

REFUGEES REACH THIS CITY FROM MEXICO

Wednesday morning Mrs. Anna Lunt and daughter Ellen, with her four children, arrived in this city from Pachdo, Mexico, from which place they were forced to flee, along with hundreds of other American colonists, from the Mexican rebels who are engaged in pillaging and destroying property and threatening the lives of the people.

After leaving their homes they finally reached El Paso, Texas, where they remained for a week before securing transportation to this city. From them The Record learns that the former homes of the colonists have been

completely deserted almost without exception. The women and children were sent ahead across the border, the men remaining in the hope that they might be able to retain their property. Among those who remained were six sons of Mrs. Lunt.

When the refugees reached El Paso they learned that the men who had been left behind had abandoned the farms and were hurrying toward the United States border, in constant danger of attack from the rebels, and were due to arrive last Tuesday.

This is the first visit Mrs. Lunt has made to Cedar City since leaving here twenty-three years ago. Her daughter who is with her was a child when she removed to Mexico. Both are pleased with the changes and improvements in the city and will hereafter make their home here. They do not care to longer risk the uncertainties of Mexican government.

Many relatives and old friends in this city will be glad to welcome them again to citizenship in this community.