

VOLUSIA COUNTY NEWS

LUNGREN AND BARBERVILLE.

Special Correspondence.

BARBERVILLE.

A small sawmill might do well in this vicinity. The people of the several small towns in this region have to go too far for their lumber when they have building or repairing to do. It could be connected with the manufacture of crates and perhaps barrels.

Leon Barber, who has been with his mother in Jacksonville the past year or longer, has returned to Barberville, and is now assisting his father at the store.

Fires have occurred in the woods between Barberville and Lungren in a number of places, and fences near the road have been threatened by the flames. It is evident that the fires are started by somebody. Some people in self-defense burn the dead leaves, dry grass, etc., near their own premises to prevent their fences and homes from being burned by marauders or careless people who set the woods on fire. The turpentine men do the same thing; they rake the leaves and other combustibles away from the tapped pine trees and then set the trash on fire and burn it. This keeps the fire off when the adjacent woods are ablaze. Then there are the old fools who think it does good to burn the woods, as it makes the grass grow, and the fool boys who set the woods on fire to see them burn. There seems to be considerable carelessness in the matter.

Finestraining has been done on the county road leading to DeLand, extending some distance south of Barberville, and some work has been done in repairing several small bridges on the road from Barberville to Lungren.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 a. m.

A case of smallpox was reported last week from Seville, which is attracting a good deal of attention hereabouts, if not some excitement. In the large cities cases of smallpox and measles probably occur every year without attracting much attention. As long as the necessary precautions are taken to prevent the spreading of contagious diseases, little is to be feared. I am by no means an advocate of compulsory vaccination.

LUNGREN.

Arbor Day was observed last Friday by the public school, but the day was devoted mostly to cleaning up the trash and dead leaves around the school house, in which both the teacher and pupils took part.

A foul murder occurred a few evenings ago at Alco, Lake county, just across the river from Bluffton. Alco is the headquarters of the St. Johns Log and the Company. It was pay day, and a negro hand had in his possession \$25. He and another negro named Ross desired to go to Jacksonville, but Ross had no money. Finally the other negro agreed to pay Ross' fare, and they started for Alco, where they were to cross the river and go to Barberville and take the train. About dark Ross came to Alco and hired a negro employe to take him across the river in a rowboat, and Ross went on to Barberville to catch the night train, and the boatman returned to Alco. Next morning the dead body of the negro Ross had been with the day before was found some distance from the railway terminal. His money was missing, all but a few cents. His head had been crushed with a stick of wood or something like that. It is reported that Ross has been captured. He had on two suits of clothes and the under suit was found stained with blood. We did not learn the name of the victim.

There have been some cases of measles in Mr. Lucas' family, in this neighborhood. One of the boys, it is said, recently went to Georgia to see some relatives, and contracted the disease there and brought it into the family. There are several other cases of mild sickness in the vicinity which are somewhat suspicious, but which at this time are not considered the disease and may not be. Country people eat so much greasy hog meat and bacon, and food seasoned with lard, that they frequently have ailments which are no doubt mostly

Orange City

[This department is in charge of Miss C. A. Babcock, who is authorized to receive subscriptions and receipt bills for Orange City advertisements, job work or subscriptions.]

Orange City, February 10.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul and daughter, Miss Pauline, of New York City came Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Paul were here a short time in January. They like Orange City well enough to return for the rest of the winter. They are stopping at the Bolo. We are glad to have them back.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walden, Mrs. Belle Dunlap and Mrs. Nellie Palmer went to DeLand Saturday on business.

Mrs. Wm. Heebner left on Monday, by way of St. Johns River, for Jacksonville, as a delegate from the Orange City V. L. A. to the State Federation of Clubs Convention, being held this week in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Porter of Astabula, O., who are stopping in Cassadaga, were in Orange City Saturday, shopping and looking over the town.

Mrs. Olive Stanley and Mrs. Judson of Shelton, Conn., arrived Saturday, and are boarding at Mrs. R. D. Tucker's at Kensington Place.

Mrs. Nevins, who is boarding at Palmetto Cottage, gave a clock golf party on the lawn Saturday afternoon to a number of her friends. The day was perfect, and lots of white dresses were in evidence. Mrs. James Walden won the ladies' first prize; Mr. Wm. Heebner men's first prize. Everyone there pronounced it a grand success. After the game was over light refreshments were served.

Major Kingman and Major Brenna gave an oyster supper and evening entertainment last Wednesday for the benefit of the library. One hundred and three persons took supper there. They had a lovely supper, and it was a success every way. The ladies helped about the tables; Mrs. Heintzman had charge of the dining room, and is a host in herself. We are sorry to say Major Kingman was taken sick that afternoon and was unable to be present that evening. That threw the whole responsibility upon Major Brenna, who seemed equal to the task. Everything went off beautifully. They took in between \$20 and \$40.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettigill of New York City arrived Tuesday evening. They are friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fenn, and will stop with them.

We are glad to say that Major Kingman is able to be out again.

Mrs. Slater and daughter and Mrs. Bullock, who were boarding at Mr. Tucker's, have rented rooms on Graves avenue, and gone to house keeping.

Wm. Kolman has rented his Sunset Hill place to Mr. J. R. Bradshaw of Monticello, Tenn. He has a wife and six children. His wife's sister, Miss Vera Gilliam of Pelham, Tenn., accompanies them, also Mrs. E. D. Jones of Valparaiso, Ind. They seem to be a jolly crowd.

Mrs. J. F. Lewis of Mt. Dora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Diefenbach, came Monday evening for a two weeks' visit with her parents.

The entertainment at the hotel Saturday evening was a very pleasant gathering. There were 53 present. We spent the time in playing games and social chat.

Mr. and Mrs. Keyes of Connecticut, parents of Mrs. Calvin Sperry, came Monday evening to spend the winter with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of Landsdale, Pa., and niece, Miss Alice, came Monday. They are friends of Mr. Lukins. They are stopping at the Bolo for a few weeks.

There were nine tables at our Euchre Club Tuesday evening. Mrs. Butler and Percy King won first honors, Miss Holley and Roy Hardin the consolations.

caused by improper diet. A letter was received from Jacksonville by a family in this neighborhood in January, latter part, stating that there were about 1,000 cases of measles in that city. A physician practicing in one of the towns in the north end of this county was seen with regard to the report, as physicians are supposed to be better posted in such matters than other people. He said there were some cases of measles in Jacksonville, but this report was an exaggeration. It is also reported that there are some cases along the East Coast. The people should be kept posted with regard to this matter, so as to take the necessary precautions to avoid the disease. People who live temperately and observe the laws of health have not much to fear from diseases or epidemics.

Mr. Felt is still shipping oranges from his Emporia groves, or was last week, when he had ten hands employed inside his packing house, besides others outside.

Last Sunday was the day for regular preaching at the Baptist church in Seville. The singing at this church is better than that usually found in a village. It is led by Mrs. Felt, Mrs. Miner and others.

Observer.

NEW SMYRNA.

Items from the Breeze.

A large party of gentlemen from Sullivan, Ind., were out on a camp hunt last week. All of the party except Mr. Woods and Charlie Matthews came in last week. These two gentlemen stayed until Saturday and killed two fine bucks. The party killed quite a lot of game. They were accompanied by Jack Mitchell and A. W. McKenzie as guides.

There are probably more people in New Smyrna now than have ever been here before. The cottages are all occupied, and there is only a room here and there to be obtained. The hotels and boarding houses are also doing a good business. Many of the visitors here are looking around with the intention of purchasing property before they leave for their northern homes, and intend building winter homes here.

D. C. Silvers has purchased the lot on the corner of Canal and Live Oak streets. It is his intention to erect a business house on the lot.

The Ocean House has been pretty well filled with guests for several weeks. This is one of the most popular hotels along the East Coast. Capt. Sams, the general host, spares no pains to make his guests comfortable.

DAYTONA

Items from the Gazette-News

The County Commissioners, with the help of Joe Hooker Post, have raised enough money to send Mr. and Mrs. McDonald to the Soldiers' Home at Hampton, Va. Mr. McDonald is an old Union veteran, who came here about eight months ago with an invalid wife, and deserves all the aid which may be rendered him.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock Wednesday the city marshal was west of the railroad near the colored school house endeavoring to round up some cattle for impounding, that had been feasting surreptitiously on grape fruit of Mr. Foote and neighbors, when he came upon a blind well, and went down involuntarily into the water, from which he extricated himself only after arduous effort and the lacerating of one of his hands. In the meantime the cattle escaped.

The new crop of lettuce is now on the market. Tuesday 37 crates left here for northern markets. It is expected if weather conditions are favorable, there will be 2,000 crates shipped before the season ends. So far the prices have held up well, and the chances are that another season will find our lettuce growers with increased acreage.

The Starch Factory at Lake Helen is discarding the remainder of the cassava they use after the starch has been extracted. They will now dry, compress and grind this refuse, thus converting it into cattle food. A part will be tried as a fertilizer to produce colossal cabbage.

Volusia County Case Settled.

The Supreme Court has handed down the following decision in a Volusia county case. Perhaps our county attorneys may be able to tell what was done by reading this decision—we can't:

In the Supreme Court of Florida, division A, June term, A. D. 1903. E. E. Hopes, plaintiff in error, vs. C. W. Lansing and J. J. Curry, late co-partners doing business under the name and style of Lansing & Curry, defendants in error.—Volusia county.

Per curiam. Appellate practice—A final judgment necessary to support writ of error—dismissal as to one co-defendant not a final judgment.

1. There must be a final judgment to support a writ of error.

2. Where there are two co-defendants to a suit and one of them consents to the declaration, and upon the sustaining of such demurrer the suit is dismissed as to such demurring defendant, but is still pending as to the other defendant, such order dismissing the case as to such defendant is not such a final judgment as will support a writ of error.

Write of error dismissed.

E. E. Hopes, in pro per; no appearance for defendants in error.

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A Speaking Photograph. In the Apollo theater at Berlin an apparatus combining the phonograph and moving picture machine so as to produce a speaking photograph has been exhibited with satisfactory results.

A Nervous Woman

Will often feel compelled to stop the clock whose ticking seems unbearable to her. In such a nervous condition the woman needs a building up of the entire system. It is useless to attempt the cure of the nerves while the cause of the nervousness remains unremoved. A very common cause of nervousness in women is a diseased condition of the delicate womanly organism. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures womanly diseases and the nervousness which they cause. It changes irregularity to regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It is a perfect tonic and nerve, tranquilizing the nerves, promoting the appetite and inducing refreshing sleep.

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Governor Jennings has made the following important appointments: James B. Whitefield, now attorney-general, to be associate justice of the Supreme Court, succeeding Justice E. C. Maxwell, resigned.

W. H. Ellis, now state auditor, to be attorney general, succeeding J. B. Whitefield.

Ernest Ames of Milton, state auditor, succeeding W. H. Ellis.

Charles B. Parkhill of Pensacola, judge of the Circuit Court for the First Circuit, succeeding L. J. Reeves, resigned.

End of Bitter Fight

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I have entirely regained my health. It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung Troubles. Guaranteed by G. W. Fisher's and W. A. Allen's Drug Stores. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

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LEAVE.
For the north 2:25 p. m.
For the south 1:15 and 5:45 p. m.

ARRIVE.
From the north 2:25 p. m.
From the south 2:15 and 6:05 p. m.

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| SOUTH-BOUND | | SCHEDULE | | NORTH-BOUND | |
|-------------|------------|----------|--------------|-------------|------------|
| Start | Stop | Start | Stop | Start | Stop |
| Leave | 2:30 p. m. | | Jacksonville | | Arrive |
| " | 3:00 p. m. | | Palatka | | 2:00 p. m. |
| " | 3:30 p. m. | | Astor | | 3:00 p. m. |
| " | 4:00 p. m. | | St. Francis | | 4:00 p. m. |
| Arrive | 5:30 p. m. | | Sanford | | 5:30 p. m. |
| " | 6:00 p. m. | | Intermediate | | 6:00 p. m. |

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