Corpus Christi Caller

May 18, 1884

Dawson, saddler, has closed up shop and is now with Capt. King.

Rancheros greatly relieved by late rain for the cattle were suffering severely.

Dr. A. E. Spohn & wife left for Laredo on Thursday's train for a brief trip.

Mrs. E. M. Murphy has been visiting Saltillo for several weeks & returned on Friday's train.

D. C. Rachal arrived in town Thursday and reported heavy rain at Sharpsburg the previous day.

E. E. Wilson & Wife, Mrs. Doddridge & Misses Mary Fullerton and Zara Moses are visiting Laureles Ranch.

<u>Capt. R. King of Santa Gertrudes, spent the week in the city attending to</u> <u>business in the District Court. Tuesday night Stuttz silver cornet band gave</u> <u>the Captain a serenade at the St. James hotel. The band was out in full</u> <u>uniform to do honor to the occasion.</u>

Among those visiting the bluff city last week were Wm. Chamberlain of Brownsville; Hon. N. G. Collins, Chas. Hoffman and W. L. Franks, of San Diego.

A change has been made in the law firm of Lackey, Stayton & Kleberg. The firm is now Stayton & Kleberg. See change in card.

Sunday, May 18, 1884

<u>Stuttz dramatic Co. "The Silver King", "Ten Nights in a Barroom,"</u> <u>"Camille."</u>

The suit between Capt. R. King and N. G. Collins to try title to a piece ofland in Duval County of about two leagues, which occupied the District courtall last week, resulted in a verdict for Mr. Collins. The case is still before thecourt, and will no doubt go to Supreme Court.

June 22, 1884

Capt. R. King & wife, and Richard King, Jr., and wife were among the visitors to the city during the week.

R. J. Kleberg, Esq., was a passenger on Thursday train. He has been absent a couple of weeks on business at Austin.

April 27, 1884

R. J. Kleberg returned Friday from a business trip to San Patricio & Laredo.

Hon. N. G. Collins was in the city during the week on business. The Caller acknowledges a pleasant call from the senator.

Feb. 24, 1884

R. J. Kleberg, Esq., returned Saturday from business trip to Brownsville where he was in attendance on the district court. He reports court business is lively.

Dec. 18, 1886

The Misses Morell of Monterey are visiting the city and are the guests of Capt. M. Kenedy.

Mrs. H. M. King and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kleberg of Santa Gertrudis returned Wednesday from a brief trip to San Antonio, They spent Thursday in Corpus.

Dec. 11, 1886

All kinds of weather this month: cold and hot, dry and wet, calm and windy, cloudy and clear, pleasant and disagreeable.

Mrs. H. M. King closed a trade this week with Mr. Dan Taylor of Denver, Col., in which she contracts to deliver next March for 1500 young heifer cattle. The consideration was paid in advance.

Prof. McNeese, the veteran phrenologist, had so much to do that he remained another week. His consultation room is at Mrs. Merrimans.

N. G. Collins and T. H. Mathis, wealthy stockmen, were in town last week.

J. M. Doughty of Santa Gertrudis was in the city, Wednesday, on business.

Dec. 4, 1886

Capt. Kenedy back from several days at San Antonio accompanied by Mr. S. M. Swenson of New York City.

November 28, 1886

Richard King of Puerta de Agua Dulce ranch, Nueces County, sold 500 head of heifer yearling at \$6 and 500 steer yearlings at \$7, delivered to A. P. Rachal of San Antonio who will winter them in Nic Bluntzer's pasture, Nueces Co.

Oct. 24, 1886

Kenedy & Lott returned from extended trip north.

Oct. 1886

Richard King, Jr. & family will return home about middle of the month from Wentzville Mo.

Judge J. W. Stayton & son R. W. Stayton returned from their trip to Santa Gertrudis, Wednesday, and left for Victoria, Friday.

Miss Mollie Ogden, who has been spending the summer days with her friend Miss McCampbell at Rose cottage, where the fierce winds of the coast never reach, but come "as gentle as zephyrs blowing below the violet," has returned home to the Alamo City to the regret of many friends here.

July 18, 1886

Miss Emelie R. Lovenskiold married Thomas B. Southgate by Red. Rather Jaillet. Married in the residence of brides' mother. Bride in magnificent costume entered on the arm of Capt. M. Kenedy followed by Mr. U. Lott and others. Supper followed in adjoining room.

June 27, 1886

June—the great month for school exhibitions, watermelons and cramps.

J. M. Doughty, who is now in charge of the Santa Gertrudis ranch, has the reputation of being a fine trader as well as a fine gentleman. It is said that he is always on the go, being in the saddle half the night and in his buggy all day.

June 20, 1886

Kleberg-King wedding

June 13, 1886

John Kenedy announces son born early part of the week.

June 6, 1886

John Kenedy of the Kenedy Pasture Company and manager of the model livestock ranch of Texas, is in the city. Mr. Kenedy and wife are visiting friends and relatives here.

The Express of a late date says: "Capt. M. Kenedy, San Antonio's great benefactor, arrived at the Menger yesterday from his home in Corpus Christi, to attend the directors meeting of the Aransas Pass railroad today, when the building of the northwestern extension will be discussed."

May 16, 1886

Dr. Spohn & wife visiting the ranch at Encinal last week.

W. P. Caruthers, esq., left on yesterday morning's train for Texas Press Association meeting in San Antonio.

May 2, 1886

R. J. Kleberg, esq., arrived in town Thursday night from the lower Rio Grande.

April 13, 1886

San Antonio Times says: "Mr. Lott is still suffering very severely at the Menger hotel from a malignant carbuncle, and has to have a nurse constantly at his bedside."

Dr. Burke, quarantine officer for Aransas Pass, is in receipt of Gov.'s proclamation. He goes to his station May 1st, from which day quarantine will be established.

April 11, 1886

Express says Lott confined to room in San Antonio with a carbuncle on neck.

March 28, 1886

Lott & Kenedy returned from successful business trip up north & left on a special train for the front to inspect work on the road beyond San Antonio. They are well pleased with the progress. (San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railway)

March 7, 1886

Dr. McGregor is visiting the Puerto ranch. He has greatly improved since leaving the city.

Jan. 31, 1886

R. W. Stayton of law firm Stayton & Kleberg, visited Corpus on business last week.

Jan. 24, 1886

Richard King, Jr. & wife visited the Bluff city, spending 1 day with many friends.

Dr W. W. McGregor returned from his trip to the country looking much improved. It is stated on good authority that he slaughtered an alligator in one of the Puerta lakes that measured 15 feet. The monster was brought to the Puerta ranch & exhibited.

Jan. 17, 1886

Puerta ranch, the property of Mr. Richard King, Jr., is one of the model ranches of Southwestern Texas.

Jan 3, 1886

R. J. Kleberg left on Steamer Aransas, Saturday, for Galveston.

Dec. 27, 1886

Miss Emma Abbott visited San Antonio last week. When Corpus gets the railroad we may expect first class companies to visit our city.

Dec. 13, 1885

Richard King, Jr. of Puerta ranch spent Tuesday in Corpus. He has recently returned fro St. Louis and the North where he and family spent the summer months.

Nov. 29, 1885

Capt. Kenedy still unwell in San Antonio.

Nov. 22, 1885

Mrs. John Kenedy returned from a visit to her old home of New Orleans on the Steamer Aransas.

Oct. 15, 1885

Lott & wife are down with dengue fever in San Antonio.