

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Hereafter all notices other than announcements of church meetings, lodge notices and religious services will be charged for at half rates. This rule will be strictly adhered to for the future.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Export manifest blanks for sale at this office.

J. & P. Coats spool thread, the best, 50 cents per dozen, Nos. 8 to 200, at McDonald's Department Store. 8-4-1f

Twenty barrels of fish were shipped by express this morning. Fish are plentiful and easily taken at the Point, and the business is beginning to assume considerable proportions.

Six wild cats and a coyote were shipped out by express this morning. Four of the cats and his wolfship went to Wichita, Kansas, and the other two cats went to Baltimore, Md.

The Manteo sailed yesterday morning for Galveston at 7 o'clock. The vessel will be laid up until after the yellow fever plague at New Orleans has subsided, so far as this port is concerned.

The immigration inspector's service has received four additional men the past few days. These men have been assigned as follows: B. F. Crawshaw, of Santa Barbara Cal., is stationed at Rio Grande City; John White goes to Hidalgo, while R. J. Leary and N. J. Starling are assisting Chief Boss here. Still another man is expected to arrive within the next few days.

Brownsville will be represented at the intercoastal canal convention at Victoria tomorrow by S. L. Dworman, T. B. Russell and C. H. Maris, who left this morning for that city. THE HERALD had hoped a large majority of the delegates appointed by the Board of Trade would attend the convention, but press of business prevented other members of the delegation from going.

A private letter from the Conner boys, who left here with their mother and sisters a few weeks ago for their old home in Hattiesburg, Miss., announces that they have entered the wholesale business in that city. They also say the yellow fever scourge at New Orleans has knocked the bottom out of business, there being absolutely nothing doing. THE HERALD and the many friends of these young men in Brownsville wish them well and regret that their business has been interfered with.

The usual quota of visitors went to the Point last Saturday and Sunday, some to remain only a few hours, while others will spend several days on the sea shore. It is delightfully pleasant at the Point and almost the entire absence of mosquitoes make a sojourn there very desirable. Fish and oysters are plentiful, and unlike other coast towns the oysters are better at this season than during the balance of the year. You don't have to wait for the "r" to enjoy the luscious bivalve at Point Isabel.

Major Cook Honored.

Major Cook, 26th infantry, U. S. A., and commander of Fort Brown military post, who spent yesterday here en route with his sister, Mrs. Magruder, to San Antonio received many courtesies at the hands of Hon. Royall Givens, president of the Corpus Christi Board of Trade, ably assisted by other citizens. Mr. Givens drove the Major to many points of interest in and around the city, including the Epworth League grounds and yesterday afternoon he tendered them a sail on the bay, the launch Mable being chartered for the occasion. During the trip Mr. Givens' party visited the Alta Vista hotel and examined that fine edifice with the greatest interest. After the sail the Major and his sister were escorted in carriages to the Aransas Pass depot, and left on the night train for the Alamo City.—Corpus Christi Caller.

A MATTER OF HEALTH



PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. L. Faisans went to Point Isabel Saturday to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Bernard L. Cain and Mrs. Blanche Leow expect to leave tomorrow morning for Boerne.

FOR RENT—My home place corner Jefferson and 15th. Apply to Mrs. Katie E. Leahy. 6-7-1f

Miss Hettie Dougherty left this morning for San Antonio and other points for a short vacation before the opening of school.

Capt. Dalton, commanding officer at Fort Ringgold, who has been the guest of friends at Fort Brown the past few days, left this morning for his post.

Herbert Dennett, who is employed in the St. L., B. & M. offices at Kingsville, left for that place this morning after spending a short time with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Blalack are sojourning in Colorado for the benefit of the latter's health. They left here Friday morning expecting to be absent a month or more.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. W. Adams of Corpus Christi, accompanied by their friend, Miss Dunn, of Dallas, left this morning after spending a couple of days very pleasantly in Brownsville.

Mrs. S. L. Franklin, wife of Conductor Franklin of the Hidalgo branch, arrived in the city this morning. She was accompanied by Misses Ade English and A. Bell Clieft, of Lufkin.

J. W. Buchanan, book keeper for the Merchants and Planters Rice Milling company, left Sunday morning for Topo Chico, Mexico, to spend a couple of weeks recuperating before the busy season opens.

John H. Sullivan, of Temple, arrived in the city Friday afternoon, and was joined here by John D. and Lon. C. Hill, and together the three left Saturday morning for Monterey, Mexico, on a prospecting tour. They will be absent several days.

Walter K. Breeden, of Cuero, arrived in the city Saturday afternoon on a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cocke. He returned home this morning accompanied by his wife and two little daughters, who have been here the past week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cocke.

W. F. Dennett returned Saturday from Waco, where he attended the Knights of Honor grand lodge as a delegate from the local lodge, here. Mr. Dennett says the meeting was a very pleasant one, the only drawback being the extremely warm weather. The thermometer registered 104 the first night Mr. Dennett arrived in Waco, which is very hard on a resident of Brownsville, where the cool gulf breeze makes the nights delightful.

Geo. Chandler and wife left Sunday for their home at Brownsville, after the past week in the city visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Chandler informs the Star man that the next time he visits Brazoria he will come straight through from Brownsville to Brazoria on the St. L., B. & M. Ry. He also stated that the road coming through Brazoria will make the old town one of the best on the Texas Coast and within the next two years she will have at least fifteen hundred or two thousand people.—Brazoria Cor. Angleton Star.

Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the School Board last Saturday, the following were elected teachers for the Brownsville public school:

Thos. P. Barbour, principal; Misses Lizzie Barbour, Susan Putegnat, May Scanlan, Nellie Kimball, Rita Clearwater, Anita Kowalski, Bertha Thielen, Hattie Case, Mrs. T. Clearwater, Misses E. Cavazos, M. Krausse, Leah Roussett, M. Duffy, Hettie Dougherty, Ruperta O'Brien, Rosa Stowe, Emma Vesseron, Mina Egly, Annie Sherwood, Josephine Webb, Gladys Gallagher, Mrs. Lillie Smith, Misses T. Hanson, Pearl Elstun, Minnie Havre, Anita Cocke, Margaret Rhode.

Of these, twenty-two have assisted in the school heretofore, and the following six are new teachers: Mrs. Lillie Smith, Misses Gladys Gallagher, T. Hanson, Pearl Elstun, Minnie Havre, Anita Cocke.

With this efficient corps of teachers the Brownsville public school should and doubtless will have a most successful term. Nothing adds to the attractiveness of a town more than a first class school, and THE HERALD hopes that Brownsville may make it her proud boast that we have a school second to none in the state.

Stages of Married Life.

Killeen Herald. You can always tell a young husband from an old one by the way he acts in the garden. Three months married he digs, whistles, smiles and casts covert glances at the house as though some one was looking at him from a window. One year married, he digs, smiles at turns, and seems to be annoyed at breakfast being late. Two years married, he digs a little, looks sour and glum, kicks the dog or cat and looks toward the house as though he would like to choke somebody. Three years married, he sits on the doorstep and smokes while his wife does the digging.

Letter to Frank Pierce.

Dear Sir: Your business is, when a house burns down, to give the owner some money to build a new one. It is a good business. Queer that the world got on so long without it.

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