

TO OUR PATRONS.

We are sending out this month to all our patrons living away from Brownsville all accounts due up to July 1, 1893. That date will close the first year's business of THE HERALD, and we would request all those receiving bills from us to promptly remit the amount, so as to be unable to wind up the first year's business more satisfactorily. Do not put off this important matter, to us. The closer collection we make the better paper we can afford to give you.

LITTLE LOCALS

The Bessie will leave for up river points tomorrow.

F. E. Starek was in the city this morning from San Tomas.

Deputy Collector Eanson, at Santa Maria, is in the city.

Grapes are ripening fast now, and there is the greatest abundance of them here, too.

The Lasena house on Washington street is being put in good repair for Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hesse.

The new quartermaster at Fort Brown, Capt. Goldman, with his wife and three children, arrived yesterday.

Louis Dryfas arrived on the steamer Clinton yesterday. He has been attending the Bryan college for the past year.

Dr. C. H. Thorn will leave on the Bessie for Rio Grande City, on his annual visit, where he has a month of dental work.

The Clinton will sail from Brazos for Morgan City on tomorrow. Connecting train leaves here at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

We are informed that Life Insurance Mackay is in Rio Grande City. We are also told that he is booked for Brownsville shortly.

Judge T. S. Maxey arrived on the Clinton yesterday, and will be on time to open federal court next Monday in the new federal building.

Sam Belden jr., is in home again from the A. & M. college at Bryan. Sam is looking extremely well and has grown some taller since he left us ten months ago.

The following are passengers who arrived on the Clinton yesterday: E. Ketchum and daughter, Mrs. Bishop, Capt. Godman wife and children, Judge Thos. S. Maxey, D. H. Hart, J. Dreyfus, Herbert Sherwood, jr., Rev. P. B. Pratt, Sam Belden jr.

U. S. Clerk D. H. Hart arrived in the city on last evening and has been busily engaged all day fixing up the offices and court room in the federal building, preparatory to the opening of court by Judge Maxey on Monday. This will be the first sitting of the court in the new building.

Herbert Sherwood, jr., arrived from A. & M. College last evening. He will spend the summer with his parents, returning to school at its opening in September next.

One of Brownsville's best features is the fact that house flies are rarely ever seen here. It is about the only town we ever saw where the inhabitants are not troubled with flies in summer.

A telegram received this morning by Mr. J. A. Michel from Assiniboine, Montana, dated at 8:15 yesterday evening, states that Mrs. Michel had just arrived safely. It also states that Mrs. Harry Moon is very much better.

Col. Ed. Ketchum, of Galveston, arrived in the City last evening, accompanied by his daughter. Col. Ketchum is here for the purpose of mustering a Grand Army Post. Several citizens from Hidalgo county will be down this afternoon to attend.

Miss Juliet Bollack, who has been attending school at Pensionat Weil Landau, Rheinfalz, Germany, for the past four years, is now in New York City en route to her home in this city. Miss Bollack will leave New York City on next Monday and will arrive here on the next trip of the Clinton.

Died, in this city this morning Regina V. de Flores, aged 52. Deceased was well known and highly respected here. She leaves a husband and several children, some of them very young, to mourn her loss. The funeral will take place from the Presbyterian church to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Marion White, the watchmaker and jeweler, will only remain in the city a short while longer. Those having repairing to be done should call on him at once. He has a fine assortment of jewelry of all kind, and rather than take it away will sell any of it at exactly cost price. You will find big bargains by calling on him.

Dr. F. S. Pratt, an eminent divine of the Presbyterian church, arrived on the steamer yesterday. Dr. Pratt has just completed the translation of the Bible into Spanish, a labor which has occupied a period of six years. He comes to spend six months in evangelistic work in the Presbytery of Tamaulipas, and will probably remain some time in Brownsville and Matamoros.

A report that there was a case of yellow fever having been started here, Judge Carson, with his usual promptness, immediately investigated the matter. He finds that the report was entirely false and without the semblance of a foundation. El Cronista, of Matamoros, the other day stated that one of its exchanges away in the interior of Mexico reported a case of black vomit somewhere or other. This is the only mention of yellow fever made by the Matamoros papers, and we are happy to state that the heroic city is not even threatened with the disease. No one should carelessly circulate such injurious reports without first investigating to ascertain whether or not they are true.

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Laredo News. The many friends of Captain J. A. Brooks will regret to learn that he has been ordered to Del Rio with his company of rangers to take station. The captain and his company have been in this section for a long time, and they have done good work. While we hope that it will never be necessary to send rangers into this section again, yet should they have to come, the News voices the sentiments of this people in stating that, if they are consulted as to who shall come, it will be Captain Brooks's company. He has been fearless in the discharge of his duty, and has made friends of all the good people with whom he has been thrown in contact.

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J. POETTER

The Man of All Men.

Laredo News. If the Hon. John W. Stayton will accept the nomination, which the News doubts, he is the man of all men in Texas upon whom the Clark and Hogg factions could unite without compromising the dignity of the either in the least.

NOTICE.

Office of the County Clerk of Cameron County Texas } Brownsville, Texas, May 26, 1893

Notice is hereby given that the commissioners' court of Cameron county will convene and sit as a board of equalization on the 12th. day of June 1893, at the court house in the city of Brownsville, to receive for inspection, correction equalization and approval, all the assessments, lists and books of the assessor of taxes of said county for the year 1893.

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