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Punta Gorda, Florida.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

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Various Items Garnered From This and Other Fields—What Our People Are Doing.

Town council meets next Tuesday night.

Now is your time to buy mattresses.—H. C. Goldstein

Beautiful moonlight nights now—if it's not raining.

Ladies and children's coats and rain coats at Earnest's.

Miss Lennie Spence returned Sunday to school in St. Augustine.

Feed for horses, cattle and chickens at Lanier's feed store.—42

County commissioners and school board met Monday and Tuesday.

Nice line of boys' knee pants suits just received at R. C. Blount's.—10

Carl, Fries left last Friday for Sutherland, Fla., where, on Monday, he entered the Methodist college.

FOR RENT—Piano. Apply to THE HERALD.—2

Mrs. D. T. Stanton, of Pineland, was here several days last week shopping and visiting friends.

Ten Nights in a Bar Room under a big tent one night only. Monday, January 13th.

Embroidered and lace collars for ladies at Earnest's.

Miss Maraba Taylor, of Wauchula, was a welcome visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Roe from Friday till Sunday.

For stock feed of all kinds, go to Lanier's feed store.—42

J. C. Johns has opened a tony restaurant in the room in the Welsh block recently vacated by R. C. Blount, the clothier.

Oysters served in all styles at Goff's corner store, Jackson block.

Everybody hustle and try to get up something to exhibit at the State Fair. Let's make DeSoto's exhibit the biggest and best of all. We can do it, if all will help.

For the freshest and choicest fruits and vegetables, go to Whittaker.—45

Hon. F. M. Cooper and little son Dick went up to Arcadia, Monday, and from there they went next day to Manatee county to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Get your fall and winter underwear at R. C. Blount's.

After several weeks of vernal warmth and sunshine, a change in the weather occurred Monday, when a light rain fell and was followed that night by high winds increasing to a gale, Tuesday morning. The temperature fell perceptibly.

Big line of fresh, pure penny candies at J. S. Goff's grocery.—44

Mr. H. K. Nichols, a prominent merchant and progressive citizen of Englewood, was a popular visitor here last Friday. He reported a party of twelve tourists from the north on their way to Englewood.

For lowest prices in stock feed, go to Lanier's feed store.—42

Early Weeks has the sincere thanks of this scribe and his children for a big mess of fine mullet, presented last Friday, on which day he brought in 10,000 of these fish in the auxiliary schooner Aurelia, of which he is captain.

Pure candies! All sorts of candies! Biggest stock of candies at Fortson and Rhode's.—1t

L. D. M. Robinson, of Dothan Ala., arrived here last week for the purpose of recuperating from an attack of catarrh caused by miserable weather at Dothan. Mr. Robinson lived here about twelve years ago and served an apprenticeship as barber under our good friend, Johnnie Rasch.

New Line Hamilton Brown shoes—American Lady and American Gentleman—best shoes made, just opened up—P. G. Dry Goods Co.

Dr. Gene Whidden returned Monday to Atlanta to resume his studies in medical college.

Oil heaters, prices and quality always right.—H. C. Goldstein.—49

Mr. Parish, a very agreeable gentleman from Midway, Ky., who spent a part of last winter here, has returned for another season with us.

See those elegant new style suits at R. C. Blount's.

Mrs. T. T. Ehney left on Monday to spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives at Titusville and Umatilla.

New water-ground meal at Whittaker's.—47

Beautiful shell souvenirs of Punta Gorda at the China store.—1t

Ten Nights in a Bar Room played just as it was written. One night Monday. Don't forget the date. Jan'y, 13.

Mr. Harry B. Warden, an adept and popular boniface of the White Mountains, N. H., and the original manager of our Hotel Punta Gorda, is again with us for the season, having arrived at noon Monday. Many friends here are giving him "the glad hand."

Harness, wagons and buggies for sale at J. S. Goff's livery stable.—8

For the latest styles in fall and winter clothing, go to R. C. Blount.

It usually requires eighteen months from the planting to mature a pineapple, but Mrs. McAdow, manager of the Solana Pinerias, last week presented this writer with a superior specimen that was matured in eleven months. This doubtless was owing to the excellence of the soil occupied by the Solana Pinerias.

Our line of Misses' and Children's ready made dresses pleases all who purchase.—Cash Dry Goods Co.

Big stock of the latest styles and best wearing winter shoes at R. C. Blount's.

Mr. B. C. Washington last week bought of Mr. Wm. Crouch the latter's cottage and lots in the triangle of three streets in East Punta Gorda. Besides a comfortable dwelling, the place contains many kinds of fruit trees, some of which are in bearing. The purchaser intends it for a winter home. Mrs. Washington is a sister of Mrs. G. W. Gatewood.

Ladies and misses will find hats to suit them in style and price at Mrs. Newton Hanson's.—1t

WANTED—a good, second-hand cook stove, a good baker.—Hotel, Cleveland, Fla. 1t

Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Badger, acting pastor:—Subject of morning sermon next Sunday: "Privilege: Reward: Joy." The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in connection with the morning worship. Christians of all denominations are invited to partake. The theme for the evening will be: "The Nearest Approximation to the Divine."

See those new and catchy styles in ladies' and misses fall and winter hats at Mrs. Newton Hanson's.—1t

The pure food law is in effect and prevents anything but the most reliable groceries from being shipped to Whittaker.—45

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. White are this week moving back here from Fort Myers. They have rented and will occupy one of Mrs. Pearl Baldwin's cottages on Taylor street. Mrs. White will resume her position as operator and manager of our telegraph office. Mr. White has accepted an important railroad position at Lakeland. The return of this popular family gives general pleasure to our people.

FOR SALE.—Two second-hand beds with mattresses, springs and pillows. Bargain for quick sale. Call at cigar factory.—50t

The generous senior member of the firm of A. N. Gibbs and Son, pineapple growers and all-around horticulturists and artisans, presented this scribe, Tuesday, with a superb Smooth Cayenne pineapple that weighed 7 1/2 pounds. It was certainly a royal beauty and enough to feast a dozen persons for dessert. Sincere thanks are hereby tendered our excellent friend, Mr. Gibbs, for his kind and thoughtful generosity. May his pineapple returns be in keeping with the size and quality of his splendid fruit.

Reduced prices on Ladies' and Misses' Coats, even if the cold weather is yet to come. Call and inspect garments and prices. P. G. Dry Goods Co.

The Fortnightly Club had a most enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. C. Hewitt, Jan. 2nd. A fine recitation was rendered by Miss Norma Pepper; also a beautiful song, by Mrs. Nellie Brown Newman. Amusing games and dainty refreshments all seemed to make the afternoon only too short, and every one went home feeling the the hope that the whole year would be as pleasant as the beginning.

Don't fail to hear the Band concert on the main street at noon by Prof. Kritchfield's Military Band Monday, January 13th.

A large, seven room house, in first-class condition and centrally located in Punta Gorda, for rent, either furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Mrs. Evelyn Sandlin, Cleveland, Fla. 2

We have left a few beautiful ladies'—or ladies' beautiful hats, trimmed and untrimmed, which must be sold at some price. Call on us if you are looking for bargains in millinery goods.—P. G. Dry Goods Co.

Kritchfield's Ten Nights in a Bar Room Company, whose coming announcement appears in another column of this issue, comes to our city highly endorsed by the press and public alike. Mr. Kritchfield has spared no pains or expense in making this one of the strongest traveling organizations on the road. The company numbers forty people traveling in their own special car and carry all special scenery for each and every act. The drama, although familiar to many, is just as popular as ever, which is manifested by the large patronage enjoyed by the Kritchfield organization, and all who may attend this performance may be assured of an evening's enjoyment, Monday, Jan'y, 13th.

For pure and reliable medicines, carefully compounded prescriptions, toilet articles and stationery, go to W. A. Roberts' drug store.—1t

Basket for the Bartow Laundry leaves Goff's grocery store every Tuesday. Send all clothing to the store and be sure to have it there on that day. Basket returns Saturday. Satisfaction guaranteed.—18t

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Of our service is promptness. You are waited on when you enter the store. So pay us a visit. Prices will tell you many things.

CHRISTMAS

Has Brought Joy to Many.

The TWENTY-FIFTH has passed and we hope that the season has been a Pleasant One with all

Our Customers.

We appreciate the patronage given us and we will continue to strive to provide for the wants of everybody in a manner that will be "in keeping with the seasons."

We are Now Well Prepared

To fit up all Men, Women and Children with the proper furnishings for the cool days that will come during the next two months. Men's clothing, hats, shoes and other necessities; ladies' cloaks, dress goods, etc. and everything that children wear can all be gotten from our large stock.

Headwear For Men.

We have enough styles and shapes to suit any man in Punta Gorda. We keep goods with a reputation.

SHOES.

We carry only the most popular brands of shoes including W. L. Douglas and Clover Brand for men, Queen Quality and Clover Brand for ladies, Lenox Brand for children.

The New Year

Almost upon us and we wish each and everyone all the happiness possible throughout the year.

Remember "We Clothe the People."

Cash Dry Goods Company,

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R. L. TURNER,
TAMPA, FLORIDA.