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LATEST NEWS AND INCIDENTS.

Matters of Interest That Are Happening Around Town.

The finest assortment of Cakes, Bread and Pies at F. E. C. Grocery.

Master Russell Norwood returned last Friday to resume his studies at Florida State college, after spending the holidays at home.

Call bells, cracker jars and an exquisite line of souvenir goods of all descriptions have just been received at the Red Cross Pharmacy.

Mrs. G. M. Robbins and baby Douglas arrived home Sunday afternoon from several months' visit with relatives in Georgia and North Carolina.

For the medicine chest or sideboard; I. W. Harper Whiskey is preeminently the family whiskey—none better. Sold by R. L. Motlow and F. L. Loeley.

Beautiful selections in leather goods and burnt wood work have just been received at the Red Cross Pharmacy. An inspection is all that is asked. You will be sure to purchase these novelties.

Capt. P. Nelson and wife, Mr. F. A. Morgan and wife, Messrs. Losley, Clark, Waller and Jerome, from this place, are attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge in Jacksonville this week.

Mr. G. F. Duren has just purchased a new 1905 model Crescent bicycle from the Indian River Music House. It is known as model 581 and is the best bicycle value to be found on the market for \$25.00.

H. L. Bowden, with his 90 h. p. Mercedes, the Flying Dutchman, covered a mile Sunday morning on the Ormond-Daytona beach in 37 seconds. This, of course, is not an official record, but it indicates what speed may be expected in the official races there next week.

Dr. C. G. Weld and Col. Codman, prominent members of the Canaveral club, left for the north Tuesday. Owing to the extremely low stage of water in the creek they made the trip via Mosquito Lagoon and the Haulover canal, coming over in Dr. Weld's boat in command of John Edwards.

A most pleasant occasion was that of the reception given by Miss Gladwin at her home yesterday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in honor of Mrs. Wetmore and her guest, Mrs. Webster, of Jacksonville. There were quite a number in attendance, delicious refreshments were served and the time was spent delightfully with music and pleasant conversation.

Judge M. S. Jones is having some extensive improvements made to his residence at Sunbeam, the most important of which is an addition of two rooms on the west of the building, the placing of a hall through the present structure, new verandas, etc. These improvements will be thoroughly appreciated by Mrs. Jones when she returns home from DeLand in May.

Among the arrivals in town Monday we noted Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Jerome, from New London, Conn., who will spend the winter at Palm Beach. They are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wetmore, and Mr. Jerome expects to stay two or three weeks in order to install a new motor in his launch, the latter having been in charge of Capt. Nelson since Mr. Jerome left here about four years ago. Mrs. Jerome will spend a few days here, then go to Palm Beach.

Prophylactic Tooth Brushes, Dentifrice, New Mercier Madras for waists, Easy Reading Thermometers, 15 & 50c. Window Curtain Scrim, white, 7½c. Calendars half price to close. Chamolis Skins, 30 & 35c. Bedroom Slipper Socks, 25, 29, 35c. FURNITURE, DRY GOODS, SHOES. Chas. A. Gardner, Titusville, Florida.

BIG NEWSPAPER DEAL.

A \$50,000 syndicate has been formed in Tallahassee for the purpose of buying the plants of the Tallahassee and the Daily Capital. The latter will be continued daily and weekly and the former discontinued. The stockholders are Hon. Geo. I. Davis, I. B. Hilson and Robert Gamble.

PELICAN ISLAND RESERVATION.

Parties desiring to visit the island will remember that it is necessary to obtain a permit from the warden, P. Kroege, at Sebastian, to land.

GOLDSMITH SELLS GROCERY

Mr. W. E. Goldsmith disposed of his grocery business last Saturday to Mr. A. J. Wagoner, of Tennessee, who came a few weeks ago with his family to spend the winter. The change of ownership took place at once, Mr. Wagoner taking charge of the business Monday morning, at which time he and Mr. S. J. Norton consolidated, bringing the grocery business Mr. Norton had been running on Main street to the commodious brick building on Washington avenue. The business will be conducted under the name of Wagoner & Co. The new firm has our best wishes for success. Mr. Goldsmith will launch out in the grocery business at Fort Pierce in a few weeks—as soon as he can secure the store room he has engaged there, which is next door north of Hendry & Goldsmith's store, near the railway station. Mr. Goldsmith expects to remain here about two weeks longer.

ORANGE BOXES AT CUT PRICES.

We have twelve cars of first class orange boxes we now offer at cut prices. S. F. TRAVIS & Co., Cocoa, Fla.

DANCE AT OPERA HOUSE.

A dance will be given at Titusville opera house on Wednesday evening next, Jan. 25th. Titusville orchestra will furnish music. Admission \$1.00.

THE STORM KING'S VISIT

The cold wave which struck this section last Saturday morning held its own until Tuesday morning, when the weather moderated. The storm, as predicted by the weather bureau, was to be of unusual severity, but the wind held steadily to the north and northwest and the mercury ranged at first from 44 to 50, the lowest being reached Tuesday morning, when it dropped down as low as 38 degrees. The velocity of the wind was about 30 miles an hour with the result that the water was lowered about two feet below the regular level at this place. Boats and launches were left high and dry on the ground.

The Bedelia, owned by Mr. Doolittle, broke away from her mooring at Cocoa and drifted down the river as far as Lotus, where she was found Tuesday and brought back to Titusville.

Although Banana creek was almost dry for several days, Capt. Fischer kept the mails going and coming by persistency and much hard work.

The Canaveral club boat Widgeon has not made the run to this place since last week, but the water is now about up to normal winter stage.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. Chas. D. Burrows, of Jamestown, R. I., will hold service and preach in St. Marks church, Cocoa, on Sunday next at 11 a. m.

Services at the Titusville Baptist church on Sunday, Jan. 22nd, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The Lord's supper will be held at the close of the morning service. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Howard B. Gibbons, Pastor.

JOINED THE STATE CLUB

The Progressive Culture club of this place has recently united with the State Federation of Women's Clubs and will either send delegates or a written report of the work of the club to the convention which is to be held at Miami on the 25th and 26th inst.

The Culture club has elected as its delegates to the convention to be held at Miami Mrs. W. M. Brown and Mrs. D. B. Pritchard.

FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH.

About 88 acres of good high land on the east or ocean side of the Indian river at the Narrows, described as follows: Lot No. 3, section 35, also lot No. 3, section 36, in township 31 south, range 39 east. This land is unimproved but finely located. For further particulars address E. M. Low, Brockton, Mass.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Lot and 5 room house, situated in Titusville, 10 acres of hammock land on Banana creek. Can be had cheap. Call on G. A. Frost, Titusville.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

Lost, last Saturday night, from behind the houseboat, Rose Marie, on Indian river, a canvas covered boat, 16 feet long, 4 feet beam, double ended, and painted dark green.

Finder will receive a reward of \$10.00 upon delivery of the boat at Peter Nelson's boatways, Titusville, Fla.

CURRENT LOCAL LAGONICS.

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

Mrs. Albertina Trentler, of Eau Gallie, spent a part of Monday and Tuesday in Titusville.

We learn that Judge Gaudin expects to move his cottage back further from the street and have it thoroughly overhauled.

A trio from the Titusville orchestra will furnish music for the dance at Cocoa tonight, given by the Wise Guy's club of that place.

Citrus stock grown on high pine land. Indian River Nurseries, established 1886. Send for catalogue, Toledo and West Palm Beach.

Attorney G. M. Robbins has been at Miami for some days past attending to important cases in circuit court there before Judge Jones.

Mr. C. A. Gardner is having his river front improved by putting down foundations of palmetto logs preparatory to building a coquina sea wall.

We have the finest line of toilet soaps ever offered on the east coast. Prices range from 10 cents up to as high as \$1.00 per cake. Red Cross Pharmacy.

Mr. Adhemar Brady is having the lot adjoining his home place on the north enclosed with a neat fence. Improvements are constantly showing up all about town.

We call special attention this week to the new display advertisements of Messrs. Penney & Branning, gents' furnisiers, and Messrs. Schuyler & Wilson, insurance, both on page 8.

A letter just received this week from Mr. D. S. Evans, who left here a few weeks ago, locates him permanently at Society Hill, Miss., which is in the heart of a large turpentine section of country.

Doctor F. H. Houghton writes us this week from Melbourne, which is his present location with the Dentos, from there he expects to go to Fort Pierce, due notice of which will be noted in these columns.

Capt. Geo. G. Gleason, of St. Augustine, was here yesterday to make arrangements for wood supply for the dredge Tomoka, at the Haulover canal. He has forty cords engaged, which will be towed to the canal by lighter.

Over four hundred barrels of fish were shipped from Titusville for the two weeks prior to the advent of the norther, which swooped down on us last Saturday. This gives some idea of the prominence of the fishing industry at this point.

Mr. C. W. Nelson, representing the Ballard remedies, was in town Tuesday on his way southward bound. He is a genial knight of the road and makes friends wherever he goes. Ballard remedies are handled by Red Cross Pharmacy and are regularly advertised in THE STAR.

Letters patent have been issued for the incorporation of the Fort Pierce Land and Improvement Co., with a capital of \$20,000 to conduct a general agricultural and land business. F. Q. Sevenoski, H. A. Fisher, H. Bernard, James E. Andrews and George F. Langenbacher are the incorporators.

The number 1855 drew the dress suit case at Kline's. Through some error there were two tickets given out with this same number. One was held by Mrs. J. A. Collins and the other by Mr. J. D. Ennis. So in order to square this matter up to the satisfaction of all concerned a dress suit case was given to each of the above parties.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Rathbun and daughter Grace, from Hammondsport, N. Y., were among the arrivals in town Sunday. They recently purchased the cottage on Hopkins street owned by Mrs. M. A. Scrimgeour and are occupying the same for the winter. They expect to remain here until May or June. Mrs. Rathbun is a cousin of Mrs. Scrimgeour.

Mr. E. F. Cooley, proprietor of the Michigan Supply company, of Lansing, Mich., arrived in Titusville yesterday. He expects his two daughters here tomorrow, and in a few days they will cruise southward in the Keweenaw. Mr. Cooley's auxiliary yacht, as he expects to be at Palm Beach when the motor boat races are held there the first week in February.

RADICAL PRICE CUTS ON DRESS GOODS

MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 1905.

Imported nun's veiling with the new chiffon finish, 40 inches wide, in black only, worth 85 cents per yard, special 59 cents.

French crepe de Paris, made from pure silk and w.-ol, in all the latest shades, 40 inches wide, 1.25 is the regular price, special 79 cents.

Black silk taffeta, 36 inches wide, every yard guaranteed, \$1.50 would be a low price for this quality, special 99 cents per yard.

All wool blankets, extra large size, silk bound, worth \$4.00, special \$2.79. Also a lot of best grade of California wool blankets, extra heavy, \$6.50 is the manufacturer's price on these, special \$4.98.

Ladies' all wool golf blouses, just a few in white or red, regular price \$3.00, special \$1.98.

Our broad gauge policy in selling shoes. Our stock of shoes is the most comprehensive, our method of shoe selling extremely liberal. No retail concern on this coast sells the annual quantity of shoes that are put out by us. Our prices, systematically low, run from the lowest that serviceable shoes can be sold, to a fair figure for the finest shoes short of strictly bench work.

We have shoes for men, women and children, for all sorts of occasions, and we are continually offering fine lines of shoes at specially low prices.

Mail orders promptly filled on any of the above goods.

JULIUS KLINE, Titusville, Fla.

DEDICATION.

Rev. J. J. Manker, D. D., editor of the Methodist Advocate-Journal, Knoxville, Tenn., will dedicate the new St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, Eau Gallie, Sunday, Jan. 22nd, 1905, at 10:30 a. m. He will preach at Melbourne at 7:30 p. m.

COME

To the Titusville Blacksmith Shop to get your work done. The only experienced blacksmith in town. All work guaranteed and promptly attended to. Work done cheaper than anywhere in the town. Also tinning, plumbing, and general repairing done at the Titusville Blacksmith Shop. Come one, Come all, and you shall be done right by. O. B. STEELE.

GEORGIANA.

A. B. Carter has a party out among the islands on Banana river.

Mrs. Wm. Wittfeld is up and out again from her sick room. She called on Mrs. Page Monday.

Mr. Jones' dwelling house, at Horti, caught fire and burned down to the ground Sunday night, nothing saved.

Mr. Chapman and family, from the Eaton grove, also Mr. Jones, whose house burned Sunday night, were here Monday.

Mr. W. Woods White and daughters, 'Genia and Lula White, who have been stopping at Sharpes, paid Georgiana a visit the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich are expecting Mrs. Bain and daughter, also a friend of theirs, this week from Kenosha, Wis. These people are to have rooms with them.

The following named persons from the New Rockledge hotel, spent a part of Tuesday in Georgiana: Rev. Chas. D. Burrows, Jamestown, R. I.; Charles E. Holden, clerk county court, Clarksburg, W. Va.; Thomas E. Betton, Trenton, N. J.

The M. E. church at Eau Gallie is to be dedicated Sabbath, the 22nd inst. Ministers from elsewhere are expected to officiate on this occasion. All who can attend are cordially invited to be present. It is now expected that several from this place will attend the dedication.

The Woman's club met the 15th inst. at the pleasant home of Mrs. Handy. Some new members were admitted, the right hand of fellowship being extended to them through the chairman, Mrs. Welch. The best interest of woman was considered. The earnest look of each member gave evidence that the thought was from the heart, and told the sympathy each felt in the subject discussed. The simplicity and earnestness manifest in the speeches made called forth the applause of those present. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Pierce's.

BLACKSMITH SHOP.

Don't forget I do all kinds of blacksmith and wagon work, horse shoeing and gun repairing. Call and see me. J. D. ENNIS, Titusville, Fla.

TENTS FOR SALE.

Seventy-five McFarland tents can be had cheap by applying at THE STAR office. These are 12x10 feet, are in fair condition, having been used only twice and have been well housed.

BITS OF FACT AND GOSSIP.

Current Events of the Present Week Portrayed in Brief.

Oysters in every style and quantity at F. E. C. Grocery.

For Sale—Japanese sugar cane for seed. Call on or address R. J. Platt, Mims, Fla.

Miss Edith Deltonre left Monday for Jacksonville for a few weeks visit to her aunt and other relatives.

Mr. Cassie Mims has gone to Fort Pierce to assist his brother there in the wagon factory and blacksmith shop for a while.

Mr. John A. McRae, of Jacksonville, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Allen, paid a visit to the turpentine camp at Turnbull yesterday on business.

Red Cross Pharmacy has just received a new invoice of hand mirrors, handsome souvenir goods, handkerchief and glove boxes. Beautiful lines of goods.

Call at Titusville Livery, at rear of Robbins' law office, for stylish rigs. Leave your orders for hauling, both double and single. J. M. Osban, proprietor.

Some more Everett pianos are being received by the Indian River Music House. The people of Indian River want the best—this they are getting in the New Everett. It is the new artistic standard.

Indian River has experienced a gasoline famine the past few days. Power boats and gas engines of all descriptions have had to hold up for the supply which arrived Tuesday on a delayed freight.

The concert which was advertised last week for Wednesday night had to be cancelled owing to the fact that Mrs. Pitt and Pollard were suddenly called to their homes, necessitating their cancelling all dates made in this section of the state.

Dr. J. M. Dixon, wife and daughter spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives and friends at Cocoa and Rockledge ere leaving this week for their future home, which will be in Jacksonville, where the doctor will go into the drug business. His many Titusville friends wish him success in his new venture.

Two men, a woman and several children belonging to the Salvation army arrived in town Monday afternoon and staid here until the following day. They sang and exhorted several times on the public streets, having a small reed organ and a bass drum for accompaniment and to make noise to draw the crowd, but not much enthusiasm could be aroused.

Capt. M. E. English, an old resident of Titusville, and who has had charge of the pan at the Florida Extract Works, left last week for Miami, where he has accepted a position with the extract factory there. His place here has been taken by Mr. G. W. Hanford, and the position held by Dr. Dixon with the Florida Extract Works is now filled by Mr. W. T. Winterhagen.

The power yacht Genevieve, of New York, owned by Mr. Howell, stopped at this place yesterday morning on her way to Palm Beach. The boat is a beauty, fifty-five feet over all, eleven feet beam, has 25 h. p. Twentieth century motor and makes about ten miles per hour. The Genevieve was aground in the Haulover canal for four days and a half. She stopped here for a supply of gasoline. Pilot John Myers, of St. Augustine, carried her through the inland route.

DEATH OF G. V. BONKER

Geo. V. Bonker, of Waveland, was found dead last Friday morning at his residence. He died from an attack of heart failure. Deceased retired in usual good health Thursday night and when he was found next morning a physician said that he had been dead several hours. Mr. Bonker came to Indian river from the northwest some twenty-five years ago. For some years he sang basso with the Ideal opera company, of Boston, but throat trouble caused him to give up touring. He was 66 years of age and leaves a daughter and son.

FENCING.

See ad. page 2. EAST COAST LUMBER & SUPPLY CO.

FOR SALE.

The sharpie boat All Right. Must be sold. At your own figure. Good for hunting parties, etc. Address Box 215, Titusville, Fla.