

Austin Monday Night
24 Sept. 1855

Govr. Pease,

Mr. James A. McKEE, of Lavaca, arrived tonight on the San Antonio Stage and brings information that a party of Indians on Friday night last drove off from the Cibolo near the crossing of the stage road to San Antonio 60 horses, of which 49 belonged to Mr. DAVENPORT.

It seems that the Indians were known to have been in the neighborhood and a party had been searching for them. On Friday night these horses were driven out into the prairie with the intention of watching them and detecting the Indians in the act of taking them. Some mistake occurred about the meeting of the party and the Indians carried off the horses.

The stage driver says that the horses were driven off while the men were at supper.

Yours in haste,

W. E. JONES "