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THE MOST STRIKING FIGURE IN FLORIDA.

(From the Pensacola Journal.)

The recent primary in Florida produced, in some circles at least, some very unexpected and surprising results. One of these results was the vote for the United States senator.

It was generally expected that Senator Taliaferro would lead the ticket and if he had been nominated in the first primary no one would have been greatly surprised.

The fact of the senior senator's long and useful service to Florida; the fact that his forces in the State were thoroughly organized and that his financial resources were sufficient to make possible the most complete and exhaustive campaign; the fact that his chief opponent, former Governor Broward, had two years previously suffered defeat and that he entered the present campaign so late and, apparently with so little enthusiasm, that even his friends regarded his chances as almost hopeless; the fact that the former governor is a man of very limited financial resources and that there were no large interests which could be depended upon to come to his support—all of these things combined to make the result of the first primary both unexpected and surprising. No one imagined that Governor Broward would receive as large a vote in the first primary as Senator Taliaferro, much less lead the ticket, as he seems now to have done by the small majority of 69 votes.

Less than seven years ago, few people outside of Duval county (where he had served as sheriff) had ever heard of Broward in the politics of the state. His name had appeared in the newspapers as the filibuster master of the Three Friends, who had made several successful runs with arms and supplies for the Cuban army. As a political leader he was unknown.

Six years ago this same unknown man entered the campaign for governor against an opponent who was regarded as the most eloquent and popular citizen of Florida—Congressman Robt. W. Davis. He was late, then as now, in making his announcement. He was limited, then as now, in financial resources. He was then, as now, without any organization, and then as now, he had an organization to fight. His issue in that campaign was the saving of the State Everglades lands from the railroads, and the drainage and reclamation of those lands for the benefit of the state. No one thought he would be elected. His drainage scheme was ridiculed as visionary and impracticable. His map, his book, his method of campaign were all laughed at—"jes laughed" at—by his political opponents. But the votes were counted and Broward was elected.

And what was the result? His administration was a good one. His Everglades drainage scheme—ridiculed at first as visionary and impracticable—was put into effect and is today everywhere recognized as a success. He himself has grown in prominence, not only in Florida, but throughout the nation. At the national Democratic convention in Denver he attracted attention wherever he appeared. At the waterways convention in St. Louis he was, next to the president himself, the most talked of man in the gathering. He is today the only man of national prominence in Florida. Go where you will—north, east, west—they ask you about Everglades drainage and about "that man Broward," whose name is linked with this marvelous reclamation enterprise.

Take it altogether, Napoleon B. Broward is the most singular and striking figure in Florida. No man like him has appeared within the memory of the present generation and none is likely to follow.

It is not for the Journal to advise its readers who, between these two distinguished Floridians—Senator Taliaferro and Governor Broward—they shall select to represent them for the next six years in the United States senate. They know as much about each as The Journal could possibly tell them. Numerous reasons, both for and against, the election of either might be given. It is for the people of Florida to say who, in their judgment, will serve them best.

But the achivements to date of Napoleon B. Broward cannot fail—and have not failed—to attract the attention and, in most cases, the admiration of thoughtful people everywhere. Any man who, single handed and alone, without the advantages of a school education, without organization or money, and known to only a limited number of the people of his state—any man who, with these disadvantages, can in six short years make for himself the name and the place, in Florida, and in the nation, that this man has made is a remarkable personality who cannot be ignored.

The Hon. Robt W. Davis is generous even to self-abnegation. He gives to Senator Taliaferro all the credit for collecting from the Federal government Florida's Indian war claim of more than a million dollars, when, as a matter of fact, any one who knows of that transaction knows that it was Mr. Davis, himself, who turned the trick. But Mr. Davis is not now in politics in the sense of being an applicant for office, and perhaps he can afford to be generous.

The comet is now rapidly moving off into space and will soon be out of sight and out of mind. Seventy-five years from now people will begin to study astronomy again for two months.

The press campaign for the release of Banker Chas. W. Morse has reached the teary stage, which probably indicates that a pardon is not far away.

Until Alfred Austin and Rudyard Kipling worked off those dull verses, we didn't know they were taking the king's death so hard.

If jail terms for beef trust and sugar trust operators become popular, the length of jail service will soon be used in the Dun and Bradstreet ratings.

Senator Depew says the war with Spain could have been avoided. That is possible. But could Spain have gotten the punishment she deserved in any other way?

Sometimes the primary plan compels the voter to make choice between two evils, and taxes his think-tank to the utmost to reach a conclusion as to which of them is the least.

The second expense statement filed by the candidates for U. S. senator with the secretary of state, shows that Senator Taliaferro paid out $18,264.24, or 82 cents for each vote received. Broward paid out $6,557.14, or 32 cents a vote. L'Engle's expenses amounted to $3,698.75, or 80 cents for each vote he received. "But the half has never been told."

"Pastor" Russell, he of the whiskers and the Millennial Dawn Propaganda, although crossing the Atlantic last Sunday, managed to get his regular sermon to the Times-Union and the Tampa Tribune just the same. His text was appropriate to the occasion, and was "Water, water everywhere, without a speck of land in sight," a parody on the original "Water, water everywhere, but not a drop to drink."

In Volusia county, four candidates for the legislature are privileged to run over in the second primary, but as there was no money to conduct the primary, the county executive committee called for an additional assessment of $100 from each of these candidates, but two of whom—Cade and Daugherty—have paid. As the law limits the assessment of candidates to 5 per cent of their salary for one year, and as this full legal assessment was paid by the candidates in the first primary, it looks as if the executive committee of Volusia was exceeding its authority, to say the least.

Are you not glad this senatorial contest is about over? Certainly if you have been a reader of the campaign literature (?) distributed by the candidates or their managers, or the abuse of them through the columns of the partisan and subsidized press, you are weary and sigh for a rest. Think of it! Two of the leading citizens of Florida, members of the same political party, are candidates for the highest honor in the gift of the people of their state. And yet, were you to believe one-half the "stuff" written and spoken about either of them, both should be headed for the chain-gang instead. The Palatka News is glad it has given space to none of this disgraceful vituperation and innuendo; that it has been able to distinguish between crime and a mere difference of opinion upon matters of public policy; between the natural views of men whose mental and physical training was acquired under different conditions and environment. There is a difference in the mental make-up of these candidates, but morally speaking the News believes either of them is endowed with sufficient honesty and patriotism to sit in the senate of the United States. One of them, without doubt, will sit there for the next six years, and no matter which one of them it may be, this paper can look him in the face without blushing for anything it may have said during the campaign. And we are glad of it.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

The Explanation of the Automobile Driver and a Climax.

After the victim of the accident was carried to the sidewalk the automobile driver turned his machine and came back and explained how it happened with considerable warmth.

"This woman," he volubly remarked to the policeman, "was entirely to blame. She ran around from ahead of the street car and deliberately put herself in my way. After she had dodged the coal cart it was too late for me to stop. I couldn't tell which way she was going, and when I saw that she was dazed and foolish I jammed on the brakes and tried to pass to the left, but of course she had to run the same way, and the consequence was that in endeavoring to avoid a baby carriage with twins in it and an old man who was walking with a crutch I suppose I must have hit her. But I wasn't going more than two miles an hour, and any woman who would dodge around in that foolish way and lose her head shouldn't be permitted to go on the streets without a bunch of guardians."

The policeman nodded.

"Come over to the sidewalk," he said "and take a look at her."

So the driver went to the curb with the officer and looked at the unfortunate creature who had so actively contributed to her own disaster.

And, lo, it was only a dressmaker's dummy that had fallen off the rear of a delivery wagon! — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Love.

Love is like the measles—all the worse when it comes late in life.—Douglas Jerrold.

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Christian Endeavor in Florida.

We have four new newspapers on the list so kindly giving space for Christian Endeavor; they are, St. Augustine Evening Record, West Palm Beach Weekly News, Miami Morning News-Record and the Leesburg Commercial. Seven of the daily papers and a few weekly ones were already giving us room. If the press superintendent had more time for this important department she would be indeed glad, for it would mean work better done.

The "Sunshine Corner" of the State Union has now assumed its proper name of Sunshine Department. Many birthday letters and cards are sent out each month. Wedding and other good times congratulations written, and greetings for conventions all over the United States are given in behalf of the Florida Union. Messages of sympathy go to those we hear of who are in trouble. We do not know why more states do not have this department.

There is a new, bright monthly published in Atlanta, called The Congregational News. In the May number there is a fine picture of the graduating class of the theological seminary of Atlanta. There are eight young men, representing that many states, and for Florida there is Rev. Benj. Stock, of Interlachen. After the graduation followed ordination and Mr. Stock returned home for a brief, much needed vacation. Now he has gone to the far western part of the state, where a gospel boat is to be launched for mission work, similar to that now well-know on the East Coast, of which Rev. McQuarrie is captain.

Mr. R. G. Paterson, the hustling junior superintendent in Lakeland, says that not one of his children has backed out yet in leading his meeting when its time came. They try to do everything their leader asks them to do. Is it any wonder Mr. Paterson is proud of his new society?

Crescent City reports new life brought by the rally held there the day after the convention closed at DeLand. That is "the old, old story" of societies that generously entertain their comrades this way.

Mr. Karl Lehmann, who made so many friends in his short visit to Florida, writes us good letters. Passing through successful field work and conventions in Alabama and Tennessee, his next state traversed will be Missouri. This tour will be shortened, for Mr. Lehman is, on June 20th, to wed Miss Lillie Davis, now Colorado Union secretary. The delegates who met Mr. Lehman at DeLand and Crescent City are asked to each send him a Florida post card, mailing it by June 15th, addressing Mr and Mrs. Karl Lehman, 1031 W. Seventh Ave., Denver, Colo.

GRACE A. TOWNSEND.

Interlachen, May 30, 1910.

MEMORY IN FISH.

Striking Results Shown In a Test With Gray Perch.

Even the fishes of the sea have pictures on memory's wall. Experiments have been made with several fishes as to their faculties for remembering, but the most striking results have been obtained with the gray perch, which lives chiefly on small silvery hued sardines. Some of these were taken and colored red and were then put into the tank where the perch was with several silver colored sardines. Of course the normal sardines were at once seized and eaten, but it was not until hungry that the perch made a tentative meal of one of the red colored victims.

On recognizing the sardine flavor, however, he promptly demolished the remainder. Later the perch devoured the sardines irrespective of color, thus showing not only traces of a memory, but also the power to differentiate color.

Subsequently sardines colored red and blue were placed in the tank together with the silver ones. The same scene was repeated, the blue sardines not being attacked until the others were eaten and hunger compelled investigation of the newcomers. After this introduction the perch ate the sardines of all three types without any difficulty.

Some spines of the sea nettle were then fastened to the blue sardines. These were at once avoided by the perch, which promptly got out of the way of the newcomers. This showed traces of memory, as the results of contact with the sea nettle were shown and recognized.—Chicago Tribune.

THE WARM BREATH.

Why It Comes Out Cold Through Partly Closed Lips.

When one breathes out used air from the lungs through the wide open mouth the breath has the same temperature as the body, 98.6 degrees F., and frequently on a cold day we warm our fingers by breathing on them. If, however, we blow the breath vigorously from the mouth the temperature of the breath appears to be much lower than when breathed gently and with open mouth and is decidedly cooling in its effect, writes J. Gordon Ogden in Popular Mechanics.

The latter fact is due to the well known principle established by Lord Kelvin, that a compressed gas upon expanding will absorb heat. The breath, compressed by being forced to pass through the small orifice made by the puckered lips, immediately expands upon being admitted to the outer air and to do so must take up heat.

This is also the identical principle involved in the manufacture of artificial ice. Ammonia gas is first compressed into a liquid and then liberated into a network of tubes surrounding large sheet iron boxes filled with distilled water. The liquid ammonia, set free at one end of the pipe system, begins at once to evaporate, and by the time it has scampered through the long iron tubes it has become gas. As we have learned, to change a liquid to a gas requires heat. This heat is taken from the iron piping, an excellent conductor, which in turn robs the water of its heat, thus freezing it.

Prima Facie Evidence.

The late Lord Morris on one occasion gave a characteristic illustration of the meaning of "prima facie evidence."

"If," he said to the jury, "you saw a man coming out of a public house wiping his mouth, that would be prima facie evidence that he had been having a drink."

Friendship.

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Doubling Up.

A boy of eight years was asked by his teacher where the zenith was. He replied, "That spot in the heavens directly over one's head."

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The Sorrow That Consumed Bichat When He Was Dying.

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Of his nerve a tale is told. When he lay on his deathbed he called his colleagues to him and said: "Dear friends, I am done, but what comforts me is the fact that my case is a remarkable one. I have had unusual symptoms for some days which I have analyzed. They have greatly surprised me." The doctors sought to reassure him. He answered that he was under no illusion with regard to himself. "I shall die fairly satisfied with my life and go to the grave with only one regret, one great sorrow."

"What is that?" he was asked. "I am distressed that after death I cannot dissect my own body. I could, I am certain, have made some beautiful scientific discoveries." Then he sank back, murmuring: "I must not think about it. It won't bear thinking of."—Westminster Gazette.

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Lots 5, 6, 7, 16, 17, 18, blk O, Young's addition Interlachen					N. J. Allen	1[illegible]
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Lots 1, 2, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, blk 38, lots 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, blk 39, Hasting's addition Interlachen					H. G. Hastings	1[illegible]
Lots 25, 26, blk 39, Hasting's addition, Interlachen					H. Mulligan	1[illegible]
Lots 5, 6, 7, blk 38, Hasting's addition, Interlachen					Mary A. Seitz	1[illegible]
All blk 4, Keuka					W. H. Lattin	1[illegible]
All blk 17, Keuka					E. S. Gilbert	1[illegible]
Fract lot 1, blk A and B, Keuka					E. S. Gilbert	[illegible]
Lots 12 and 13 blk B and C, Keuka					E. O. Burrows	1[illegible]
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Lot 3, blk 83, Florahome					Rev. Jno. F. Bettes	[illegible]
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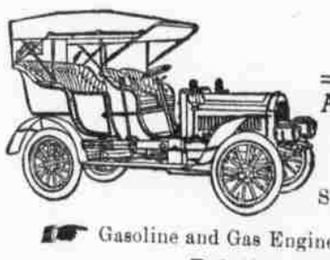

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The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Tim Long. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1910.

Witness my official signature and seal this 27th day of May, A. D. 1910.

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