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### PUBLIC NOTICE

The tax rolls have been made and are ready, and in accordance with the recent ordinance passed by the city council, taxes for the schools are now payable at my office. All property owners are requested to make their payments before February 1 or they will be declared delinquent.

Macedonio J. Garcia,  
City Tax Collector,  
school taxes are now due

### GARNER A BANK DIRECTOR.

Laredo, Texas, Jan. 17.—The three banks of Laredo elected directors and officers yesterday to serve for the ensuing year. The shareholders of the First State Bank and Trust company elected the following as directors: Y. Benavides, J. T. Halsell, J. M. Garcia, F. Werner, R. K. Hins, Congressman John N. Garner and E. Block. The two new directors are Congressman Garner and Mr. Block. The directors met immediately thereafter and re-elected the following officers: Y. Benavides, president; R. K. Mims, vice president and cashier; H. J. Vela, assistant cashier.

## PERSONALS

Misses Aline Colvin and Dora Colvin and H. P. McNeil of La Feria were visitors at The Herald office today. The Misses Colvin were greatly interested in seeing how the reading columns of a newspaper are made up, and spent several interested minutes watching the operation of the linotype machines.

Miss Clara Belle Smith, a teacher in the public schools left this morning to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Alvert Herbst in San Benito.

Miss Maude Horn and W. G. Utur of San Benito are visitors in Brownsville today.

W. T. Holder of Raymondville is a visitor in the city today.

Dr. T. W. Dee of Houston is registered at the Miller hotel.

Fred Wuerzer of Salina, Kan., is in Brownsville, registered at the Miller hotel. Mr. Wuerzer is a farmer and is in the Valley to spend a few months.

A. Carranza of San Antonio, nephew of General Jesus Carranza of Matamoros, and J. Gonzales, also of San Antonio, are visitors in Brownsville, guests at the Miller hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Montgomery of Belton are visitors in Brownsville today.

Marvin Evans of Pharr is a visitor in Brownsville today.

Mrs. Blanche Franklin of Mission is in Brownsville today, registered at the Miller hotel.

Jake Engle, the well known San Benito real estate man, is in Brownsville for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Heyser of Kingsville are in Brownsville today. Mr. Heyser is connected with the maintenance department of the Frisco railroad.

Miss Glenn Harbert of Columbus, Texas, is a visitor in Brownsville for a few days.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE  
IS ANNOUNCED BY  
RIO GRANDE R. R.

The winter schedule of the Rio Grande railroad, running between Brownsville and Point Isabel, went into effect today, January 17, according to an announcement by C. L. Macmannus, vice president and general manager of the road.

Hereafter there will be one train a day, leaving Brownsville at 9:30 a. m. and arriving at Point Isabel at 11 a. m. Returning the train leaves Point Isabel at 3:30 p. m. and reaches Brownsville at 5 p. m.

### SUSPECTS RELEASED

TWO MEN HELD IN COUNTY JAIL  
SEVERAL DAYS, TRIED AND CONVICTED ON MURDER CHARGE.

Two men who were held in the county jail several days on suspicion, after trial and conviction on a minor charge have been released. Neither the police nor the sheriff's department were able to connect the men with any of the crimes alleged to have been committed in this city this week. A considerable amount of money was found on the persons of the men, and though they did not give a satisfactory account of themselves nothing of an illegal nature was found against them that would indicate their connection with the crimes.

Mrs. Hicks to Sing—Mrs. Edgar L. Hicks has consented to sing at the concert in Matamoros tonight, which will be given as a benefit for the Constitutionalist hospital in that city. A splendid program has been arranged, and Brownsville people especially are invited to attend. Street cars will be held at the door of the Teatro Reforma until after the performance.

AT NORMAL BOOTH.

At the Summer Normal booth at the Midwinter Fair grounds the following will be the menu for dinner and supper Sunday. Chicken stew, tongue with green peas, enchiladas, tamales and coffee.

The lunches at this booth have proved popular to the fair visitors, and those in charge hope to do a record business on the last day of the fair.

### Beware of Ointments for

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system in various ways through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly get from the Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and nerves, instead of the skin. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimony—Sold by Druggists Price 75¢ per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pill for constipation.

## CITY NEWS

Do you want to help advertise your town? Then use envelopes with Brownsville buildings on them.

### DEMONSTRATION AGENT IS NAMED

MARSHALL McHANEY IS NAMED TO HAVE CHARGE OF NEWLY CREATED DEPARTMENT IN HIDALGO COUNTY.

AGENTS SOON TO BE NAMED FOR CAMERON COUNTY, WHEN COMMISSIONERS' COURT MAKES CHANGE IN RECRD.

The farmers of Cameron and Hidalgo counties will soon each have a demonstration agent, the plan for one agent for the two counties having been changed, one agent to be appointed for each county instead of one for the two counties, as originally intended.

Marshall McHaneay of Mission has been named farm demonstration agent in Hidalgo county, and when the Cameron county board of commissioners has made a change in the record whereby an appropriation for an agent was made in this county, a man will be named to conduct the work in Cameron county. Each of the counties of Cameron and Hidalgo some months ago made an appropriation of \$1,000 annually to pay the salary of a demonstration agent to work in the two counties, but since that time it has been found advisable to have an agent stationed in each of the counties. As a result, a man has already been named in Hidalgo county, and as soon as the necessary change is made in Cameron county commissioners' court records an agent will be named for this county.

For the Business Man—Do you want to buy out the finest business in Brownsville. Best Equipped Confectionery in the city, centrally located. Magnificent fountain—it's for sale. It's your chance—You can get it—Ready for business as soon as you want to open the doors—Its the Paragon Confectionery—Ad dress Wm. C. Craig, Trustee. —Adv.

### ACCEPTS REBEL MONEY

CREDIT MAN FOR WHOLESALE HOUSE TAKES CONSTITUTION ALIST CURRENCY AT 18 CENTS ON DOLLAR.

Julius Mareoff, credit man for the Boston Wholesale Dry Goods House at that concern's El Paso branch, is in Brownsville on a business trip, and has closed a deal in the dry goods line with General Pablo Gonzales at Matamoros, Tamps, Mex. Mr. Mareoff accepted Constitutional money at 18 cents gold for each dollar, believing that the issue of the proposed government in Mexico is better security to his concern than that of any other money issued in Mexico.—BOSTON WHOLESALE DRY GOODS HOUSE. (Signed) Julius Mareoff.—Advertisement.

POLICE TO BE TRIED AT CUERO

TRIAL OF MEMBERS OF BROWNSVILLE FORCE CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY, TO BE HEARD AT CUERO MONDAY.

Eight members and former members of the Brownsville police force, including Chief of Police R. J. Tucker, and Henry Hayre, Carlos Garcia, Mike Werbski, Bonifacio Gonzales, Diario Cortez, Julio Medrano and Pedro Saldana, charged with conspiracy to murder Sheriff C. T. Ryan on the night of September 18, when Lieutenant of Police O. M. Puig was killed, are summoned to be ready for trial on the charge at Cuero, DeWitt county, Monday, to which county the cases were transferred.

The defendants in the case are leaving for Cuero today and tomorrow morning, and a number of witnesses, both for the prosecution and the defense have already left for Cuero.

The case of C. T. Ryan, et al., charged with killing Lieutenant of Police O. M. Puig and wounding Hayre, are to be called at Cuero on February 2.

R. E. Holland, a well known and prominent lawyer of Brownsville, has been employed by the defendants in the case to represent them at the trial. Mr. Holland has already been at work on the case for some weeks, and he leaves today for Cuero prepared to put up a strong fight to clear the men of the charge.

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THE RING OF SORROW.  
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Leaves Corpus Christi 11:50 p. m. Arrives San Antonio 7:00 a. m.

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