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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Our columns are open to one correspondent at every town and postoffice in Wakulla county. We want the news from each settlement, and correspondents will be allowed to say all the good things they like about their own town or settlement, but not one word will be published running down any other section of the county. We also reserve the right to strike out any unpleasant personalities. We propose to make the Breeze a county paper and not a personal or local organ.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS AND SUBSCRIBERS.

Transient advertisements must be paid for in advance.

We offer 10 per cent discount on all advertisements making over one column.

Preferred positions will be advanced 50 per cent on regular advertising rates.

Subscribers will oblige us by notifying this office of any failure to receive their paper.

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Crawfordville,
Fla.

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Will practice in all of the courts of Georgia and Florida.

Remember, for a short time I will give with each purchase of 25c 50c & \$1.00 worth of flour, one can of Baking powder FREE.

F. W. Duval.

Full line of Harness, Saddles, Bridles and all saddlery goods, just received and for sale at lowest prices at

W. W. Walker's.

Try Snow Boy washing powder, best in the world at Duval's.

Just received direct from one of the largest clothing manufacturers, over 200 pair of nicely assorted pants from 50c. per pair, up at

W. W. Walker's.

Glass ware, tin ware, the largest line in town at

Duval's.

Large line of shoes just received and will be sold cheap at

Duval's.

EDITORIAL

Whats the matter with Hanna?

Revolutions seems to be the fad in South America just now.

The British soldiers in India have about got their hands full.

Jack Frost is about to get the best of yellow jack in New Orleans.

The Fernandina fire laddies won the cup in the hose contest in Jacksonville Tuesday.

The republicans barely squeezed in in Ohio and now they seem to want no more of Hanna.

Jacksonville's Gala week was without doubt the biggest attraction ever undertaken in Florida.

Allen & Rogers tobacco ware house at Ocala, together with 1500 pounds of tobacco was destroyed by fire Tuesday.

Luetgert has had a quarrel with ex-judge Vincent, his leading council, and Judge Vincent has with drawn from the case.

The Georgia House of Representatives passed a bill last week to prevent the playing of football. Baseball comes next on the list.

The choir of the Peoples church in New York, struck last Sunday, because their pastor advocated the election of Seth Low for mayor. Next.

Deer have grown so numerous in Vermont that they have become a nuisance, and the state press are demanding that the law be repealed.

The "Belle Haven," the new hotel now nearing completion in Fort Myers, has been purchased from Mr. H. O'Neill, by H. B. Plant, president of the Plant System of Railroads, Steamboats, and Hotels.

The supreme court of the United States sustained the decision of the circuit court in the case of Theodore Durrant, who murdered Miss Blanche Lamont in San Francisco in April, 1895 and Durrant will hang.

Primus Davis a festive colored citizen of Live Oak, shot four pistol balls into the body of his wife, then reloaded his pistol and took to the woods, but was overtaken near Jasper by sheriff Hawkins, and carried back and landed in jail.

A negro train hand, sent to flag a train near Ogden Thursday, went to sleep on the track. When the train came and awoke him instead of getting off he tried to crawl across the track and was struck by the engine and probably fatally injured.

William Pagett charged, with murdering his brother-in-law in Westville, was found guilty of manslaughter, and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Mr. Hinson, of Appalacheicola, was in town this week selling fine spectacles and entertaining the boys.

Grand Jury Presentments.

We, the Grand Jurors enquiring in and for the body of the county of Wakulla Fall term of Circuit Court, A. D. 1897, do make the following general presentments.

1st. We find that the County Judge, Sheriff, and Clerk of Court have complied with Sec. 3rd, Chap. 4141, laws of 1893 and we file their statement here with.

2nd. Under Sec. 17, Chap. 4338, laws of 1895, we report as follows; we find that the public roads and bridges in the county are in good condition.

3rd. We respectfully call attention to the fact that a more comfortable chair should be furnished the presiding Judge, and hope by next term of court they will furnish a more suitable one for the bench.

4th. While we have had to act on but few cases called to our attention by the proper authorities, yet the number is larger than heretofore, and we hope that a check may be put to the commission of crime in the county, by the exercise of good sense and standing by the law loving people of the county.

5th. We tender our thanks to his Honor, Judge John W. Malone, for his able, comprehensive and explicit charge relating to our duties and congratulate the people upon the rapidity and legal correctness with which the business of the court is disposed of.

6th. We also tender our thanks to State Attorney Geo. Walker for his able advice and instructions in regard to our duties.

S. Roddenberry, Foreman.

Live Oak is in the midst of an epidemic of sneak thieves.

While felling a big butt onwood tree near Fort Myers last week Jack Barber got his leg broke.

A number of towns in South Florida have organized companies to grow tobacco.—Leesburg Commercial.

Messrs Charles Luffe and Bert Rude are back again. The boat in which they started to sail to Tampa was cap sized off St. Marks bar by a gale Tuesday; they lost most of their outfit, but saved themselves and their boat.

Yard wide Brown Shirting only 5c per yard at Duval's.

Car load of salt, just received, 70 cents per sack at W. W. Walker's.
4 feet of good tobacco 25c at Duval's.

Leon County Butter always on hand at Duval's.

Remember I carry a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries. F. W. Duval.

Remember I am headquarters for loaded shells and fishing tackle, all kinds. F. W. Duval.

Remember I am headquarters for all kinds of canned goods. F. W. Duval.

Remember I will sell you 4-4 Fruit of the Loom Bleaching at 7 1/2 cents. Best goods made. F. W. Duval.

Watch for my ladies and gents hats. I have just ordered a large line from New York. F. W. Duval.

Remember that subscriptions are payable in advance. If you cannot spare a whole dollar, try a quarter's worth.

3/4 Brown Shirting only 4 1/2c. at Duval's.

Best grade of Check Shirting, only 5 1/2c at Duval's.

St. Marks Markings.

Saint Marks Fla., 11-11-97.

EDITOR BREEZE;

Since I last wrote you there has come into our open unprotected port several seagoing vessels of various sizes and dimensions, and departed as they came in, without let or hindrance, there being no one here with authority to investigate them in any manner.

On Saturday last a steamboat came in here from God knows where, with quite a number of passengers aboard. No one knows the least as to the condition of their health or otherwise. I am told that some boarded the train for Tallahassee and many others scattered through the country in several directions.

With such facts staring us in the face we can readily imagine what the terrible consequences might be under favorable circumstance. To say the least, with our port in its present condition leaves open a wide gap through which a vast amount of mischief and evil can be done. I do not know whether the steam boat referred to is a smuggling craft, a Cuban filibusterer, or what it is for, but I do know that she went past this port and went up the St. Marks river, and as she went above where any one lives I am unable to advise what she went up there for. The steamboat I refer to is quite a different craft from Mr. Cay's turpentine boat, in fact it is a stranger from across the water.

Severe colds are prevalent here, and many are suffering in consequence. Aside from that the general health, I believe is good.

We have an excellent school here, presided over by a most estimable young lady, Miss Mamie Farley, who is held in the highest estimation by the whole community.

We had a late train Saturday, owing to the breaking of a locomotive, no serious damage resulting therefrom.

Shipping palmetto buds and fishing are the most important industry here at present, and the fishermen have made some very good catches of late.

Mr. J. A. Graham has a large force of hands at work, and expects so start his mill in a very short time.

I find the BREEZE is considered in the highest estimation in this bailiwick.

SAINT MARKS.

Watch my place for the 5c counter. It will save you money. F. W. Duval.

When you need clothing, buy of me. I will guarantee to save you money. F. W. Duval.

Large line of Ladies' dress goods, just received at Duval's.

Remember that the Breeze blows for all, and for every section of Wakulla county alike. It is our desire and intention to wait it into the home of every citizen of the county if possible. Sample copies have been sent to the head of every family in the county whose address we could learn. If any have failed to get a copy, they can get a sample free of charge by sending us their address.

CANDY, 10c per pound at Duval's.

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Patents, and Trade-Marks obtained and all Patent business conducted for MODERATE FEES. OUR OFFICE IS OPPOSITE U. S. PATENT OFFICE and we can secure patent in less time than those remote from Washington.

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A WARNING.

Chapter 4023, Section 1. That from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any storekeeper, saloon keeper, merchant, or any other person or persons, their agents, clerks, managers or assigns, to sell to, buy for, give to, or in any other manner dispose of, to any person or persons under the age of eighteen years, cigarettes, smokettes, or cigarette paper, when prepared for the purpose of making cigarettes of any kind or description whatsoever; any person or persons who shall violate the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 30 days, or by fine not to exceed one hundred dollars.

To Crawfordville storekeepers, merchants, or any other person or persons, their agents clerks managers or assigns, that from and after the publication of this notice in this paper, any person or persons, guilty of violating Sec. 1, chapter 4024, Appendix, Revised Statutes of Florida, shall be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

A WELL WISHER OF THE COMMUNITY.

Legal Advertisements.

STATEMENT.

Made under Sec. 34, chapter 4322, laws of Florida, showing the amount charged to the Tax Collector of Wakulla county Florida, to be collected for the current year, 1896, and the apportionment of the same to the several funds for which such taxes were levied, including poll tax with county school fund.

Total amount charged,	\$5,715.63
APPORTIONMENT.	
County proper tax,	2,333.01
County School Tax	2,916.61
Fine and forfeiture tax,	466.61
Attest J. J. Harrell,	
Nov. 1st, 1897.	Clerk Circuit Court.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that 30 days from the date hereof I will apply to S. J. Giles, county Judge of Wakulla county Florida, for an order to sell certain lands belonging to Willie Posey, a minor heir of Thomas J. Posey, late of said county, deceased, to wit: Eighty six acres of land lying in section 23, township 4 S., range 2 W., bound as follows. 66 acres of it bound on the North and East and West by lands of John Posey, and on the South by lands of Mrs. — — Matthews, and the lands originally set apart to Little Posey, and 20 acres of it touching the S. E. corner of the said 66 acres bound as follows: on the North by lands of John Posey, on the east by lands of Ben Nelson, on the West by lands set apart to Little Posey, and on the South by lands of Mrs. Matthews. This Oct. 29, 1897.

W. T. Duval,
Guardian of Willie Posey.

Out of Sight tobacco, only 20c per lb at Duval's.

If you have any thing to sell, you have anything to trade, you have anything to buy, Call on W. W. Walker.

Three papers of pins only 5c at Duval's.

Large and well assorted stock of men's, boy's, women's, Misses and infants shoes just received and will be sold as low as the lowest at W. W. Walker's.

3 papers of needles only 5c at Duval's.

A full line of fine Toilet Soaps, Tooth Powders and Brushes, Face Powders etc., at Towles' Drug Store.

Good Check Shirts only 4 1/2c at Duval's.

Fine Colognes and Extracts, — Towles Drug Store.

10 lbs good coffee for only \$1.00 at Duval's.