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## CURRENT LOCAL LACONICS.

Brief Mention of What Is Going On in and About Titusville.

Mr. W. M. Brown was up from Miami Tuesday.

Send watches for repairs to W. M. Woodward, DeLand, Fla. Work guaranteed.

Mr. Frank H. Webber arrived home the first of the week from Waycross, on account of sickness.

Mrs. F. A. Losley returned home Tuesday from a short visit to her friend, Mrs. W. F. Jibb, at Daytona.

Mr. L. S. Scoble, traveling freight agent for the Clyde people, was in town Wednesday and yesterday.

Mr. S. W. Moody spent from Saturday until Tuesday at Sea Breeze and Daytona, stopping at the Clarendon Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilson paid a visit to Sea Breeze and Daytona Saturday, returning home Monday afternoon.

Messrs. J. T. Feaster & Co. have closed their fish house for the time being, expecting to operate again about the first of October.

Mr. K. B. Raulerson, of Fort Pierce, was here Monday en route to his orange grove properties at Geneva, in Orange county, and at Lake Harney.

Archdeacon B. F. Brown will hold divine service, with holy communion, in St. Gabriels church, Titusville, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. Morgan has been indisposed for the past week, and Dr. Hughlett, of Cocoa, attended her professionally on Monday, and is better at this writing.

Mr. James McComb, of Delray, was on his way to Jacksonville Wednesday. He says that he has launched out in the trucking business for the coming season.

Fish Warden Robinson was in town this week, and while here gave notice prohibiting the catching of fresh water fish with nets in the waters west of Cocoa and Rockledge.

Mrs. J. D. Crabb and two little sons have returned to their home in Lake City after quite a visit here, stopping at Daytona en route, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. O'Brien.

Rev. L. D. Geiger, corresponding secretary, etc., will preach at LaGrange on Sunday, August 10th, at 11 o'clock, and in the Baptist church in Titusville at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

Mr. Frank U. Villeret, of Jacksonville, formerly a resident of Titusville, and at that time conductor on the J. T. & K. W. railway, died Sunday afternoon after a long illness. He was 37 years old, and leaves a wife.

Mrs. J. T. Bassett and her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Norton, and the latter's two children, left Monday for Tallulah Falls, where they will spend several weeks, hoping the change of scene and higher altitude will benefit Mrs. Bassett's health.

There will be no contest between candidates of this county in the primary next Tuesday. We understand that Mr. Summerlin has come down in favor of Mr. Robinlin for fish and game warden, and that Mr. Braddock has done the same in favor of Mr. Andrews for member of the school board.

Sheriff Brown received word Wednesday from Chairman Hughlett, of the county Democratic executive committee, that the state committee had responded to his call for more funds to conduct the primary next Tuesday, and ordering the ballot boxes to Cocoa for preparation for the various precincts. The sheriff carried the boxes to Cocoa same afternoon.

During the heavy squall of wind Monday afternoon the flag pole at the corner of Carroll's grocery store was blown down. It fell across Carpenter & Collins' awnings and did considerable damage, and Mr. Carpenter had a very narrow escape from being killed by the falling pole, which is a large and heavy one. As the pole fell it struck his hat and smashed it with a glancing blow, and even pressed it firmly upon his head. The wonder is that he escaped being killed instantly. It was a close call.

### FOR SALE.

The 8-ton Sloop Mattie H., of St. Augustine. Fine set of sails, and boat is in good order. Is a fine cruising or freight boat. Write A. L. LANE, Stuart-on-the-St. Lucie, Fla.

### LAND FOR SALE.

Forty-acre tract of land fronting on St. Lucie river, about a mile and a half from Jensen station. Particularly well adapted to growing pines. Some improvements on the place. Fronts on the county road on the north. For further information and price, address J. C. RACEY, Titusville, Fla.

Mr. S. N. Gladwin has just returned home from Sebastian, having completed his work there on the new ice factory.

Mr. R. L. Motlow was called to Tennessee yesterday by the sad news of his wife being worse. We hope for better news on his arrival there.

Sheriff Brown arrested a negro at Fort Pierce Wednesday by the name of Jim Williams, who is wanted by Sheriff Turner, of Volusia county, and brought him here to await the arrival of a Volusia county officer.

Messrs. T. B. Lanier, supervisor of registration of Lake county; J. B. Gaines, of Leesburg; Attorney C. W. Stevens, of Tampa, and E. C. Love, of Leesburg, arrived here yesterday on legal business before Judge Jones.

Mr. G. L. Mandaville has purchased the jewelry business of H. T. Whaler at this place, and will largely increase the stock of goods. He will also look after the watch inspection business here for Mr. Whaler. We wish him success in his new venture. See ad. on 8th page.

Little James Cooper Tye, the five-months-old son of Judge and Mrs. Tye, of Williamsburg, Ky., died on the 4th inst. of brain fever. It will be remembered that Mrs. Tye was formerly Miss Stella Tucker, daughter of Mr. W. J. Tucker, of Fort Pierce, and many Indian river friends will deeply sympathize with the parents in their affliction.

**STATIONERY.**—We have just received a new line. Tablets 5 to 20c; box Paper 10 to 50c. Wilson & Son.

We learn that Carpenter & Collins intend to locate their shooting gallery and fruit stand in Miami if not disposed of here. During jubilee week Mr. Carpenter met his mother and sisters in Miami after an absence of 18 years, and it was a happy reunion for them all. Since leaving home he has traveled all over the globe. For the past five months he has been engaged in business here which has proved profitable. He has made many friends by his straight forward, energetic efforts and accommodating ways, who regret to have him leave, but under the circumstances feel that he is fully warranted in doing so, and their best wishes for his success will go with him.

### Printer Wanted!

A good, steady news compositor can secure permanent position in this office. Address THE STAR, Titusville, Fla.

## CYPRESS BOAT LUMBER.

Just received a carload of Cypress lumber, all widths to 20 inches, and all lengths to 20 feet. EAST COAST LUMBER & SUPPLY CO., Eau Gallie, Fla.

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### Democratic Committee Call.

To the Members of the Democratic Executive Committee of Brevard County:

A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Brevard county will be held at the court house in Titusville on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1902, for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization, and the consideration of such other business as may be necessary. A full attendance is requested.

B. R. WILSON,

Committeeman for County at Large.

### WANTED—A NAME.

We will give \$5 for the best name suggested for our "Palmetto," a soda-water preparation containing palmetto, phosphates and pepsin. Something short and suggestive to Palmetto. Contest closes August 10th. Wilson & Son.

### A CARD.

TITUSVILLE, FLA., Aug. 4th, 1902. To My Democratic Friends in Brevard County, Florida:

I tender you my sincere thanks for your generous support in the primary election on July 15th, 1902. Coming from the source it did—"the people"—I appreciate it all the more. Yours most truly,

JOHN HENRY.

### Notice.

There will be a general meeting of the Good Roads association at the Jensen town hall at 2 p. m. on Saturday, August 9th, 1902. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, as at this meeting business will be transacted that will affect all. It is important that you come and have a voice in the proceedings, not stay at home and find fault afterwards because things were not arranged to suit you. G. H. RACEY, Titusville, Fla.

## LATEST NEWS AND INCIDENTS.

Matters of Interest That Are Happening Around Town.

Take your bicycle to Giles' repair shop. The August term of county court meets next Monday.

Call at the new Toy and Novelty store, in the Scrimgeour building. 5c. and 10c. counters.

Mrs. J. T. Waters, of Tibbals, was a passenger on the northbound train Wednesday.

Mr. W. J. Tucker, of Fort Pierce, was called to Jacksonville the first part of the week on business.

Mrs. W. N. Hendry, of Fort Pierce, arrived the first of the week on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Aline Brady.

Mr. W. C. Howes, of Oak Hill, paid Titusville a visit the first of the week and gave THE STAR office a pleasant call.

Attorney C. C. Chillingworth, of West Palm Beach, was a passenger on the northbound train Tuesday for Jacksonville and Tallahassee.

Mr. Ed. Young, of Jensen, was bound for Plainfield, N. J., Tuesday, where his mother is very ill. We learn that he expects to remain north permanently.

Mr. John Myers has gone to Daytona, where he has been in charge of the Chantz electric light and power plant for the past week or so. He will probably move his family there.

Mr. L. S. Eldred, of Ankona, left for Illinois this week on a vacation to his family after an absence of two years. For the past nine years he has been engaged in the pineapple industry, and has made a success of the business.

Mr. P. S. Titus started Tuesday with his four children for St. Louis, where he will leave them with Mr. and Mrs. Martin, the parents of his deceased wife. For the past few months they have been living with Mrs. J. Hopkins, who has been as kind to them as a mother.

It is now over six weeks since the town authorities gave notice to owners of unimproved lots to have same cleared, but very few have complied with the notice. Some of the most scrubby lots in town, right on the main thoroughfares, have not been touched yet. Will the town council enforce the law, or allow the matter to lapse?

An immense lighter arrived here from the southward Sunday afternoon, towed by Geo. Gleason's naphtha launch, aided by sail power improvised on the lighter. Geo. Lyman, of Hypoluxo, was solely in charge of the whole outfit, and was carrying the lighter to the Halifax river to be used there in connection with the new dredge.

We understand that the postoffice at LaGrange will be discontinued the last of this month. Postmaster Bassett having been authorized to take charge of the effects of the office belonging to the government, and to receipt for the same. This will be quite a hardship on some of the LaGrange people, who will either have to come to town or go to Mims for their mails.

Mr. F. E. Joyner, of Miami, was in town Friday and Saturday of last week on his way to St. Augustine. He is now representing the International Kerosene Oil engine, built by the International Power Vehicle Co., of Stamford, Conn., who purchased his patent on a kerosene motor. This motor runs without spark or flame for ignition, using kerosene oil as fuel. Mr. Joyner is now experimenting on a new alcoholic motor, using wood alcohol for fuel.

Hon. K. B. Raulerson as representative from Brevard county is entitled to select one person who shall be entitled to free instruction in the St. Petersburg Normal and Industrial school. This person must be between the ages of sixteen and twenty-five years, and must be appointed according to the regulations and restrictions prescribed by the state board of education. Students must pay their board, which may be secured at from \$2.50 to \$4.00 per week.

### GARDNER'S SPECIALS.

Monday only, Hoyt's 5c. Cologne, 4c. Monday only, Lonsdale Muslin, 12 1/2 yds \$1. Monday only, 10c. India Linon, 8c. Monday only, 35c. Crumb Trays, 26c. Monday only, 15c. Black Lawn, 12c. Monday only, 25c. Dimities, 17c.

CHAS. A. GARDNER, Titusville, Fla.

### CYPRESS LATH.

We have a few hundred thousand cypress lath suitable for pineapple sheds to offer. Order early, as there are very few lath on the market. EAST COAST LUMBER AND SUPPLY CO., Eau Gallie, Fla.

## Final Clearance Sale at KLINE'S.

Monday, August 11th, 1902.

Again we have received a new line of Apron Checks. Of course they are worth more than 6 cents, but they will go for that on Monday.

Extra nice quality of Feather Ticking, 20 cents would be a bargain for this quality, Monday's price 14 cents; also a very good quality of Mattress Ticking, usual price 12 1/2 cents, for 8 1/2.

Again we will give you 18 yards of Unbleached Sea Island Domestic, yard wide, for \$1; 12 yards of best quality of Lonsdale for \$1.

An extra quality of Bleached Table Damask, 56 inches wide, beautiful patterns, regular 75 cents quality for 39 cents; also one guaranteed all linen, 65 inches wide, \$1.00 would be the right price for this quality, Monday only, 59 cents; also some very handsome patterns of still better quality, 73 inches wide, worth \$1.50, for 98 cents.

An extra nice quality of Table Napkins of large size, regular \$1.50 quality, for 98 cents.

An extra fine quality of French Gingham, yard wide, large variety of patterns, regular price 20 cents, for 12 1/2 Monday only.

Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder for 19 cents.

Packer's Tar Soap, 19 cents; Cashmere Bouquet, 19 cents.

Ward's Irish Linen Writing Cabinets, regular price 50 cents, Monday's price only 29 cents; an extra fine quality of Linen writing paper, worth 40 cents, for 25; also a satine cabinet, a popular Note Paper, usually sells for 25 cents, Monday's price 14c.

Mail orders promptly filled on any of the above goods.

JULIUS KLINE, Titusville, Fla.

## Brevard at the State Fair.

Editor of The Florida Star.

THE STAR has frequently called public attention to the importance of making a good Brevard county exhibit at the state fair to be held at Lake City in November.

We note with pleasure that at the last meeting of the board of county commissioners they made an appropriation for this purpose, and appointed Mr. C. T. McCarty as commissioner for Brevard county. This assures active work, and is a well merited recognition of the unpaid services of Mr. McCarty at last year's fair. We are sure the people of this county will approve of this matter, and that much good will be done.

If the citizens of the county will cooperate heartily with their commissioner, Brevard county will have an exhibit that will be a surprise to outsiders and a credit to herself.

**STATIONERY.**—We have just received a new line. Tablets 5 to 20c; box Paper 10 to 50c. Wilson & Son.

### Political Notice.

In accordance with the call of the state executive committee, the second primary is hereby ordered in and for Brevard county, Florida, to decide the contest as between Jefferson B. Browne and Henry E. Day for railroad commissioner.

The same inspectors and clerks that held the election of July 15th are hereby requested to act as inspectors and clerks of this coming primary, to be held on Tuesday, August 12th, the election to be held in the manner before prescribed. As far as possible a poll list will be furnished to the inspectors. All those who voted in the last primary are entitled to vote in this.

The executive committee will pay all expense connected with the service. As heretofore the inspectors will choose one of their number to take the ballot box to the county clerk's office to be delivered there on or before noon of Monday, the 18th day of August.

The executive committee, or such of them as can conveniently do so, will meet at Titusville on Monday, the 18th of August to canvass the vote that may be cast in this primary.

As regards our county officers, E. C. Summerlin, Sr., having withdrawn from the contest as candidate for fish and game warden, a certificate of nomination will be given to the plurality candidate, Thos. A. Robinson.

In case of contest for member of school board, W. C. Braddock, Sr., having failed to pay the assessment imposed, a certificate of nomination will be given R. N. Andrews, the plurality candidate.

W. L. HUGHLETT, Chairman.

### MIANUS MOTOR WORKS.

Marine and Stationary Gas Engines. Gas and Electric Pumps. Launches for sale.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING

Official Account of Their Proceedings in Session This Week.

Monday, August 4th, 1902, 8:30 a. m. Meeting called to order by the chairman. Present, J. R. Walker, chairman; J. R. Miot, R. A. Conkling, J. C. Jones and J. F. Bell; A. A. Stewart, clerk, and J. P. Brown, sheriff.

The minutes were read and approved. Report of tax collector of polls collected during the month of July, and amounting to \$92.00 for the year 1900, and \$120.00 for 1901, was received and filed.

The petition of John Goode, et al, citizens of Malabar and Melbourne for a public road from Malabar to Melbourne (presented at the April meeting) is rejected, and the same is referred back for a new petition.

The road bids were opened and disposed of as follows:

### DISTRICT NO. 1.

Contract No. 1 was awarded to G. B. Gardner, for \$72; contract No. 2 to G. B. Gardner, for \$164; contract No. 3 to G. B. Gardner, for \$14; contract No. 4, all bids rejected, excessive; contract No. 5, error; contract No. 6 was awarded to L. Griffiths, Jr., for \$45.

### DISTRICT NO. 2.

Contracts No. 1 and 2, no bids received; contract No. 3, all bids rejected, excessive.

### DISTRICT NO. 3.

Contracts No. 1 and 2, laid over for consideration until the September meeting; contracts No. 3, 4, 5 and 6, no bids received; contract No. 7 awarded to Ivy Lawson, for \$10; contract No. 8 awarded to Ivy Lawson, for \$36; contract No. 9 all bids rejected, excessive; contract No. 10 awarded to C. B. Sanders, for \$54.

### DISTRICT NO. 4.

Contracts No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9 and 10 are laid over for action until September meeting; contracts No. 5, 6 and 7, no bids received.

### DISTRICT NO. 5.

Contracts No. 1, 2, 3 and 5, no bids received; contract No. 4, all bids rejected, excessive.

Report of tax collector and county judge of licenses collected during the month of July, and amounting to \$2.75 state and \$1.38 county, was received.

On motion \$250 is appropriated for an exhibit at the state fair, and Mr. C. T. McCarty is appointed commissioner. (Commissioner Jones, 4th district, voting no.)

The allowance of A. Gore is increased from \$6 to \$8 per month.

Petition of E. F. Glutsch, et al, citizens of Rio, for a public road, was received and granted. The following committee was appointed to mark, view and lay out the same: W. R. Hardee, T. J. DeStauben and J. O. Fries.

Applications of F. A. Losley and R. L. Motlow to sell liquors, etc., in election district No. 2; R. L. Motlow to sell liquors, etc., in election district No. 4, and W. J. Tucker to sell liquors, etc., in election district No. 9, were received, filed and ordered published according to law.

The treasurer's report was received and checked up. Messrs. Miot and Conkling were appointed to destroy the pair warrants turned over by the treasurer with his report. They reported they had done the same, and were discharged. The treasurer had his usual certificate of deposit attached to his report.

On motion the assessment of Emma P. H. Moore, 500 on N. 1/2 lot 2, except N. 200 on N. 1/2 lot 7, township 31, range 39, section 39, was reduced to \$300. Assessment of C. C. Jones, of \$400, on south 11 1/2 acres in 1/4 of county road and N. part of 1/4 of county road and northeast corner of 1/4 of county road, section 6, township 31, range 39, 7 1/2 acres, is reduced to \$250.

On motion the assessment of \$3,000 on L. C. Moore's N. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4, part of lots 1 and 2, described in deed book 3, page 346, is reduced to \$2,200.

W. H. McFarland is granted a permit to catch one sea cow for scientific purposes.

Reports of Justices of the Peace J. M. Sanders, W. R. Boesch and W. L. Keeler were received.

R. B. Holmes' bond as notary public with A. A. Taylor and J. M. Sanders as sureties was approved.

Letter from W. H. Sharpe was received and the board appreciated the sentiments contained therein.

Reports of fish and game warden and of superintendent of convicts was received. Petition of citizens of Canaveral and Artesia was referred to Commissioner Miot, of that district.

Petition of citizens of White City for a neighborhood road to cemetery is granted and J. M. Orrell, H. Christiansen and F. S. Bates are appointed a committee to mark out same.

On motion the fish dealer's license of

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