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UP AND DOWN THE EAST COAST.

Brief Mention of Minor Matters Occurring at Our Neighboring Towns.

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Mr. A. Downey, of Melbourne, spent part of Tuesday in town.
Mr. W. T. Smethie, of Indianola, was in town for awhile Monday.
Mrs. Faber, of City Point, spent a short time in town last Saturday.
Mr. A. B. Carter, of Georgiana, was a pleasant visitor in town last Saturday.
Capt. Geo. J. Mercier returned last Thursday from his trip down the river.
Mrs. A. B. Crosby left Saturday for City Point, returning Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. J. C. Sloane left last Thursday for Merritts Island to look after her property there. She returned Monday.
Mr. F. Lipp has had a window put in the eastern wall of his shoe making shop. Mr. J. A. Gongga did the work.
Mrs. M. Gould continues quite ill with an attack of lagrippe. Mr. Gould and Master Willard have also had a siege.
Col. George Huston left Tuesday afternoon for his Chicago home. Mrs. Huston, Arthur and Miss Jessie Corey will follow later.
We failed to announce last week that Mrs. S. Kitching, of Sebastian, had arrived in town, expecting to spend some time.
Master Clarence Jones entertained a few of his little friends Saturday afternoon, the occasion being his seventh birthday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Paterson, of Mexico City, Mexico, arrived in town Monday to spend a few days with their brother, Mr. W. G. Paterson.

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MELBOURNE.

We are glad to see Mr. Fred Fee out again after his severe illness.
Messrs. Snedeker, Newland and F. Powell visited Cocoa beach last Sunday.
Mr. Ernest Taylor, of Eau Gallie, visited Melbourne last Tuesday. He rode down on his wheel.
Mrs. F. Robertson and Mrs. K. R. Gilman made a trip to Palm Beach last week, returning Saturday.
The Messrs. W. H. and J. F. Powell have taken several excursions to Melbourne beach during the past week.
Rev. Rowland Hale and wife gave an afternoon tea Monday at Hotel Bellevue in honor of their daughter's birthday.
The Messrs. Baker are repairing the sidewalk on Main street. This will be a grand improvement when completed.
Mrs. Mary R. Mead and Mrs. F. G. Ely, who were the guests of Hotel Carleton over Sunday, are now at Sea Breeze.
Rev. L. L. Fisher, presiding elder of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, held service at this place Sunday morning and evening.
We failed to note last week the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCarty, of Camden, N. Y. They are the guests of Grandview cottage.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore, of Roseland, were called to town last Saturday by the serious illness of Mrs. Moore's father, Mr. John Goode. At this writing Mr. Goode is out of danger.
Mr. S. B. Wright, grand master of the F. and A. M. of the state of Florida, visited the Melbourne lodge Thursday evening of last week. A banquet was given in honor of Mr. Wright.
Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Marcy left here Tuesday for their home in Hartford, Ct. We regret to lose such pleasant people, but rejoice that their charming neices will extend their visit with us.
Messrs. A. Howland and H. S. Cooper, also Miss Mary Sullivan, who have spent several months with us, left Wednesday for their home in Sandy Hill, N. Y. We hope to have these people with us again next winter.
Seventeen of our pleasure loving people attended the ball given by the young people of Eau Gallie last week, and report themselves as delighted with the charming manner in which they were entertained.

BANYAN.

The leaf hopper is with us yet, freeze or no freeze.
Late beans are doing well, but it is most too wet for low ground.
Chas. B. Merrill, of Kansas City, has purchased Joel Scott's place here.
Rats are destroying a good many pines. They gnaw the full grown plants off at the ground.

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EAU GALLIE.

Miss Brown, of Melbourne, is visiting Mrs. G. F. Paddison for a few days.
Mr. Golberston has his sloop on Hodgson's ways being overhauled and pointed.
Capt. Corey's fine property is in the market. Several parties are negotiating for its purchase.
Heavy rain with thunder and lightning on Sunday and Monday, causing some washouts.
Alex. Near has overhauled and painted his schooner, in readiness for the spring and summer work.
Every grove owner is fertilizing his trees and taking advantage of the wet weather to cultivate.
Capt. Bennett and his houseboat is looked for every day. The boat is now at points south of us.
Messrs. Near & Taylor have several wells to drill and as soon as weather permits will be driving again.
The St. Johns Sabbath school was postponed on Sunday last owing to the threatening and rainy weather. The service will be resumed on Sunday next.
Dr. C. C. Booth and wife left for Philadelphia, Pa., on Monday last, via F. E. C. railway. Dr. and Mrs. Booth will be much missed in our social circle.
The Silver King left for Miami and the keys on Saturday last with a party of New York gentlemen on board. The party expects to be away about three weeks.
Miss Florence and Miss Bessie Hodgson were confined to the house by sickness during the past ten days. They are again about. Dr. Hebard had the cases in charge.
Mr. J. Maxwell Randall leaves for Magnolia Springs this week for a short sojourn and to meet some friends. Mr. Randall will be much missed during his absence.
Dr. Hebard's new sailboat was launched on Tuesday and christened the Avis. She is a beauty and promises to be a flyer. Ezra Hebard will be gazetted captain of the new craft.

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CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION

For the Second District to Be Held at Gainesville, May 22nd.

The Democratic executive committee of the Second congressional district met at the Graham hotel, Palatka, Tuesday, and formulated a call for a convention to be held at Gainesville Tuesday, May 22, 1900. The meeting was called to order by Chairman E. S. Crill, and a call of the committeemen present was made by J. D. Callaway, secretary. It was found that every county in the district was represented either in person or by proxy, excepting St. Johns and Lake counties.

The question of convention or primary was the first to be considered, which, after some discussion, was decided in favor of a convention by a vote of 26 to 3. Several proxies were not voted, as the persons holding them were not fully satisfied as to how their principals would desire them cast. The date for the convention was unanimously decided for Tuesday, May 22.

On motion the appointment of delegates for the convention was based upon the Democratic vote cast for congressman in 1898—one delegate for each one hundred votes cast or for each fraction of one hundred where this fraction was more than fifty votes.

The question of place for the convention was next in order. A letter from Mayor Bartleson, of Gainesville, was read inviting the selection of that city. Senator McCreary, of Alachua county, placed before the committee the claims of Gainesville in well chosen words, which had great weight with the members of the committee, and the city was unanimously selected as the place for holding the convention.

By the vote of committee, Chairman E. S. Crill and Secretary J. D. Callaway were authorized to prepare the call for the convention, and this was reported as follows:

Call for a Democratic convention of the Second congressional district at Gainesville, Fla., Tuesday, May 22, 1900. The Democratic party of the Second congressional district of Florida will hold a congressional convention at Gainesville, Fla., Tuesday, May 22, at 12 noon, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for congress from the Second district of Florida, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The different counties of the Second congressional district of Florida will send delegates to the convention upon the following basis of representation: One delegate for each 100 votes cast for the Democratic congressional candidate at the election in 1898, and one additional delegate for the fraction in excess thereof when it amounts to fifty or more. The counties under this rule will be entitled to representation as follows:

Table listing delegates from various counties: Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Brevard, Clay, Columbia, Duval, Hamilton, Lake, Madison, Marion, Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Putnam, St. Johns, Sumter, Suwannee, Volusia.

The counties will select their delegates in any manner which may be deemed best by the people, acting through the party organization, as recognized by the last Democratic congressional convention.

All Democrats are invited to participate in the selection of delegates thereto, including those who have become qualified to vote since the last election.

The chairman and secretary of each county convention will send to E. S. Crill, chairman, Palatka, a written or printed copy of such delegates as are elected to the congressional convention.

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