-16
Low middling	5 15-16	6 1-16
Middling uplands	6⅝	6¾
Middling Orleans	6¾	6⅞

Sales 10,000. American 7,000.

Exports for speculation 2,000

Imports 1,000, American 3,000.

Futures closed quiet.

	Yesterday.	To-day.
May	6 16 bid	6 15 ask
May-June	6 16 bid	6 15 ask
June-July	6 19 ask	6 18 ask
July-August	6 24 ask	6 22 bid
August-September	6 28 ask	6 27 ask
September-October	6 24 ask	6 23
October-November	—	6 12 ask
November-December	6 08 bid	6 08 ask
September	6 33	6 28

LOCAL MARKETS.

Staple Dry Goods.

PRINTS

Standard prints, novelties	5 c
Hamilton fancy	6
Allen's fancy	6
Steel River fancy	6
Bolton fancy	5½
Marion fancy	5½
Knickerbocker fancy	6
Dunkirk fancy	4
Simpson solid black	6
Imperial solid black	5½
Albion solid black	5½
Berlin solid colors	5½
Albion solid colors	6
Allens double pink	6
Richmonds double pink	6½
Barclay double purple	6
Apron and bonnet checks	6
Indigo fancy blues	8
Furniture styles	6
Utica shirtings	5
Waverly shirtings	5½
Merrimac shirtings	5½
Washington solid colors oil print	11
Star and crescent turkey red print	8½
Globe turkey red print	7½
Washington fancy oil prints	8½
Devon cretones	6½
Steel river sateens	6½

HEAVY BROWN SHEETINGS.

Ostrich 36 inches	3½
Pioneer 36 inches	4½
Utica 36 inches	5
Enterprise 36 inches	6
Martin-Brown standard A 36 inches	7
North river standard A 36 inches	7½
Pride South standard A 36 inches	7½

FINE BROWN SHEETING.

Dragon ⅞	4½
Belfast 11	5½
Belfast R	6½
Pocahontas R	7½
Honest width	7½

WIDE BROWN SHEETING.

10-4 Lowell	20½
10-4 Pembroke	22½
9-4 Pembroke	20½

WIDE BLEACHED SHEETING.

10-4 Lowell	22½
9-4 Pembroke	23
10-4 Pembroke	26

BLEACHED COTTON.

Security ⅞	5½
Our own ⅞	5½
Prosperity 36 inches	6½
Laurel lake 36 inches	7½
Full bloom 36 inches	7½
Full bloom 33 inches	6½
Lonsdale 36 inches	9

CAMBRIC MUSLINS.

Lonsdale cambric	11½
Diamond hill	8½

DUCKS.

Gloucester 29 inches 8 oz	11
West Point 29 inches 10 oz	13
Magnolia 40 inches	17½

COLORED DUCKS.

Montaup D	8
Montaup F	10
Patuxent 8 oz	12½
Montaup 10 oz	15

TICK.

Amoskeag A, C. A	15
Cordis A, C. F	15
Hamilton fancy	12½
Standard Z	8½
Ocean	6½

HICKORY STRIPES.

Mechanics	7½
Jewett	8
Otis B B	9½

CHECKS.

Otis 2x4	10
Economy 2x2	10½

Groceries.

MEATS—Sugar cured hams, 14½c; S.C.C.R. Bacon, 13c; LS