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COLLATED AT THE CAPITAL

BY EXPRESS REPORTERS

For Sunday Morning Reading-Cour

News-Testing the Pavements-Other News.

ACTIVELY, December 13.-A motion for a

general trial in the case of W. H. Bates, was

overruled in the county court this afternoon.

A motion for a new trial in the military

case against Isaac Gilson was made by his

counsel, Mr. John H. Howell, on the ground

that the charge to the jury was contrary to

law, and also as not applicable to the case. The county judge,

Z. T. Fullerton, is considering the matter.

There were nine marriage licenses issued

by the county clerk this week-five colored

and four white. The real estate transfers, as

recorded, aggregated nearly twenty-five

thousand dollars. The jury in the Hanks case

brought in a verdict of guilty in the murder

of a white man in the month of August, 1897,

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FOOD FOR THE FLAMES.

IN A VIENNA THEATRE

Three Hundred Persons Burned to

Death--Sickening Details--A

Boarding House Holocaust

in Pennsylvania--Other Fires.

VIENNA, December 9.-Evening re-

searches show that the upper galleries

must have fallen into the pit, where the

only remains found were small frag-

ments of bone. Beyond a double row of

gallery tickets had been issued, 100-holders

of these were seen by the police at the

windows. It is feared that the loss of

life will be found to be 700. Nothing has

been heard of the members of the

orchestra. The subscription raised on

the case now amounts to 25,000 dollars.

All the newspapers have opened subscrip-

tion lists, and the emperor has given a

100,000 dollar contribution to the relief

of the victims. The theatre state that

it was absolutely impossible to lower

the iron curtain, owing to the frightful

rapidity with which the flames

spread. The audience of the theatre

last night was larger than usual, owing

to the fact that the day was a holiday.

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WEEK OF A VESSEL AT MATAGORDA--The

Boat Laborers' Strike Still in Pro-

gress--Shipping News--Col-

on Notes--Personal.

Galveston, Texas, December 10.-This

morning information was received here

that the bark Ann Elizabeth, of Philadel-

phia, Texas, master, which was chartered

for the purpose of carrying a cargo of

coal for the Texas-Mexican railway, was

stranded at Matagorda, Texas, on the

10th inst. The vessel was driven ashore

by a heavy sea, and was wrecked. The

crew and passengers were rescued, and

the cargo was saved. The vessel was

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Metropolitan table with columns for various locations and their respective values.

City News

—Dance at Krich's hall to-night.
—Baker & Farrow take this cake.
—Don't forget the dance at Krich's hall to-night.

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