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CITY NEWS

Featured Snake Farm—San Antonio Express contained an illustrated feature story concerning the life and work of W. A. "Snake" King, and Mrs. King, the well known snake and wild animal dealers of this city. This was another of the large number of feature stories gathered by Express staff writers during their visit to Brownsville this summer.

Apple Sale now on—Fine juicy Arkansas apples only \$1.25 per bushel. Call at apple car foot of 10th street by People's ice factory. These apples will keep a month. Phone your grocer. 11-8-4t—W1

Filling Tires—R. L. Lewis, the local agent for Essenkay tire filler, continues to report large sales. Mr. Lewis went up the valley yesterday afternoon for the purpose of equipping several automobiles with the filler.

Home-made mince meat pies for sale at the Woman's Exchange Saturday afternoon. 11-8-2t

Auto 149—County Attorney E. K. Goodrich yesterday obtained an automobile license from the county clerk. His number will be 149.

Wanted to trade small, well equipped farm in the town of Ricardo, Tex. (near Kingsville) for residence property in Brownsville. Has artesian well, irrigation ditches, pumping plant, etc. Address, Jacob H. Schultz, San Carlos Hotel, City.

Licensed to Wed—County Clerk Joseph Webb Sunday and Monday issued the following marriage licenses: Emilio Hinojosa and Manuela Hinojosa; Jose Tamez and Irene Cortez; Rafael Garcia and Josefa Delgado.

Street Railway Progress—The street railway men are rapidly building the extensions on Levee street, and have already completed more than three blocks of track laying. At the present it is expected they will complete the contemplated work within two weeks.

Everybody Is Using It Now—The Imperial Self Heating sad iron. Sells in every home. \$50.00 per week to good hustlers. Write B. F. Gilbert, First National Bank Bldg. Ft. Worth, Texas.

Learners' Club—The regular meeting of the Learners' Club will be held at the residence of Mrs. Jas. W. Holt on Levee st., this afternoon (Tuesday) at 3:30 o'clock.

Art goods, crochet and embroidery materials, for sale at the Woman's Exchange Wednesday and Saturday mornings and afternoons. Free crochet lesson with 50c. purchase.)

Improvement—Dr. C. H. Thorn is weatherproofing his two-story brick building at 1311 Elizabeth street.

The building at 1332 Elizabeth street is undergoing a remodeling of the interior. When the work is completed the building will be occupied by Mr. Reed, a candy maker.

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FIRST INSTALLMENT OF SAUTENA HERD

Nineteen Carloads of Big Herd Passed Through Brownsville Yesterday en Route for Houston.

Nineteen carloads of cattle, 546 head, were shipped out of Brownsville last night by Jennings, Mitchell & Russell, the purchasers of the 40,000 head of cattle formerly owned by the Sautena people, at Colombres, Mexico. The shipment is to be divided, part going to market and part to range at Aguilares, Tex.

This is the first shipment of the enormous number of cattle, and several thousand are to be imported to the United States until the entire number have been brought over, part of the cattle will be sent to market and part to range in various sections of the Southwest.

The Mexican cow punchers who brought the cattle to Brownsville from the ranch at Colombres, or Rio Bravo, paraded the streets of the city last night, creating some curiosity among the people on the street, as well as amusement. They are to return to Colombres this morning for another bunch of cattle.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD MAKES APPOINTMENTS

A short session of the school board was held yesterday morning in the offices of R. B. Creager, a member of the board. The board appointed Miss Lula Rich, teacher of the West Brownsville school, which, after being transferred to the central high school building, has been reopened in West Brownsville, in a building owned by S. C. Tucker.

Mrs. May Davis, formerly teacher of the West Brownsville school, has been given the seventh grade in the city school, succeeding Mrs. K. D. Hamilton, who recently removed to Kingsville.

Mrs. Olivia Yznaga has been appointed a supernumerary, and has assumed her duties in the city school building. Miss Rich, the newly appointed teacher, holds a state teacher's certificate, as required by a ruling adopted by the school board at a recent meeting.

The members present at yesterday's meeting of the board included President J. L. Wortman, Frank Pierce, R. B. Creager, J. T. Canales and Secretary C. M. Garza.

A MISSING COLLECTOR FOUL PLAY FEARED

A man named Alvarez, a collector for the company which is pushing the irrigation project at Rio Bravo, in the state of Tamaulipas, Mexico, disappeared Saturday and an active search for him or some news of him is in progress. The man is said to have had about \$2,000 of the company's money, in his possession. According to report, he had been sent out to make some collections for the company, and has not been seen at the company's headquarters since. It is thought possible that he was waylaid, and robbed and possibly killed, by highwaymen, but up to last night no trace of the man dead or alive had been found.

Realty Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record in the office of County Clerk Joseph Webb yesterday:

C. H. Pease, trustee, et al to Rio Grande Land and Product Co., lot No. 5 in Section No. 2, Lyford tract No. 2; consideration \$150.

Domingo Garcia and wife to Toribio Rodriguez, three acres out of "El Calabozos ranch", located in the San Pedro de Carreteros grant; consideration \$110.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

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To avoid moving them I offer for sale, at moderate prices the following at my residence on St. Charles St., from one to six o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, Nov. 13, 1912: McCray Refrigerator, Round-oak extension dining table, oak dining chairs, wardrobe, dresser with plate glass mirror, bedsteads and springs, mattresses, settee, steel folding bed, tables, chairs, carpet, matting, linoleum, cook stove, dishes, wash kettle, Singer sewing machine, fine Bush and Gerts piano in first-class condition; nearly new survey with extra fine upholstery, steel automobile bed with steel tires; large very gentle fine looking bay family combination carriage and saddle horse, harness, Texas saddle nearly good as new, and many other things too numerous to mention. Would trade for desirable lots or other real estate. A fine opportunity to secure a furnished house cheaply.

WILLIAM S. HAWKINS.

Brownsville, Tex.

PERSONALS

Joe Kowalski left on the afternoon train yesterday on a business trip to Dallas. He expects to be gone only three or four days.

Judge Noah Allen went to Houston and Galveston yesterday afternoon on legal business. He will return the latter part of the week.

H. G. Posey of San Antonio is in Brownsville.

A. P. Turner of San Benito was a visitor in Brownsville Monday.

C. W. Wilkes of San Benito was a visitor in Brownsville Monday.

J. C. Draper of Hebronville is a guest at the Miller hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Haber, E. F. Lehman and Mrs. Heagle, all of Chicago, Ill., are visitors in Brownsville registered at the San Carlos hotel. Mr. Haber is a real estate operator in Chicago, and is in Brownsville on business.

E. S. Munoz of Kingsville is a visitor in Brownsville. Mr. Munoz is at the San Carlos hotel.

C. J. Jennings of San Antonio is a business visitor in this city.

C. T. Harvin of Houston is in the city for a few days.

Major John B. Armstrong of Katherine is in Brownsville for a few days.

H. L. Dunham of San Benito was in Brownsville yesterday.

James W. Holt went to Mission yesterday afternoon on business. From there he will go to Lake Charles, La., for a few days.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Scaled bids will be received by the City of Brownsville, Cameron Co. Tex., until 4:00 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 13th, 1912, at office of City Secretary for the construction of a storm sewer on 9th St., between Levee and Adams.

Work to be composed of the following items:

960 ft. of 18-inch sewer pipe either of tile or concrete, 12 inlets and 1 manhole. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of City Engineer, Merchant's Nt. Bank Bldg. Scaled bids will also be received for the lowering of the water connections in Paving District No. 3, and replacing same with lead connections.

Bids on above mentioned work will be received at same time and place as mentioned above. Specifications for the lowering of the water connections can be obtained from the superintendent of the light and water department. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$100.00 which will be forfeited to the City of Brownsville should successful bidder fail to enter into contract and bond. The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. W. DAVIS,
City Engineer.

Mid-winter Fair News.

The Brownsville Mid-winter Fair Association, through Manager Williams, has closed a contract with the H. L. Lockwood Carnival Co., and this concern will bring their shows to Brownsville for the entertainment. The Lockwood company is one of the best in the business, it is said, and is giving satisfaction every where it shows. They are now showing at the No-Tsu-Oh carnival at Houston, and every attraction that is now in that city will be brought to Brownsville in January.

The Rio Grande & Coast Association has engaged an exhibition space 12x100 feet in the fair grounds, where it will exhibit products grown in the Valley. It will not be an exhibit from any town in particular, but will have exhibits from all portions of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. This is an association of truck growers, used for the purpose of shipping their products in the most profitable and advantageous, as well as most convenient manner. The membership is made up from truck growers from all over the Valley.

COTTON.

Associated Press.
New Orleans, Nov. 11.—Cotton futures steady, May decline 17@19 points; spots steady revised shows middling 12-1-4.

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