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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1907.

PERSONALS

Mrs. B. L. Cain returned from San Antonio last night.

J. H. Bentley, a well known produce dealer of San Antonio, is in the city.

County Collector Damaso Lerma and three daughters returned last night from San Antonio.

T. F. Jones, representing the Monterey News, was an arrival from that city last night.

Mrs. J. W. Hancock left on the morning train on a visit to her mother at Belton, Texas.

W. I. Church went to Mercedes this morning, expecting to return this afternoon to Brownsville.

Manuel Barreda left yesterday for Monterey to see to the new store in which he is interested there.

Emile Wise returned last night from a short business trip to up-river points, having also visited San Antonio.

L. E. Daniel, the historian, returned from Austin last night. Mr. Daniel has spent some time of late in Brownsville, gathering data for his history.

H. E. Edson of the Brownsville Undertaking Co. returned last night from San Antonio with his bride, as announced in yesterday's HERALD.

E. H. Goodrich, Esq., and W. G. Willman returned last night from San Antonio. Mrs. Goodrich and Miss Goodrich will remain a while longer in San Antonio.

Rev. W. W. Robertson of Harrisonville, Mo., was here several days this week, on a visit to his brother, S. A. Robertson, leaving today for home.

R. L. Batts, Esq., returned to his home at Austin today, after a few days here, on business connected with the San Benito Land and Water Company, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. John Closser came in last night from San Antonio, having attended the carnival, and are the guests of Mrs. Closser's mother, Mrs. Dougherty of this city.

Rev. L. R. Burrell and Rev. W. H. Petty visited Mercedes yesterday to see about the location of the Baptist church which will be built there. They returned last night.

Alba Heywood, O. W. Heywood, E. F. Rowson, W. H. Stenger and S. A. Robertson, all of the San Benito Land and Water Company, went up to Bessie this morning to inspect the big enterprise which the company has on foot there.

P. H. Vasey, who has the contract for painting and putting the finishing touches on the new hotel at the Point, went down yesterday to make preliminary arrangements for work, coming up in the afternoon. Today Mr. Vasey returned to the Point with a force of men and has begun active work. The contract will be completed in about three weeks.

D. R. Swift of Lake Charles, La., came down last night from Hidalgo, where he has been in connection with the Hidalgo Canal Company, in which he is extensively interested. Mr. Swift's company was one of the pioneers in irrigation in this section, and he now has cause to feel gratified at the splendid outlook for the lower Rio Grande valley.

Rev. Geo. Whitefoot of St. Louis, representing the American Tract Society, who has been here several days in the interest of the society, and also prospecting for real estate, left this morning. Mr. Whitefoot is charmed with our climate and thinks this would make an ideal home for the closing days of his life, but says he found prices of town lots too high to suit him.

The public is cordially invited to attend the union meetings that will be held nightly from 8 to 9 o'clock during the protracted meeting now in progress in the Presbyterian Church in this city.

SANITARY ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance providing for the screening, closing, and ciling of all cisterns, tanks, barrels, or other receptacles, of whatsoever character, in which mosquitoes propagate. Providing for the cleansing of all houses, lots, and premises, within the city limits of this city, and authorizing the city physician, and his assistants to enter all houses, lots, and premises, private or public, for the purpose of inspection, cleaning, and disinfection, and providing penalties for any violation of this ordinance.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brownsville:

SECTION 1.—Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to own, use, keep, or maintain, within the City Limits of the city of Brownsville, any well, cistern, tank, reservoir, barrel, tub, vat, pool, or other place, in any manner used for the storing or keeping of water, or other things whatsoever, in which mosquitoes are likely to propagate, without having the top of such well, cistern, tank, reservoir, barrel, tub, vat, or other such receptacle closed over securely by a covering of wood, or other durable material, or by wire screen, wire gauze, or by cloth netting, or by both such covering, wire screen, wire gauze, or cloth netting, which said top or covering shall be so constructed and adjusted as to prevent, at all times, any mosquitoes from entering therein, or having access to the water in such well, cistern, tank, barrel, or other receptacle, or from coming in contact with the water therein.

Any person, firm, or corporation who shall so keep or maintain any such well, cistern, tank, barrel, reservoir, tub, vat, or other receptacle, containing water, or other thing whatsoever, in which mosquitoes can be propagated, without covering or screening same, as hereinbefore provided for, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed fifty dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and every day that such well, cistern, tank, reservoir, barrel, tub, vat, or other such receptacle shall remain without such screening or covering shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 2.—It is hereby made the express duty of every person, firm, or corporation, using, maintaining, or having upon his or their premises, any well, cistern, tank, reservoir, barrel, tub, vat, or other such receptacle in which mosquitoes are likely to propagate, to properly oil the same with crude or petroleum oil, or such other disinfectants, that may be directed to be so used by the City Physician of this City, at least one (1) time within each and every week; and the failure so to do shall constitute an offense, and upon conviction thereof, they shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten (10) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 3.—It shall be the duty of every person, firm, or corporation, owning, using, or controlling any property within the city limits of this city, upon the request of the City Physician of this city thereto, or by anyone by the said City Physician duly authorized, to clean and disinfect any such premises in such manner as may be required by the said City Physician, and any person neglecting, failing, or refusing so to do, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed twenty-five dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten (10) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 4.—It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to place or keep in his, or their, house, or upon his, or their, lot or premises, or on property over which he, or they, have control, within the city limits of this city, any nuisance, or establishment of any kind calculated to injure or endanger the health or property of the inhabitants of this city; and any person so offending shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten (10) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 5.—It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to permit to remain on his, or their, lot or lots, or premises, any standing pool, or pools, of water, mud holes, or any substance in any manner injurious to the health of the inhabitants of this city, after being notified by the City Physician of this city, to drain, fill, or remove the same; and any person, firm, or corporation so offending, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten (10) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 6.—It is hereby made the duty of the City Health Physician of this city, together with all such assistant physicians or health inspectors as he may appoint and designate, and he and they are now hereby specially authorized to enter all houses or premises, or other places, private or public, within the city limits of this city, to inspect, fumigate, and disinfect the same in such manner as he

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may deem necessary for the public health of this city; and any person in any manner interfering with, or harassing the said City Physician, or any of his assistants, shall be deemed guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine in any sum not to exceed one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for any length of time not to exceed ten (10) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and each day of such interference, molestation, or hindrance shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 7.—The County and State Health Physicians, and the several physicians of the public health and Marine Hospital Service of the United States, and their aids, assistants, inspectors, and employees, while engaged in the treatment, suppression, or prevention of any contagious or infectious disease, in this city, are hereby vested with the same power and authority delegated to the City Health Physician of this city, and his assistants and health inspectors, as provided for herein.

SECTION 8.—All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in any wise in conflict with this ordinance, are now hereby repealed.

This Ordinance shall take effect from and after the publication thereof, as required by law.

Adopted in open council, Monday, August the seventh (7), A. D. 1905.

Approved August the seventh (7), A. D. 1905.

FREDERICK J. COMBE,
Mayor of the City of Brownsville.

Attest:
FRANK CHAMPION Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE.

Levying and providing for the assessment and collection of taxes, to defray the current expenses of the City Government, of the City of Brownsville, Texas, for the improvement of roads, bridges and streets, of said City and for the erection, construction and purchase of public buildings, streets, sewers, water-works and other permanent improvements, within the limits of said City, for the year A. D. 1907, and providing for six per cent interest per annum, and a penalty of ten per cent on all delinquent taxes, etc.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brownsville, Texas:

First.—That, for the purpose of defraying the current expenses of the City Government, of the City of Brownsville, for the year A. D. 1907, there is now hereby levied, and shall be assessed and collected an Ad Valorem Tax of twenty-five (25c) cents on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) cash value thereof, estimated in lawful currency of the United States, (which said cash value shall be estimated in the manner prescribed by the laws of this State and ordinances of this City,) on all property, real, personal or mixed, situated in the said City of Brownsville, County of Cameron, and State of Texas, (not especially exempted from taxation by the laws of this State and ordinances of this City,) on the first (1) day of January, A. D. 1907, and on all property sent out of said city of Brownsville, Texas, prior to said first day of January, 1907, for the purpose of evading the payment of taxes thereon, and afterwards returned to said City.

Second.—That for the improvement of roads, streets, and bridges of and within the limits of the City of Brownsville, County of Cameron, State of Texas, there is now hereby levied, for the year A. D. 1907, an Ad Valorem Tax of Fifteen cents (15c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) cash value thereof, estimated in lawful money of the United States, (which said cash value shall be estimated in the manner prescribed by the Laws of this State and ordinances of this city,) on all property, real, personal, or mixed, situated in the said City of Brownsville, County of Cameron, State of Texas, (and not especially exempted from Taxation by the laws of this state and ordinances of this City,) on the first day of January, A. D. 1907, and on all property sent out of said City of Brownsville, prior to the said first day of January, A. D. 1907, for the purpose of evading the payment of taxes thereon, and afterwards returned to said City.

Third.—That for the erection and construction or purchase of water-works, public buildings, streets, sewers, and other permanent improvements, within the limits of the said City of Brownsville, County of Cameron, State of Texas, there is now hereby levied for the year A. D. 1907, an Ad Valorem Tax of Twenty-five cents (25c) on the One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) cash value thereof, estimated in lawful currency of the United States, (which said cash value shall be estimated in the manner prescribed by the laws of this State and ordinances of this City,) on all property, real, personal or mixed, situated in the said City of

Brownsville, County of Cameron, and State of Texas, not especially exempted from taxation by the laws of this State and ordinances of this City, on the first (1) day of January, A. D. 1907, and on all property sent out of said city of Brownsville, Texas, prior to said first day of January, 1907, for the purpose of evading the payment of taxes thereon, and afterwards returned to said city.

Fourth.—That, all of the aforesaid taxes, so levied, shall be paid in lawful money of the United States only.

Fifth.—That all such taxes as hereinbefore levied shall become and be due and payable on the first (1) day of October, A. D. 1907.

Sixth.—That all such taxes as hereinbefore levied and provided for by this Ordinance, if not paid on or before the first day of February, A. D. 1908, shall thereafter bear interest until paid at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum.

Seventh.—If any person, or association of persons, firm, or corporation shall fail or refuse to pay the taxes imposed upon him or them, or his or their property by this Ordinance, before the 1st day of February, A. D. 1908, then a penalty of ten (10) per cent shall thereupon, accrue on the entire amount of such taxes due by him or them, and shall be paid by such person or persons, firms or corporations in addition to such taxes and interest thereupon.

Eighth.—It is hereby made the duty of the Tax Collector of this City to collect all such taxes, interest, and penalties, that accrue, and become due under and by virtue of this Ordinance, as hereinbefore provided, and all such interest and penalties shall be fully collected by him at the same time that such taxes, upon which such interest and penalties may have accrued, are collected by him.

Ninth.—That all Ordinances, or parts of Ordinances, in anywise in conflict with this Ordinance, are now hereby repealed.

Tenth.—That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after ten (10) days publication hereof, as required by law in such cases made and provided. Approved, April 22nd., 1907.

FREDERICK J. COMBE, Mayor.

Attest:
F. CHAMPION, City Secretary.

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