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JACKSONVILLE is giving herself great airs. She has already had one trolley car death.

The Hampton Advocate has been purchased by Mr. P. A. Ruhl, a practical newspaper man. The Telegraph extends the fraternal greeting to Brother Ruhl and wishes him much success in his new field.

Ann still they come. It is reported that Lake Butler is to have a newspaper. The Telegraph welcomes the new candidate in advance, and assures its projectors that there are millions in the business. However, it is sometimes very difficult to get the millions out of it.

We can see no reason why supervisors of registration should not be elective. Not because we believe that honest and competent men cannot be secured for the position under the present system of appointment by the governor, but because the people have a right to choose by vote every one of their public servants.

Mr. B. L. Bugg, of Lake City, is a candidate for enrolling clerk of the senate. Mr. Bugg is a sterling young democrat and did good service to the party as editor of the Lake City Reporter during the last campaign. Through personal acquaintance with him we are satisfied that he will, if elected, fill the place most acceptably.

This political wise as as hot as a day in August. Communications are flying around thick and fast assuring members-slept of the house that Dr. Gaskins has no strength as a candidate for the speakership. Drawing men will grasp at straws, and the enemies of Dr. Gaskins do not seem to be exceptions to the rule. The fact of the matter is that Dr. Gaskins is recognized by those members who desire to redeem the pledges made to their constituents as the right man for the place. This knowledge is being forced upon those who would foist a man whose record contains little of friendliness to the masses and much of favor to the classes into the speaker's chair, and they are resorting to all manner of tactics to prevent the inevitable—the election of Dr. Gaskins.

SHOULD KNOW BETTER.
It will be remembered that the West Palm Beach Gazetteer charged Dr. Gaskins with being unprogressive and that the Telegraph pointed out to the editor of the Gazetteer that, instead of finding anything that snatched of unprogressiveness in the doctor's legislative record, we had found that at the last session of the legislature he had made strenuous efforts to save to the people of Dade county 1,600,000 acres of land granted to the East Coast Canal company for running vessels over the high seas—from Miscany Bay to Key West.

In answering this little pointer the Gazetteer grows shamelessly extravagant and asserts that "every man in Dade county was in favor of giving the land," which is a very spacious error or a gross perversion of truth, for, as a matter of fact, it was a citizen of Dade county who first called the attention of Dr. Gaskins to the fact that the Canal company would ask for an extension of its charter, which carried with it the land grant in question.

When the matter was called to his attention Dr. Gaskins at once saw that the granting of the lands would be an imposition upon the people and he opposed the extravagance. He did not oppose the grant of 10,000 acres per mile from St. Augustine to Miscany Bay, and for this grant the company would have proceeded with its operations. He it will be seen that Dr. Gaskins' action was not "born of jealousy of outside capital," but was simply a protest against extravagance.

Gaskins, or any other member of the legislature, for that matter, had nothing whatever to do with the Dieston deal. The transfer of lands to Mr. Dieston was made by the State Internal Improvement Board to pay off a debt contracted by the state. The legislature had nothing to do with the deal and if it had Dr. Gaskins is too good a friend to Florida to have opposed the sale for the reason that by its consummation the state was saved about 10,000,000 acres of land.

AN ARTFUL DODGER.
The Pensacola News cannot prove that the house bill indefinitely postponed in 1899 on Mr. Jennings' motion was formulated with the distinct purpose of harassing and obstructing the business of the hotel corporation. This feature of the bill exists only in the imagination of the editor of the News. There is nothing in the bill that will bear out the allegation.—TELEGRAPH.

The TELEGRAPH would know better why the Abrams bill was rejected by the house if it could have heard some of the speeches exposing its defects, among which none was more forcible and effective than that of Mr. Jennings.—Pensacola News.

The News is an artful dodger. Because of Mr. St. Clair Abrams' radical views and egotism it thinks that the people commend the annihilation that emanates from him, and would lead the unsuspecting reader to believe that Mr. Jennings moved for the indefinite postponement of the "Abrams bill," when as a matter of fact, that bill was killed in the senate, and consequently, did not reach the house. The bill that Mr. Jennings moved to indefinitely postpone was introduced by George G. Matthews, of Marion, a modest, unassuming, fair-minded gentleman and a loyal democrat, and was designed solely for the purpose of enforcing justice and equity in dealings of the railroads with the people. That is the manner of bill that Mr. Jennings voted to kill and that is the manner of bill that he will again strive to throttle.

But if, as the News tells us, Mr. Jennings spoke forcefully and effectively on a motion to indefinitely postpone in the house a dead senate bill, he was badly out of order, and we suggest that he take a thorough course of parliamentary pellets.

"Perhaps you would not think so, but a very large proportion of diseases in New York comes from carelessness about patching cold," says Dr. Syrus Edson. "It is such a simple thing and so common that very few people, unless it is a case of pneumonia, pay any attention to a cold. New York is one of the healthiest places on the Atlantic Coast and yet there are a great many cases of catarrh and consumption which have their origin in this neglect of the simplest precaution of every day life. The most sensible advice is, when you have one get rid of it as quick as possible. By all means do not neglect it." Dr. Edson does not tell you how to cure a cold but we will take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will relieve the lungs, aid expectoration, open the secretions and soon effect a permanent cure. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Starke Drug Co.

Fourth Annual Report.
The fourth year of the Starke Ladies' Improvement Association closed with last month. Though all are ready to contribute to the entertainments given by the society, the membership decreases every year, and it is hoped that more interest will be taken and new members be added the coming year, that the Society will not be allowed to die out.

Many of the barrels, the placing of which on the streets was the first step of the Society in the line of improvement, have become useless, but in view of the little co-operation given by the town, the Society considers it unnecessary to replace them, as it has never been its intention to undertake the work of cleaning or lighting the town streets. The secretary was absent from July to December inclusive, and there is no report of meetings during that time. Some work was done in the summer on the park, which is now in condition to be kept in order with little expense. The fence is paid for, and the ladies are willing to do what work they can in planting shrubs and flowers, and otherwise improving the grounds. A debt of \$50.00 is due on the land, which so long as the interest is paid may remain if the society feels that other and more important work should be undertaken for the coming year.

All diseases of the skin cured, and lost complexion restored by Johnson's Oriental Soap. Starke Drug Co.

Notice.
Those interested in the building of a bridge at the Red ding crossing on New River, are requested to meet at the bridge on the 26th day of March, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m., as the building of the bridge will be let out to the highest bidder.
JOHN CROFT,
E. A. TODD,
Committee.

County Commissioners' Test.
The board of county commissioners met in regular session Tuesday, March 14, 1895, at 10 a. m.

Members present, E. A. Todd, John Croft, T. A. Knight and John Harden. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. E. Thomas and Director Huggins, whose names were upon the invalid pension roll, having died since the last meeting of the board, upon motion, were dropped from the roll.

Upon motion of T. A. Knight Mrs. Stolle's name was placed on the monthly invalid pension roll, and ordered paid \$2.50 per month.

I. A. Man was granted a rebate of \$1.50 on his taxes for 1894.

Chairman Todd and Commissioner Croft were appointed a committee to have a bridge built across New River at the Red-ding ford.

Mrs. E. Adams was allowed a rebate of \$4.40 upon her taxes for 1894.

M. M. Hale filed with the board the county treasurer's receipt for \$84.40 balance due by him on the taxes of 1893, which amount settled in full the taxes for the year 1893.

The following warrants were issued in payment of bills presented and ordered paid: Monthly pauper allowance, \$61.50; general fund, \$613.10.

W. T. WEEKS,
Clerk and Auditor.

It is natural for a merchant to push the sale on those articles that bring the most profit. An intelligent purchaser, however, will insist on examining the different makes and judge for himself. The BUCKSKIN BREECHES have passed the examination and are branded 100 per cent. proof. Stitches double sewed, warranted to fit and not to rip.

LAWTEY NOTES.
The revival meetings now being held every evening in the Methodist church here are being crowned with success. As many as six received the rite of baptism last Sunday morning. The Rev. Mr. Edwards is an earnest worker, and has gained the affection and respect of his people in Lawtey.

Mr. and Mrs. Redington have made a brief business visit to Lawtey to look after their property here, and see that affairs were in good working order.

It would be well for us to keep our eyes and ears open for there are many meetings being held in Lawtey just now behind closed doors, and should any unwaryurchin so much as look at those goers the sherry is immediately sent after him. What can it all mean? What surprise is being prepared for us?

All Free.
Those who have read Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucken & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor free. All of which is guaranteed to you, good and cost you nothing. Starke Drug Co., and John A. King, Lake Butler.

Promptness is a commendable virtue. That's why we offer you One Minute Cough Cure. It is prompt in relief and prompt in curing. That is what it is made for. Starke Drug Company.

List of Jurors.
The following persons have been drawn to constitute the grand and petit juries for the spring term of the circuit court: D. J. Byrd, A. W. Biddle, G. W. Dyal, J. W. Batten, C. H. Harrison, A. E. Mott, D. J. Water, Thomas D. Dyal, C. A. Nixon, W. S. Croft, T. M. Hagan, Tunis Lyak, P. P. Wynn, O. M. Alvarez, F. M. Rivers, J. R. Alvarez, W. N. Meacham, G. W. Jennings, F. H. Norman, William Edwards, R. F. Knight, W. H. Waters, R. L. Cherry, W. H. Edwards, John H. Blair, J. W. Andrews, F. M. Murhee, Wm. F. Owens, Henry Varas, Benj. J. Sapp.

We wish to state to our patrons that One Minute Cough Cure is a safe and reliable remedy for children troubled with croup, colds, hoarseness and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take and quickly cures. Starke Drug Co.

Attention, Planters.
Early in the season we bought Twenty-five tons of Armour Packing company's Fine-Grained Beef Bone. This is a very high-grade fertilizer for orange trees, but is equally good for any crop. We will now dispose of this at reduced prices. Call and see us if you want any.

TRUBY, STERNBERG & Co.
Eucklen's Arnica Salve.
This best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rashes, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Starke Drug Co., and John A. King, Lake Butler.

Delays are dangerous. A dollar spent for Hood's Sarsaparilla now may prevent illness which will be expensive and hard to bear. Now is the time to take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood pills cure all liver ills, relieve constipation and assist digestion. 25 ct.

A Well-Known Railroad Man.
Jacksonville, July 2, 1891.
I have long been a sufferer from indigestion, bilious headaches and torpid liver. I tried one package and one bottle of Simmon's Hepatic or Liver Cure, and found it a specific, and I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like complaints.

A severe rheumatic pain in the left shoulder had troubled Mr. I. H. Loper, a well known druggist of Des Moines, Iowa, for over six months. At times the pain was so severe that he could not lift anything. With all he could do he could not get rid of it until he applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm. "I only made three applications of it," he says, "and have since been free from all pain." He now recommends it to persons similarly afflicted. It is for sale by Starke Drug Company.

The saline matter held in solution in sea water comprises one-third of its weight.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives the best satisfaction of any cough medicine I handle, and as a seller leads all other preparations in this market. I recommend it because it is the best medicine I ever handled for coughs, colds and croup. A. W. BALDRIDGE, Millersville, Ill. For sale by Starke Drug Company.

When the Gulf stream passes out of the gulf of Mexico, its temperature is about 70 degrees.

In these days of telephone, telegraph, and electricity and steam, people cannot afford to wait days or as many hours for relief. This is our reason for offering you One Minute Cough Cure. Neither days, nor hours, nor even minutes elapse before relief is afforded. Starke Drug Co.

No part of the Atlantic ocean between Europe and Newfoundland exceeds 3,400 fathoms.

Do not neglect that cough, it leads to consumption. One Minute Cough Cure possesses a double virtue. It cures and goes quickly. Starke Drug Co.

The Red sea takes its name from the presence of great numbers of animalcules of that color in the water.

Johnson's Aromatic Compound Cod Liver Oil enriches the blood, builds sound flesh, restores strength and vitality to the debilitated body. Full pint bottles \$1.50. Starke Drug Co.

Signor Cavallotti, the Opposition leader in the Italian Chamber of deputies, has received nearly a dozen challenges from aggrieved Ministerial journalists. He has referred all the would-be duelists to the law courts.

It is not a miracle. It won't cure everything, but it will cure piles. That's what De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will do, because it has done it in hundreds of cases. Starke Drug Co.

The Human Electrical Forces!
How They Control the Organs of the Body.
The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially marked department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the brain and conveyed by means of the nerves to the various organs of the body, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to sustain life.

For Sale by STARKE DRUG CO.

Notice to Taxpayers.
I will meet the taxpayers of Bradford county, on my last round, at the following named times and places:
Wood City (E. P. Ward), Monday, March 18, 10 a. m.
Lake Butler, Wednesday, March 20, 10 a. m.
Thomas School House, Thursday, March 21, 10 a. m.
Providence, Friday, March 22, 10 a. m.
Blair, Saturday, March 23, 10 a. m.
Lawley, Monday, March 25, 10 a. m.
Hampton, Wednesday, March 27, 10 a. m.
J. S. Oringer's, Thursday, March 28, 10 a. m.
Will be at Starke every Tuesday till the first Tuesday in April.
W. T. DOWLING,
Tax Collector.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.
MESSRS. LIPPMAN BROS., Savannah, Ga.
GENTLEMEN:—Last June I had a scrofulous sore to break out on my ankle. It grew rapidly and soon extended from my foot to knee. I got one bottle of your P. P. and was greatly surprised at the result. The entire sore healed at once. I think I have taken in nearly every medicine recommended for scrofulous sores, but your P. P. is the best I ever tried. It cannot be recommended too highly for blood poison etc.

Yours very truly,
W. P. HUNTER,
Lacooche, Fla.

Gratitude.
I would be ungrateful if I did not testify as to what your valuable preparation has done for me. For a long time I have been run down in health, and hardly able to attend to my household duties, suffering from headaches and that tired, worn-out feeling so peculiar to my sex. I was persuaded by a friend to try Dr. Simmons' Jewell and in one month's treatment I was completely restored to health. I heartily recommend it to suffering humanity.

"Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away."
The truthful, startling title of a book about Non-tobacco, the only harmless, guaranteed tobacco-habit cure. If you want to quit and can't, use Non-tobacco. It braces up paralyzed nerves, eliminates nicotine poisons, makes weak men gain strength, weight and vigor. Positive cure of money refunded. Sold by J. L. GASKINS, druggist.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment.
A certain cure for Chronic Eye, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Psoric Scrofulous, Sun Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. 25 cents per box. For sale by the Starke Drug Company.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Most Perfect Made.

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Keep the system in perfect order by the occasional use of Tutts' Liver Pills. They regulate the bowels and produce a Vigorous Body. For sick headache, malaria, biliousness, constipation and kindred diseases, an absolute cure TUTT'S LIVER PILLS

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A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SERRAVALLO'S Capsules of Compound and two bottles of Ointment. A sure cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It is a simple and safe remedy, and is guaranteed to cure in ten days. Why endure the pain and inconvenience of Piles, when you can be cured so quickly and so cheaply? Send for a free trial bottle of our Pile Cure, and you will be cured in ten days. Write for a free trial bottle of our Pile Cure, and you will be cured in ten days. Write for a free trial bottle of our Pile Cure, and you will be cured in ten days.

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Clerk's Report.
REPORT of W. T. Weeks, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Bradford County, on account of Collector for taxes assessed for the year 1894:

Feb. 5, '95—To Bal. due on County Proper fund as per last report.....	\$4,929 77	\$ 310 00
Feb. 23, '95—By Treasurer's receipt No. 3.....	8,437 08	8,437 08
Feb. 5, '95—By Treasurer's receipt No. 4.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
By amt't to balance.....	3,969 77	3,969 77
Feb. 5, '95—To bal. due on Co. Proper fund.....	3,969 77	

Feb. 7, '95—To amt't due Co. School fund as per last report.....	7,233 76	7,233 76
Feb. 23, '95—By Treasurer's receipt No. 3.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
Feb. 5, '95—By Treasurer's receipt No. 4.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
By amt't to bal.....	7,233 76	7,233 76
Feb. 5, '95—To bal. due Co. School fund.....	7,233 76	

Feb. 5, '95—To amt't due Co. Special fund as per last report.....	2,707 00	2,707 00
Feb. 23, '95—By Treasurer's receipt No. 3.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
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By amt't to balance.....	2,707 00	2,707 00
Feb. 5, '95—To bal. due Co. Special fund.....	2,707 00	

Nov. 7, '95—To amt't assessed on County Special fund for 1895.....	6,965 46	6,965 46
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't assessed on County Special fund for 1895.....	611 08	611 08
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't collected from Dec. 5, 1893, to July 11, 1894.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
Nov. 7, '95—By errors and double assessments.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—By insolvencies.....	905 96	905 96
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't overcollected on County Special fund and transferred to County School fund by order County Commissioners.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't assessed on property for County School fund for 1895.....	4,110 89	4,110 89
To total taxes assessed for County School fund.....	1,269 77	1,269 77
Nov. 7, '95—By errors and double assessments.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—By insolvencies.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't transferred from County Proper fund.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't transferred from County Special fund.....	9,244 29	9,244 29

Nov. 7, '95—To total taxes assessed for County School fund.....	9,244 29	9,244 29
Nov. 7, '95—By errors and double assessments.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—By insolvencies.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't transferred from County Proper fund.....	100 00	100 00
Nov. 7, '95—To amt't transferred from County Special fund.....	9,244 29	9,244 29

W. T. WEEKS, Clerk.
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