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Crescent City News

CRESCENT CITY.

is one of the most beautiful locations in Florida. Tourists will find it an ideal spot to spend the winter, or pass a few days of keen delight.

The town is on Crescent Lake (an arm of the St. Johns River) and is 100 miles by water, and 77 miles by rail from Jacksonville.

The all day river ride on the steamer Crescent, from Jacksonville to Crescent City, is one of the delightful experiences of Florida travel. The steamer leaves Jacksonville at 8 a. m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, reaching Crescent City at 6 p. m. This trip is the only daylight ride up the broad and picturesque St. Johns.

The steamer has pretty cabins and offers a delightful outlook over in stormy weather.

Crescent City is the center of the orange growing industry in middle Florida, and beautiful groves surround the place.

Good boating, hunting and fishing will afford amusement for sportsmen.

Naptha launches can be secured cheaply for water trips.

Crescent City has good hotels and boarding houses at moderate rates.

Beautiful shaded walks and bicycle paths.

CRESCENT CITY TEMPERATURE FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 11th, 1905. E. D. WILLIAMS, OBSERVER.

	Max.	Min.
August 7	80	76
8	80	76
9	80	76
10	80	76
11	80	76
12	80	76

Personal and Social.

M. H. White visited Palatka on a business trip last Monday.

Sidney Varnes has gone to Palatka where he has employment at carpentering.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Deaton and the two younger children spent the week in Jacksonville.

Will Newman is now engineer on the steamer Harry Lee. He spent Sunday at home.

Dr. Harry C. Welch has been visiting his friends here this week, and all were pleased to see him. All regret his contemplated departure from the state.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Borsen left on Wednesday last week for a season at Daytona Beach, and with them, as their guest for a week, went Rev. Dr. D. M. Reeves.

The Ramsdell family who have lived in the Hastings house for the past two years are moving back to Jacksonville. Mr. Hincheliffe has purchased their house.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Harp are now occupying the Grovesdale residence of L. Eaton. It is Mr. Harp's purpose to set out a large peach orchard on the lands directly south of the Eaton grove.

Mr. Combs who lives on the old C. H. Gaultier place is preparing to engage in the stove wood business. He has been busy for some time in accumulating a stock and is now prepared to deliver.

Capt. John D. Pique and E. J. Harper have sold their cord wood cutting machinery to E. Sanchez of St. Augustine and the plant will be moved to that place. Mr. Harper has a large supply of stove wood in stock.

Robert Ragin, eldest son of John Ragin of Piney Bluff, arrived last Friday and is in charge of the Standard Cypress Co's log puller up the lake during the temporary absence of W. M. Williams who is indisposed.

Miss Mamie Simpson of Miami arrived last week and will remain some time as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Carrier. All of her old friends are pleased to see her and all are anxious for a share in her entertainment.

The Louder's drug store has just received a fresh line of garden seed for fall planting, and will soon have a supply of genuine Bermuda onion seeds. Those who are going to want some of the latter should leave their orders at once.

Capt. and Mrs. R. C. Ivory who have been spending some time at Lake Auburn, Maine, have gone to the mountain section of Pennsylvania where they will remain several weeks. They will then go to Atlantic City for a short time, and hope to start for Crescent City about the first of October.

The old residence of the late J. L. Maull, on the west side of the railroad and on the Grovesdale and Fruitland road, was destroyed by fire one night last week so it was reported. The origin of the fire is not known, but is supposed to have been the work of tramps. The house was built by Mr. Maull over 20 years ago, and was in its day a substantial and attractive house. It has not been occupied in several years.

Peter Jones of Fruitland was in town Saturday on his weekly shopping trip. Mr. Jones states that school matters are anything but satisfactory in his section of the county owing to the scarcity of families, and that he is thinking of moving to Huntington this fall in order to afford his children school advantages. He would come here, but the distance is too great for him to make daily trips to his Fruitland farm.

Frank Gaultier's condition is gradually improving. For a time it was thought he might have suffered internal injuries, but this appears now not to have been the case, and it is thought that he will soon be able to resume his commercial duties.

Walter Cliff, for the past 15 years a prominent resident of Crescent City, will leave in about two weeks for a trip to his old home in England. Since his arrival here Mr. Cliff has had but two summer vacations in the north, and this time it is his purpose to remain in the old country for about a year. His pinery and grove property will be looked after until the arrival of his brother in the fall by Steve Turner.

Arthur Sweet of Quincy, Ill., is here again and is looking after his ranch interests on Haw Creek. Mr. Sweet states that he is also negotiating for some lands in the neighborhood of Seville and that if he purchases it is more than likely he will secure a number of settlers from Illinois. Mr. Sweet says that his wife's health has been greatly improved since her return north. While in town Mr. Sweet is stopping at Crescent Inn.

The town council has offered E. N. Maull a water front site as an inducement for him to locate his new patent orange box hoop factory in Crescent City. The site designated is on the water edge of the town park in front of the Southfield hotel. This site, however, will not interfere with the park proper. The site is offered Mr. Maull for 10 years at a nominal annual rental. Mr. Maull has organized a company to manufacture his hoop and the factory will either be located at Palatka or here. The town council wants it here, and offers this site as an inducement. The chances seem favorable to its location here.

OUR NEW SCHOOL. Council Places Auditorium Rooms in Hands of School Trustees.

At the meeting of the town council last week that body passed an ordinance by which the upper floor of the new Auditorium is hereafter to be used for public school purposes. The ordinance provides for placing the upper floor in the hands of the trustees, they to bear all expense of maintaining the school and keeping the rooms in repair.

This week the new desks, the gift of Hon. Edwin Gilbert, are being placed in the new school rooms; then blackboards will be provided along the plastered walls, after which the rooms will be ready for the opening of the school on October 2d.

Great credit for the removal of the school to the auditorium rooms is due to the earnest work of Dr. G. F. Sprague, he having appeared before the council in his capacity as mayor and insisting on immediate action. The doctor is greatly in earnest over this matter of a good school for Crescent City and he feels that there is no time like the present to make a beginning. In this view he has the support of 99 out of every 100 people in the place—and there isn't many above 500 of us here.

New Passenger Transfer.

The Crescent City Transfer Co. has purchased a new and swift launch for its passenger transfer business to and from Crescent City Junction. The boat has already been shipped from the factory in a "knocked down" condition and as soon as it arrives (and it is expected daily) Mr. Eaton will put the boat together. The new boat will be 25 feet in length and will accommodate 16 passengers comfortably. Capt. LaBree states that it is his purpose to add all trains the coming winter daily and Sundays and that the new boat will be used exclusively for passengers and will be of the kind to give them a quick and comfortable passage across the lake.

POMONA.

Miss Ethel Smith returned Thursday from a month's visit with Mrs. Dan Waldron at Ormond. Mrs. Waldron and two children accompanied Miss Smith home, and will be her guests for a week or two.

W. E. Hobbs and family leave this week for New Hampshire where they will spend the next few months, expecting to return to Pomona in December.

Miss Nellie Cook visited Palatka last week.

Arthur W. Smith after a two weeks' vacation spent at home, has gone back to his R. position at Brookville.

Machinery for the W. S. Middleton saw-mill is arriving and the mill will be ready for operation as soon as possible.

Charley Williams of Weika was the guest of his brother Crill several days last week.

Arthur Sweet of Quincy, Ill., was in town Friday, and visited Mrs. Chas. Cook and daughters.

Summer Rates Via A. C. L.

If you contemplate visiting summer resorts see ticket agents Atlantic Coast Line and get all information with reference to rates, routes, schedules and Pullman service. Summer tourist rates are now in effect to all the principal resorts throughout the country with return limit October 31st. Rates have been announced to all springs, mountain and sea shore resorts. For the first time round trip tickets are now on sale to resorts in New England territory.

A Realistic Picture

(Original.) Lucy and I had been back from our wedding trip but five days when we had a violent quarrel. Never in my life had I been so shocked, so horrified. We had known each other ten years with nothing more serious between us than a few lovers' spats, and now that we were united for life we had made the discovery that we were incompatible. I saw in store for us a series of outbursts lasting through a lifetime. I hastened to my friend Merriam—a singular friend for a man of twenty-five, since he was seventy—to pour my trouble in his ear.

"What is it, Billy?" he asked sympathetically.

"We have quarreled," I replied, almost in tears.

"Well," he said, with a smile, "did you expect to go through life billing and cooing?"

"No, but I have always been used after a quarrel with any friend to be the first to offer my hand and make it all up. I would have despised the man who would refuse to meet me halfway."

"The man, yes, but did you always meet with such response from women?"

"I never had such quarrels with women. I was not sufficiently intimate with any of them."

"Ah, there's the difference. A man never becomes as intimate with another man as with a woman. Besides, a woman is not a man. Sit down, light your pipe, and I'll tell you what I have never considered to say one before."

"My marriage, like yours, was a love match. I had had a great many new friends and one man whom the night after our return from our wedding trip I took up my hat to go out. 'Where are you going?' asked my wife. 'I'm going to see Tom Noyes for a few minutes just to say 'How d'you do?' after my absence.' And you expect me to spend the evening here alone on the first night after our return? If Tom is to take you so early, what will be the result after you have begun to get tired of me? 'I didn't suppose marriage meant giving up my best friend.' But what need to give a dialogue that led up to a violent quarrel?"

"It was very plain to me that if I had tried to find the most unreasonable woman in the world I could not have better succeeded. At first after our quarrels we made a great ado about making up, but pretty soon we talked after the paroxysms, growing less and less sulky every hour till tranquility was restored. At times I would apologize for what I had done and occasionally for what I had not done, but after a while I discovered that the best way was to ignore the causes of our difficulties entirely. They were all shocks resulting from the efforts of two currents to blend."

"I did not spring from the grub bachelors into the butterfly married man. It took a long while to change me. As the years went by I got more and more my bachelor instincts and developed those of a husband and father. A new world was growing into existence for me. For a time I did not realize how fully I had become a part of it, and at times cast longing eyes back to my bachelor independence. But the day came at last when I looked upon my bachelorhood as an undeveloped existence in which the heart had no part and my own sweet will was the current in which I drifted aimlessly."

"Then came children to live and children to lose. Each child was like a tender shoot springing from my heart. Those who passed from us are as dear today as those who lived. In the family, with all its cares, its responsibilities, its griefs, we found the only happiness that never died."

"And now that those of our children who have lived have left us to form their own worlds we are alone together, as we were when the current of our lives first met and mingled. Do you suppose we quarrel now?"

"No, you are mistaken. But we know our quarrels are a part of our imperfect nature, and we accept them as we accept our other ills. Thus we do not magnify the evil they do, which is in itself insignificant."

"Frank," called a sharp, querulous voice from another room, "are you going to talk all day?"

"What do you want, dear?"

"You know very well that I have been wanting to speak to you about something of importance for half an hour."

"I'll be with you in a moment. Don't get into a stew about nothing."

I pressed the old man's hand and withdrew. It seemed to me that in his brief story and the bit of sequel contained in the few words I had heard he had given me a picture of what my life would likely be. The romances I had read of the happy period of young love, the beautiful drifting together of two souls, a gradual decline without chafing, all seemed to me to be incompatible with our imperfect natures. Beautiful examples there doubtless are, but when a consciousness of my own imperfections loomed up before me I had no hope that mine would be one of them. Going home, I found my newly wedded wife and said to her:

"Lucy, I have just been talking with my old friend Mr. Merriam, and he has said things that I expect are true."

"What did he say?"

"He said that I must gradually get over my bachelor habits. I must begin to live a far different life."

"I should think so."

"And he says that you and I must expect occasionally to have a little tiff, you know?"

"Certainly we will if you continue to act unreasonably. Dinner has been getting cold for an hour."

I sighed. There were parts of the burden that I would have to bear alone.

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10 doz Ladies' Aprons, fancy, white and colored, prices from 25c to 50c.

6 doz Ladies' and Gents' fancy handled Umbrellas, prices 50c to \$1.75.

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A fine lot of Trunks, Telescopes and Suit Cases, price 45c to \$6.00.

We purchase our goods from the factory for cash and get all the discounts.

We think that you will find our store a safe place to trade.

CONE,

The Shoe Man, Crescent City, Florida.

Carrier Pigeon Memory.

I have known the pigeons imported from Belgium and kept prisoners for years, which, when liberated, struck out for home, only to be downed in the Atlantic or picked up by some ship at sea. This proves that no distance appalls them.

During the Franco-Prussian war the French caught a homing pigeon which was being sent to transmit information of the besieged city of Paris. The bird was made a prisoner of war and kept in confinement for ten years. When given its liberty it at once returned to its old home, showing that ten years was not sufficient to drive from its mind the memory of home—Country Life in America.

A Spelling Rule.

At a school inspection some of the boys found a difficulty in the correct placing of the letters "t" and "d" in such words as "believe," "receive," etc., when the inspector said blandly, "My boys, I will give you an infallible rule, one I invariably use myself." The pupils were all attention, and even the master pricked up his ears. The inspector continued: "It is simply this. Write the 't' and 'd' exactly alike and put the dot in the middle over them."—London Telegraph.

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8:00 p. 9:40 a. Lv Jacksonville Ar 7:00 p. 8:00 a.

8:07 p. 9:48 a. Lv So. Jacksonville Ar 6:52 p. 8:20 a.

8:13 p. 10:53 a. Lv Ft. Pierce Ar 6:45 p. 8:40 a.

8:20 p. 11:30 a. Lv Palatka Ar 6:38 p. 8:48 a.

8:25 p. 12:15 p. Lv Palatka Ar 6:30 p. 8:55 a.

8:30 p. 1:00 p. Lv San Mateo Ar 6:22 p. 9:00 a.

8:35 p. 1:30 p. Lv Noona Ar 6:15 p. 9:00 a.

8:40 p. 1:35 p. Lv Homestead Ar 6:08 p. 9:00 a.

8:45 p. 1:40 p. Lv Titusville Ar 6:00 p. 9:00 a.

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