

LOCAL ITEMS.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devoe.

Six barrels of fish were sent out today by express.

See change in ad of Botica del Aguila today.

Household goods for sale. Apply at HERALD office.

Don't you use export manifest blanks? We have them.

Anything in the paint line at J. S. & M. H. Cross. 8-28-9-2

FOR RENT—Good five room residence, two cisterns, and out houses. Apply at HERALD office.

We have everything to make the bath more refreshing. 9-1-tf Botica del Aguila.

Miss Mary Barbour's school for little ones will open Tuesday, September 5. 8-29-9-2

A regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held tonight. All members earnestly requested to attend.

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

The Chinese laundry has been closed, the proprietor, Chan Foo, saying business would not justify a continuance.

What we consider a compliment to our stationery department is the demand we are having for nice paper. We lead the town in tasty box paper. Botica del Aguila.

It's just like we tell you, once used never refused. Rubber Paint has stood the test in Texas for over forty years. See 8-28-9-2 J. S. & M. H. Cross.

THE HERALD is requested to announce that the Sunday school at the Church of the Advent, will meet at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. A good attendance is desired.

With our complete stock and elegant assortment of toilet articles we are sure to please everybody. If you want anything out of the ordinary it's likely we have it. 9-1-tf Botica del Aguila.

THE HERALD is requested to announce there will be a regular monthly business meeting of Orange Grove, Woodmen Circle, Saturday night at the usual hour.

Each department of our business has its proper attention. Our goods are never allowed to get old. When you want drug store goods you'll find them fresh and at their best at our store. Botica del Aguila. 9-1-tf.

It is very gratifying to the friends of Miss Ray Stowe, who has been in San Antonio some time under treatment of an oculist, to know she is at home again, and here eyes are very much improved.

Attention is called to the display ad of H. M. Field, which appears in THE HERALD today. Mr. Field has a large and complete stock of hardware, etc., which he invites you to call and inspect, promising reasonable prices and courteous treatment.

The tugboat "Germ," owned by private parties here, which was formerly used at Brazos Santiago for towing schooners in and out, has been sold to A. D. Ryan, of Galveston, who will take the boat to that city. It is not learned what use will be made of the "Germ" by its new owner.

A letter to Walter Billingsley from his wife, who was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Tem Reed, of Goliad, a few days ago, states that the lady is in a very critical condition, and grave fears are entertained for her recovery. THE HERALD hopes the lady's illness is not so extremely serious as anticipated, and that she may soon be restored to health.

Last Wednesday night W. D. Cowley came to town and tied his horse on Elizabeth street, while he attended to some business. When he was ready to return home his horse was gone. He waited until about 11 o'clock before the animal was returned. Mr. Cowley does not so much mind having to stay in town a little later than usual, but does not like the idea of his horse being driven all over creation by a lot of thoughtless boys, who perhaps meant no harm, but it was hardly the proper thing to do. Be careful boys, you might drive the wrong horse some time.

People interested in religious work in Brownsville, and especially the Baptist denomination, will be glad to know that at a meeting of the directors of the Baptist general convention of Texas, held at Dallas on August 29, it was decided to appropriate the sum of \$2000 for a Baptist church building in Brownsville. This sum will be augmented by donations and otherwise, and it will not be long before the Baptist denomination will have its own place of worship.

Customs Inspector J. L. Landrum was here today from Santa Maria. He says weather is dry in his section, but that is what is needed while cotton is being gathered. Mr. Landrum says he made a splendid cotton crop this year. He has 100 acres in cotton from which will gather 100 bales or more. The price is very good, but Mr. Landrum has not sold yet. He thinks this is the best cotton country in the United States, and a great many people will agree with him.

One hundred and sixty eight bales of cotton have been exported to Mexico by Juan H. Fernandez. The duty on cotton is about three quarters of a cent per pound, and shippers are able to pay this duty and then make a profit above the price paid in the United States. Mr. Fernandez says the price varies according to the demand, and the class of cotton shipped. Mexico consumes a great quantity of cotton and large shipments are made from the different ports of this country. THE HERALD learns the price paid in Mexico is 24 cents per 100 pounds.

THE HERALD is very sorry to learn that A. D. Childress and family are soon to leave Brownsville. Their household goods are being packed preparatory to shipment and Mrs. Childress and her mother expect to leave this week for Beaumont. Mr. Childress will probably bid farewell to Brownsville next week, temporarily at least. The gentleman is a progressive citizen, one we can ill afford to lose, and his decision to leave this section is a matter of extreme regret. Mr. Childress was ever on the alert for the advancement and upbuilding of the Brownsville country, and has done as much or more than any one man here, for the development of a country in which he had an abiding faith. As manager of the Brownsville Land & Town company, he put forth every effort to prove the resourcefulness of the section, and did not hesitate to give both time and money for the furtherance of development when occasion demanded. Mr. Childress and family have been great additions to the social circles of Brownsville, and will be greatly missed. THE HERALD while wishing the family the greatest success wherever they may cast their lot, also indulges the hope that their absence is only temporary, and that they may some day again become citizens of our city.

PERSONALS.

W. A. Guyton, of Galveston is a recent visitor to Brownsville.

W. J. Carnohan and H. H. Kendall, of Kingsville, spent last night in the city.

E. H. Guydon, a popular New Orleans hardware drummer, is rustling business in Brownsville.

District Attorney John I. Kleiber returned yesterday afternoon from a few days visit to Corpus Christi.

A. Grombach, the popular Galveston drummer, was among those going out this morning after a few days stay in the city.

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Hal Brennan, warehouseman at the freight depot here, left this morning for a short visit to Sinton, and will return Saturday afternoon. S. F. Loughborough, of San Francisco, California who has been here the past day or so, was among the outgoing passengers this morning.

E. J. Wilson, representing the shoe firm of Selz & Schwab, of Chicago, left this morning after a day or so here interviewing our merchants.

E. B. Brewster, of Laredo, an employe of the I. & G. N. railroad, is in the city on a visit to his friends A. E. Buck, and John Rutledge, of the St. L., B. & M.

Miss Lillian Dougherty has gone to Hidalgo to spend a few days prior to the opening of school on the 18th instant. Miss Dougherty will again teach in the public school of that city.

E. L. Anderson, of Kerrville, who has been employed as salesman at McDonald's Department store for several months, has resigned the position and left this morning for his home.

Mrs. Jas. A. Browne, and two daughters, Misses Irene and Mamie, who have been enjoying the cooling breezes of Corpus Christi the past few days, returned last night. They report a very pleasant visit.

Miguel Cavazos, who is a native of Brownsville, but who has been engaged in the bakery business at Galveston for several years, was a passenger out this morning after spending several days here visiting relatives and friends.

J. L. Faisans, rice buyer for the Merchants & Planters Rice Milling company, left this morning for Bay City and other points on the look out for good rice. The rice mill here will probably begin its season's run about the 15th instant.

Miss Ruby Miller, of Houston, and Miss Maud Heaney, of Corpus, left this morning, after a very pleasant visit to the city. Roy P. Miller, who accompanied the young ladies down, did not return today, but will attend to some business matters here.

L. J. Wortham, his son, Wm. Becton Wortham, of Austin, and Duval West, esq., of Corpus Christi, who have been spending several days at Padre Island, angling for tarpon and other species of the finny tribe, left this morning for their respective homes, very much pleased with their outing. We shall expect to hear from Mr. Wortham through the columns of Current Issue, of which he is editor, as to the pleasures and pains attendant upon the trip.

C. Lindsey is in the city today from Olmito. He says everything is progressing nicely in his territory, and that there will be something doing next season in the way of cotton raising. The ground is being cleared for a new gin which Mr. Lindsey will erect at Olmito, some of the machinery for which is expected to arrive next week. The latest improved machinery will be used in the plant, and ample facilities will be available to take care of a large crop of cotton. Mr. Lindsey expects to have the gin working in about six weeks.

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