

ABOUT TOWN.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

The Steamship Clinton sailed from Brazos at 6 o'clock last evening.

Alfred Thornham, special deputy collector of customs, is up the river on business.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

The custom house and post-office were closed today on account of Washington's birthday.

A marriage license was issued today by County Clerk Webb to Juan Martinez and Maria Mediha.

A decided change in the weather will take place within the next 36 hours, so a number of prophets tell us.

The flags on all public buildings in Matamoros were displayed today in honor of Washington's birthday.

This is Washington birthday. Celebrate it by taking a policy in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. Mackay will give you rates.

"There is a woman at the beginning of all great things." Induce your husband to take a policy in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

This is Arbor day. Plant a tree that will bear fruit, and be a comfort in your declining years. That tree is a policy in The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. See Mackay.

All kinds of costumes, both for ladies and gentlemen for rent at Rousset's barber-shop. These costumes are new and of the latest make. Masks of all kinds can also be found at the same place.

The highest mountain in the world is Kunchainunga 28,178 feet. The largest insurance company in the world is The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. Assets one hundred and ninety millions Mackay will give you full information.

Although the snow lay on the ground for three days last week, and the roads were necessarily very heavy for several days thereafter, the Alice mail was but once delayed more than a few hours. This was on the first day after the snow, when the drifts lay three feet deep on the greater part of the road. The mail was about ten hours late on this day, but during the remainder of the time it was delayed a few hours if any. The excellent service which Mr. Beynon's Alice and Brownsville stage-line is giving our people is a source of great satisfaction to them.

PURELY PERSONAL.

P. S. Champion is in the city from Santa Maria.

Thos. Beynon left on the Alice stage this morning.

Jas. H. Edwards, Esq., of Rio Grande City, after spending a few days here on business and pleasure, left for home this morning.

THE PAST guarantees the future. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story. Remember HOOD'S CURES

DISTRICT COURT.

The court took up the criminal docket yesterday afternoon and tried the following cases:

Juan Pena, for theft under \$20 transferred to the county court;

Antonio Garza, theft of a horse, five years;

Francisco Porras, theft of a horse, five years;

Justo Rodriguez, theft of a horse, five years;

Sebastian Cuevas, theft of a cow, two years.

The case Pedro Trevino, et al charged with robbery occupied the court today, and at a late hour this afternoon the jury was still out.

MINISTER GRAY'S REMAINS.

Pass Through El Paso en Route to Indiana for Interment.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 18.—The remains of Isaac P. Gray, late minister to Mexico, arrived this morning, accompanied by Col. Bayard Gray and Mrs. Gray. The military and Federal officials of Mexico and the United States at Juarez and this city, turned out in respect to the deceased diplomat, and flags are at half mast in both cities. The remains were taken East over the Santa Fe. The interment is to occur at Union City, Ind.

THREE HORSES STOLEN.

Reward for Capture of Thieves and Return of Stolen Stock.

Stolen, on the morning of Feb. 14, from Realitos.

One sorrel draft horse, 1200 pounds, white legs and face, branded 8 on hip, and shod all round;

One black horse, 800 pounds, unshod, star and gray hairs on face, brand A;

One sorrel horse, saddlegalled, fore feet shod, brand obscure. All are harness marked.

Mr. Lewis of Realitos will pay a reward for apprehension of thieves.

W. A. Walls of Laredo will pay for return of horses.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. 25c. a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1889.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

Send for Testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold Druggists, 75c.

RAINIEST SPOT ON EARTH.

New York Malt and Express.

"Speaking of heavy rain-falls," said a weather crank on Wednesday night, as he came dripping into a basement restaurant where a very bad dinner may be had, with equally bad wine, for a very low price, "there is a place out in India called Cherrapongee which has held the rainfall record ever since there has been a rainfall record, and it holds it so tight that no other spot on the face of the earth has a ghost of a show to loosen it. Here in New York we've had a fall of over five inches in the past thirty-six hours, and the afternoon papers say that that breaks the local record, but that of course, is only a little little spurt on Farmer Dunn's part, and he can not keep it up. The average annual rainfall in New York is somewhere under thirty inches, and out in Cherrapongee it is over 610 inches a year. The nearest approach to that fearful splash is at Singapore, where they get about 190 inches per year, and there is a place in Honduras where the yearly fall is about 100 inches. Cherrapongee is on the Cossipa hills overlooking the Bay of Bengal, and the stockholders in the Cherrapongee umbrella company are among the richest natives in that neighborhood."

A BUSINESS-MAKING BOOK.

Every business man ought to read "Dollars and Sense" a money-making book by Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., the leading expert on business and advertising. 18 chapters, illustrated with 100 plates presenting every style of effective advertisements, with examples of reading notices, circulars and headlines. It tells the plain truth about advertising and exposes ineffective methods. Any reader of THE BROWNSVILLE DAILY HERALD who will send check, postal note, or postage stamps to the value of twenty-five cents to The Trade Company, Boston, Mass., will receive the book by prepaid mail.

CATARRH CAN NOT BE CURED

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c.

THE PAINS OF RHEUMATISM

According to the best authorities, originate in a morbid condition of the blood. Lactic acid, caused by the decomposition of the gelatinous and albuminous tissues, circulates with the blood and attacks the fibrous tissues, particularly in the joints, and thus causes the local manifestations of the disease. The back and shoulders are the parts usually affected by rheumatism, and the joints at the knees, ankles, hips and wrists are also sometimes attacked. Thousands of people have found in Hood's Sarsaparilla a positive and permanent cure for rheumatism. It has had remarkable success in curing the most severe cases. The secret of its success lies in the fact that it attacks at once the cause of the disease by neutralizing the lactic acid and purifying the blood, as well as strengthening every function of the body.

FOR RENT

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KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs. Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative: effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers, and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance. Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

NOTICE.

On and after February 15th and until SOLD OUT I will sell for cash only the stock of

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Best qualities of DERBYS and many other styles of

- HATS, SHIRTS, ALPACA COATS AND VESTS, And Footwear of the best material and workmanship, consisting of LADIES, MISSES, MEN'S AND BOYS' LACED AND BUTTONED SHOES, CONGRESS GAITERS, BLUCHERS TAN-COLORED LACED SHOES, ETC., E C.

Lately belonging to L. N. Petilpain, deceased. These goods were formerly stored and on sale with L. A. Rousset. I will sell the above and a large quantity of other First Class Goods at

33 1-3 to 50 Per Cent. Discount

according to the condition of the Goods. Having bought and marked the entire stock at much less than it can be bought from the manufacturers.

S. L. DWORMAN, with BLOOMBERG & RAPHAEL

Photographic.

Mr. Charles Waltgenback, having returned from an extended tour through the Southwest Texas counties, begs leave to inform the public of Brownsville that he will make PHOTOS of LATEST IMPROVED STYLES for the next two months, in connection with Mr. R. H. Wallis at his old photo parlors on Washington street, near the U. S. Garrison opposite the residence of Mr. Francisco Yturria.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE

IS THE BEST FIT FOR A KING. S. S. COROVAN, FRENCH MANUFACTURED. \$4.50 FINE GOLF & WALKING. \$3.50 POLICE SHOES. \$2.50 \$2. WORKINGMEN'S EXTRA FINE. \$2.15 BOYS SCHOOL SHOES. LADIES \$3.50 \$2.50. BEST BONGOLA. SEND FOR CATALOGUE W. L. DOUGLAS, BOSTON, MASS.

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Office of THE PIONEER PRESS COMPANY, C. W. Hornick, Supt. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 1894.

Eureka Chemical and Mfg Co., La Crosse, Wis.: Dear Sir—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being, at least. I tried the so-called "Keeley Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured; I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it. Yours very truly, C. W. Hornick.

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These instruments are liable to have been on sale already at other places and may have been in the houses of several people and rejected. You can easily ascertain whether the instrument offered for sale belonged to the consigned class or not, by simply offering to purchase it, on easy payments, WITHOUT SIGNING NOTES. Consignment Agents when selling in-

Consigned Pianos

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